Leading *Nursing Forward®* in 2020 — Year of the Nurse
Dr. Ernest Grant is the 36th president of the American Nurses Association, the nation’s largest nurses organization. Dr. Grant is the first male elected president of ANA and previously served as president of the North Carolina Nurses Association from 2009-11.

Dr. Grant has over 30 years of nursing experience and is an internationally recognized burn-care and fire-safety expert. He previously oversaw burn education at the North Carolina Jaycee Burn Center and ran the nationally acclaimed burn prevention program.

Dr. Grant has received many awards and held a wide array of leadership positions. In 2002, Dr. Grant received a Nurse of the Year Award from Former President George W. Bush for treating burn victims from the World Trade Center attack and received the Honorary Nursing Practice Award from ANA for contributions to advancing nursing practices. He was inducted as a fellow into the American Academy of Nursing in 2014.

Ernest Grant, PhD, RN, FAAN
ANA President
Opening Keynote

The Vice President for Nursing at The DAISY Foundation, Cynthia D. Sweeney, provides the “nursing view” for projects and program development.

Sweeney previously offered oversight and support for a variety of programs at the American Nurses Credentialing Center. She spent 40 years in perioperative services, academic and leadership roles and retired as Captain from the Navy Nurse Corps. One of her favorite roles was Clinical Nurse Specialist, where she taught, mentored and worked as a clinician. She and her family enjoy traveling and boating on the waters of the Chesapeake Bay.

Cynthia Sweeney, DNP, MSN, RN, CNOR, NEA-BC
Thursday Plenary

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CONTACT HOURS
Up to 24.25 Contact Hours (CH) available for FULL registrants (12.25 CHs for onsite participants and 12.0 CHs for breakout session playbacks).

BREAKOUT SESSION PLAYBACKS
Miss a session you really wanted to see? Wish you could be in two places at once? Don’t worry about it! We provide recordings of all of the breakout sessions to attendees — and you can get CHs for all of the concurrent sessions from the day(s) you are registered. You will receive an email about a month after Convention with all the info. General sessions (keynotes, etc.) are not included.

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### 2020 SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

#### Thursday, September 17

- **8:30** ...... **Registration Opens**
- **8:45** ...... **First Time Attendee Orientation**
- **9:30** ...... **Welcome to the 113th NCNA Convention**
- **9:45** ...... **Keynote — Leading Nursing Forward® in 2020, Year of the Nurse — Ernest Grant, PhD, RN, FAAN (1.0 CH)**
- **10:45** ...... **Compassion is the Art of Nursing — Cynthia Sweeney, DNP, MSN, RN, CNOR, NEA-BC, FAAN (1.0 CH)**
- **11:45** ...... **RN Networking Central | Posters Group 1 (0.75 CH)**
- **12:30** ...... **Membership Forum (1.0 CH) | Working Lunch**
- **2:00** ...... **RN Networking Central | Posters Group 2 (0.75 CH)**
- **2:45** ...... **Refreshment Break**

**BEGIN BREAKOUT SESSIONS:**
- **A - Practice**
- **B - Leadership**
- **C - Education**
- **D - Self-Care**

- **3:00** ...... **Breakout Sessions I (1.0 CH)**
  - **I-A**: Workplace Violence Crisis: A Healthcare System's Journey to a Safer, Supportive Workplace — Cameron Elgin, DNP, RN, BC
  - **I-B**: Nurse Presence Capability—Elements Essential in Practice, Teaching, and Leading — Rebecca L. Turpin, PhD, MSN, RN, NEA-BC
  - **I-C**: Teaching Data Visualization to Nurses Who Dread Statistics: Data as a Story — Eleanor Hunt, DNP, RN, AGPCNP-BC
  - **I-D**: Don't Treat Everyone Equal: Addressing Patient Care Outcomes in the Context of Cultural Diversity and Implicit Bias — Letha Joseph, DNP, RN, AGPCNP-BC

- **4:00** ...... **Break**

- **4:15** ...... **Breakout Sessions II (1.0 CH)**
  - **II-A**: The Second Victim Phenomenon and Implementation of a Peer Support Program — Luci New, MSN, CRNA
  - **II-B**: Changing the Narrative: Nurses as Sources in Health News — Rose Hoban, RN, MPH; Barbara Glickstein, RN, MPH, MS; Chris Cowperthwaite, APR
  - **II-C**: Will the Next Prescription Be for the Pharmacy or the Farmacy? — Joanne Evans, MED, RN, PMHCHS-BC
  - **II-D**: Healthy Nurse. Healthy Nation v2.0 — Jackie Medland PhD, RN, NEA-BC

- **5:30** ...... **NCNA Networking & Engagement Reception**

#### Friday, September 18

- **7:45** ...... **Registration Opens | Continental Breakfast**
- **8:15** ...... **Human Trafficking — Speaker TBD (0.75 CH)**
- **9:00** ...... **Legislative Update — A Fresh Approach to Nursing Policy Goals in an Election Year — Speaker TBD (1.0 CH)**
- **10:00** ...... **Break**

**BEGIN BREAKOUT SESSIONS:**
- **A - Practice**
- **B - Leadership**
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- **D - Self-Care**

- **10:15** ...... **Breakout Sessions III (1.0 CH)**
  - **III-A**: I Am Not Sure I Should Do This: When Scope of Practice and Competency Collide — Yvonne DeMuth MSN, RN, CCRN-e, CPEN, CEN
  - **III-B**: Cultivating Nursing & Finance Collaboration — Patricia Richardson, MSN, BSBA, RN, CMSRN
  - **III-C**: Nurses: Addiction as a Response to Compassion Fatigue and Perfectionism — Connie Mele, MSN, RN, PMHCHS-BC, CARN-AP, NE-BC, LCAS, FIAAN
  - **III-D**: TED-like Talks — Speakers TBD

- **11:15** ...... **RN Networking Central | Posters Group 3 (1.0 CH)**
- **12:15** ...... **Awards Luncheon**
- **1:45** ...... **Break**

- **2:00** ...... **Breakout Sessions IV (1.0 CH)**
  - **IV-A**: Lessons from the Front Line: Malpractice Case Studies and Stats — David Griffiths, SVP
  - **IV-B**: Perfect Harmony a Systemwide Staffing Solution — Stephanie McDonald MSL, BSN, RN, NEA-BC; Nicole Deal, MSN, RN, NEA-BC
  - **IV-C**: The Impact of Social Determinants of Health on Providing Optimal Patient Care — Felecia S. Williams, PhD, RN, CCRN-K, CHC
  - **IV-D**: Nurse Fatigue: Causes, Consequences & Strategies for Resilience — Karen Cochran, MSN, RN, CNOR

- **3:00** ...... **Closing Keynote — What Would Florence Say? — Rebecca Patton, DNP, RN, CNOR, FAAN (1.0 CH)**

This schedule is subject to change, and any revisions will be posted on the NCNA website at www.ncnurses.org.

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Raleigh Marriott Crabtree Valley
4500 Marriott Drive, Raleigh, NC 27612
Phone Reservations: 919.781.7000
Group Rate: $169 per night
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**2020 CONVENTION — SEPT 17-18 — RALEIGH**

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Name (please print or type)

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City
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### Registration Deadlines

**July 21:** EARLY BIRD RATES END — take advantage of special rates and pre-register by July 21!

**September 8:** PRE-REGISTRATION ENDS — ensure your spot at an event that sold out the last 2 years and register by September 8!

- A. I will need a ticket for vegetarian meals
- B. I will need a ticket for gluten free meals
- C. I will be a First Time Attendee
- D. NCNA gives Convention attendees and exhibitors names/contact information of all attendees for networking. I agree to my name/info being added to this list for distribution

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