

"Nursing school is not an obstacle to leap over but a place to grow and develop into a professional nurse. So when I think about leadership and FNSA, it's not about following a strict hierarchy for no reason but rather a collection of individuals who share a similar set of aspirations and who come together to make a difference, especially as students."

— **Chris Demezier**, FNSA President

What can the Florida Nursing Students' Association (FNSA) do for you?

"Throughout my nursing school career, I have made connections state wide with students and faculty and I owe it all to my involvement with FNSA.

FNSA has opened doors for me and I feel sure that unique opportunities will continue to unfold as I wrap up my schooling and enter into the professional world with the help of students and faculty I've met state-wide."

— **Nicole Ackenbrack**, FNSA Region 3 Director



NETWORKING

Ever heard the old saying, "it's not what you know, but who you know?" Through FNSA you will make contacts all over the state. Florida has one of the biggest state membership numbers in the nation—which means there are that many more connections out there waiting for you to make. At state convention and through regional activities, members may interact with each other and enjoy the camaraderie that is nursing. Members also get the chance to meet influential faculty from all over the state of Florida at convention and hear their words of wisdom through focus sessions. Recruiters from the top programs are also available and interested in meeting members. Open up doors for your future and join today!

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

With conventions offered yearly, members benefit from engaging speakers and gain experiences that will help them become increasingly competitive job candidates and more well-rounded nurses. FNSA provides ample opportunity to help students add to their resumé.

LEADERSHIP

Become a nurse leader by launching your experience here with FNSA. With 13 positions on the FNSA executive board, there is something of interest for everyone. Develop your passion for leadership by applying and participating in elections in the fall! If the executive board isn't for you, there are 13 committees for you to develop your interest and live out your passion.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Be rewarded and recognized for all of your hard work by applying and receiving one of our numerous scholarships.

EXTRA PERKS

Your FNSA membership grants you discounts at numerous locations. **Learn more at fnsa.net.**



When Can I Join?

Why wait? Pre-nursing students may join NOW. You don't have to wait any longer to begin your nursing journey.

How Can I Join?

Contact your school's chapter for information on membership opportunities or visit fnsa.net.

Want to join the membership committee?

Come share your passion for FNSA with potential new members! To be a part of the team, download the application on the membership committee's page at fnsa.net and email Nicole Ackenbrack, Region 3 Director and Membership Committee Chair at fnsa.region3@gmail.com.