



Doctors of Nursing Practice

Online Community - Practice Innovation - Professional Growth



7th National DNP Conference

Nashville Airport Marriott

The DNP in Practice:

The Health,



The Care,



The Cost



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The Health

Loss of Primary Health Care Physicians

Specialization/over-specialization

Closure of small, local hospitals

The rural, disenfranchised, uninsured, under-insured populations



The Care

Who is my provider?

The Good

The Bad

The Ugly



The Cost

Affordable? Care Act
Public Insurance
Private Insurance
No insurance
Fee for Services



NPs, DNPs – UNITE!!!!



My Notions on a Noble Person

He was there when you uttered your first cry and she will probably be there when you draw your last breath.

Her skilled hand, keen mind, and big heart are at your beck and call every hour from the cradle to the grave.

He is not a propounder of theories nor a preacher of dogmas. She is a worker of miracles.

He is a scientist, a scholar, a humanitarian.

He makes the lame to walk, the blind to see, yet never a word of self-praise has been heard to fall from her lips.

He is one of Earth's noble people, a silent partner and co-worker with God – the NURSE.

(Paraphrased from John Wesley Clay – My Notions on a Nobleman)

