# **ACHNE**

Striving to help shape public health policy, practice and research by setting the agenda for excellence through education.





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The Association of Community Health Nursing Educators



# **About ACHNE**

The Association of Community Health
Nursing Educators (ACHNE) provides a
meeting ground for those committed to
excellence in community and public
health nursing education, research, and
practice. ACHNE was established in 1978
and is governed by elected volunteer
leaders. The organization provides rich
networking and educational
opportunities such as the quarterly
newsletter, the membership directory,
publications, position papers and the
widely attended Annual Institute.

### What we do

For over thirty five years, ACHNE has helped to shape community health nursing practice through a variety of mechanisms. We are a member of the QUAD Council of Public Health Nursing Organizations which also includes the Association of Public Health Nurses, the Public Health Nursing Section of the American Public Health Association and the American Nurses Association Council on Nursing Practice and Economics. Through this partnership and our members, we shape the development of nursing standards for the community and public health nursing specialties and nursing curricula across the United States.

Our annual conference provides members with an opportunity to hear and share state of the art research and pedagogical approaches in Community and Public Health Nursing.

We have an active discussion board where members discuss current issues in community/ public health nursing and share innovative pedagogical approaches.

We support community and public health nursing research by awarding competitive seed grants to members each year.

#### Get Involved

ACHNE is the *only* organization dedicated to community health nursing *and* education. The work of ACHNE is important for the continuing viability of the community and public health nursing specialty.

We have opportunities for every member to network and become involved.

#### Committees:

Archives, Awards, Bylaws, Communications, Diversity, Education, Finance, Innovative Teaching Strategies, Membership, Nominating, Program and Research.

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