



COUNCIL ON CARDIOVASCULAR AND STROKE NURSING





OUR MISSION

The mission of the Council on Cardiovascular and Stroke Nursing (CVSN) is to accelerate the discovery, translation and application of knowledge to promote and improve overall cardiovascular health. Our efforts focus on contributing nursing's biopsychosocial expertise to American Heart Association's (AHA) global agenda to promote ideal cardiovascular health, quality of life, and heart healthy lifestyles and environments.

————— SO WHY JOIN? —————



NETWORK

COLLABORATE

LEARN

SERVE

RECEIVE

SUPPORT

I. NETWORK

Network with nurse colleagues across the country and around the world!



II. COLLABORATE

Collaborate with multidisciplinary colleagues as it relates to issues important to clinical practice

I'm a member. Are you?



"Membership in CVSNA with the AHA means that I am able to network with global leaders in cardiovascular nursing. Additionally, membership means that I can contribute to the shaping of ideas and initiatives that may aid in reducing cardiovascular health disparities worldwide."

-Jacquelyn Y. Taylor PhD, PNP-BC, RN, FAHA, FAAN
Associate Professor | Associate Dean of
Diversity and Inclusion

III. Learn

Learn the latest cutting-edge information related to best practices and guidelines



IV. Serve

Serve on committees and writing groups, and
in leadership roles



V. RECEIVE

Receive council awards and learn about AHA funded research opportunities

Lifetime Achievement Award:
Katharine A. Lembright Award

Research Article of
the Year Award

Excellence in
Clinical Practice
Award

Arteriosclerosis/Heart
Failure Research Prize

Stroke Article of
the Year Award

Kathleen A. Dracup
Distinguished
Lecture

Clinical Article of
the Year Award

Research Article of
the Year Award

Marie Cowan
Promising Young
Investigator Award

CVSN Early Career
Research Travel
Awards

Mathy Mezey
Excellence in Aging
Award

CVSN Minority
Travel Grant

Student Scholarships
in Cardiovascular
Disease and Stroke

VI. SUPPORT

Support the AHA mission through advocacy and other efforts



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HOW DO YOU JOIN?

I. Upon becoming a AHA member,
you select one or two councils that best match your interests.

PREMIUM PROFESSIONAL	GENERAL PROFESSIONAL	EARLY CAREER	STUDENT/ TRAINEE	PREMIUM PROFESSIONAL PLUS
\$270 /YR	\$85 /YR	\$81 /YR	\$81 /YR	\$465 /YR
2 Councils, Add one \$65	1 Council	1 Council, Add one \$55	1 Council, Add one \$55	2 Councils, Add one \$65
11 Free Online Journals	Online Journals for Purchase	11 Free Online Journals	11 Free Online Journals	11 Free Online Journals
View more Benefits	View more Benefits	View more Benefits	View more Benefits	View more Benefits
SIGN UP	SIGN UP	SIGN UP	SIGN UP	SIGN UP



II. Under CVSN, there are many committees choose one of your interest

Arteriosclerosis / Heart Failure Awards

Leadership

Articles of the Year Award

Martha Hill New Investigator Award

Awards

Membership & Communications

Clinical Symposium Planning

Nominating

Complex Cardiovascular Patient and
Family Care

Pediatric Cardiovascular Nursing

Development

Research Mentoring

Early Career

Scientific & Clinical Education Lifelong
Learning (SCILL)

Excellence in Clinical Practice Awards

State of the Science Nursing Symposium
Planning

International

Stroke Nursing

III. Become a committee member on the CVSNI Council

Submit your interest online
via the [Volunteer
Involvement
Form](#) on the Professional
Heart Daily website
Or
Send an email (and perhaps
your CV) about your interest
to the Council Chair or Vice
Chair.





Advance your career 
Join the CVSN Council