



“Healthcare at a Turning Point: Seizing the Opportunity”

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Along with a team of policy analysts in the ANA's Department of Nursing Practice & Policy, Lisa Summers is monitoring and actively engaged in influencing the implementation of the Affordable Care Act. The ANA's research, synthesis, analysis, evaluation and development of briefing papers, position papers and presentations focus on ensuring that nurses will be full partners in redesigning health care in the U.S.. Lisa works closely with APRN organizations and focuses on advanced practice nursing issues. She serves on behalf of ANA as liaison to various health care and governmental agencies.

Dr. Summers received her doctorate in public health from Columbia University and her masters of science in nursing (midwifery) from Yale University. She practiced clinically as a nurse and then a nurse-midwife for over 20 years before shifting to policy work. She served on faculties of nurse-midwifery education programs at Baylor and Columbia and on the medical school faculty at the University of Texas and Johns Hopkins. She was previously Director of Professional Services at the American College of Nurse-Midwives and has been at the American Nurses Association since 2009.

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