

Belfast Declaration

The joint session between four international critical care nursing organizations (EfCCNa, ESICM-N&AHP, SCCM, WFCCN) established the Belfast Declaration to support, promote and elevate critical care nursing standards worldwide. The Belfast Declaration states:

1. Identify opportunities to collaborate in further advancing critical care nursing education, practice, research and policy.
2. Advocate for the highest standards of critical care nursing practice worldwide.
3. Advance the state of critical care nursing globally, including supporting further development of education and practice resources limited countries.
4. Advocate for multi professional team based practices where the contribution of all members of the team are acknowledged, supported, and promoted.
5. Advance patient and family-centered care and engagement to support care and recovery of the critical ill both within and after ICU.



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Launching of the African Federation of Critical Care Nurses

Critical Care Nursing Leaders from the African region met again in April to finalise their plans to form the African Federation of Critical Care Nurses. Meeting at the Emirates critical Care Conference in Dubai, UAE.

The available leaders finalised the draft constitution, operational plan and details of the first official conference and election of the AFCCN leadership which will occur 18-20 October 2017 in Kampala, Uganda.



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(Photo:
Participants of the
AFCCN with
Professor Ruth
Kleinpell and Ged
Williams)



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WFCCN Meeting in UAE

At the 13th Emirates Critical Care Conference 6-8 April 2017, WFCCN hosted a meeting of critical care nursing leaders from the region including India, Sri Lanka; Nepal, Pakistan; Bahrain, Oman, Jordan, United Arab Emirates, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia; Cameroon, Ghana, Kenya, Nigeria, South Sudan, Sudan, Uganda.

Facilitated by WFCCN past President Professor Ruth Kleinpell, the meeting discussed and presented many issues and challenges for critical care nurses in the region and pledged ongoing communication, collaboration and fellowship to work on these shared challenges together. It was also a convenient forum for Professor Kleinpell to present WFCCN membership trophies to the Emirates Nursing Association-Critical Care Nursing Society and the Critical Care Nursing Society, India. The CCN leaders agreed to reconvene at the 14th ECCC in Dubai, 5-7 April 2018.



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Photo: Participants of the WFCCN Network meeting, Dubai. Dr Hussain Al Rahma, Conference Chairman is the man in the front who is a great advocate and champion for critical care nurses in the region





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The World Federation of Critical Care Nurses (WFCCN) founded in 2001 and currently registered as a *Company Limited by Guarantee* in Australia, is happy to welcome the **16 countries** subscribed as *Full Members* of WFCCN.

- American Association of Critical Care Nurses
- Australian College of Critical Care Nurses
- British Association of Critical Care Nurses
- Critical Care Nurse Association of the Philippines
- Croatian Nurses Society of Anesthesia, Reanimation, ICU and Transfusion
- Emirates Nursing Association (ENA) Critical Care Nursing Professional Section
- Hong Kong Association of Critical Care Nurses
- Icelandic Association of Critical Care Nurses
- Neurocritical Care Society
- Norwegian Association of Critical Care Nurses
- Nurses Society of Intensive Care, Anesthesia and Reanimation - Serbia
- Nurses Association of Emergency Medicine of Slovenia
- Polish Association of Anaesthesiology and Intensive Care Nurses
- Sociedad Argentina de Terapia Intensiva
- Taiwan Association of Critical Care Nurses
- Turkish Society of Critical Care Nurses