

# DNPS TAKE A BOW!

## HOW THE DOCTORATE OF NURSING PRACTICE CONTINUES TO REVOLUTIONIZE HEALTH CARE

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# GETTING TO KNOW YOU!

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# "Baby, Take a Bow"



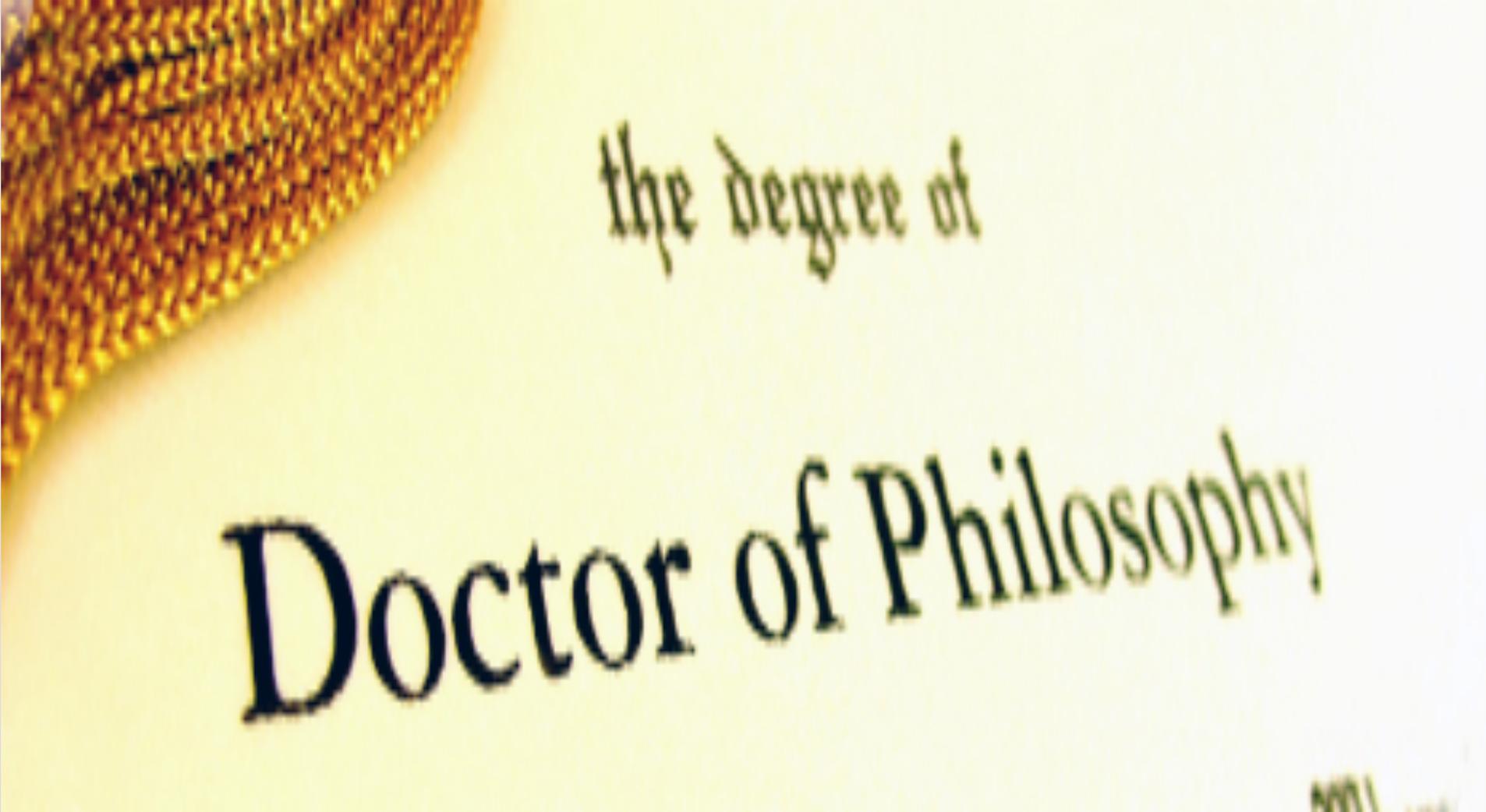
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CLAIRE TREVOR

ALAN DINEHART

*Produced by John Doe  
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A close-up photograph of a diploma. The top left corner features a circular gold seal with a textured, woven pattern. The text on the diploma is printed in a classic serif font. The words "the degree of" are visible in a smaller font, positioned above the main title. The main title, "Doctor of Philosophy", is written in a larger, bold serif font and is slightly tilted. The background of the diploma is a light cream color.

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**Doctor of Philosophy**



Let's start from the  
beginning...

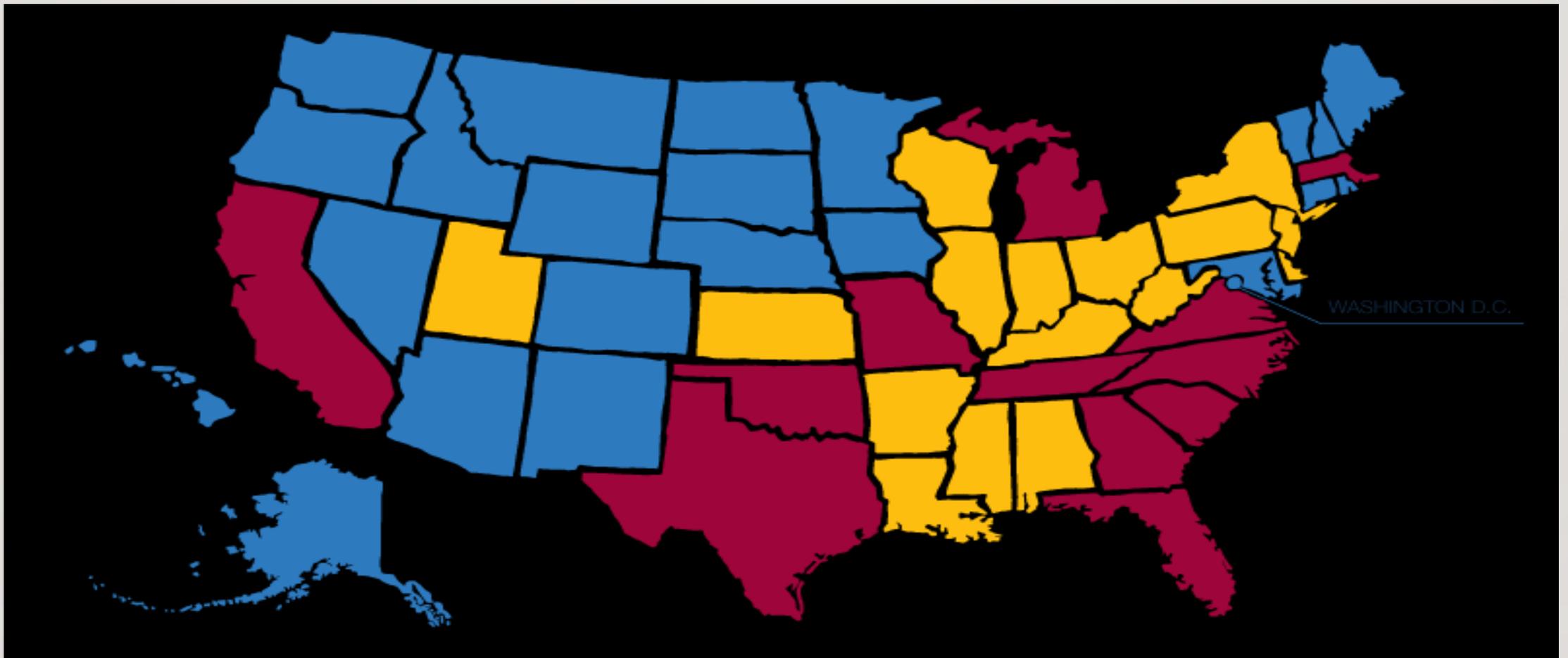
# OUR HISTORY AND SCOPE OF PRACTICE

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“There are two classes of  
people in the world....”

Florence Nightingale





## 2017 NURSE PRACTITIONER SCOPE OF PRACTICE



FULL PRACTICE



REDUCED PRACTICE



RESTRICTED PRACTICE

# The Barriers *Always* Existed

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“I tell what I have  
seen”

Dorothea Lynde Dix



**Doctor of Nursing**

- 3-6 years to complete
- Universities
- On campus or Online

**Specialties**

- Doctor of Nursing (ND)
- Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP)
- Doctor of Nursing Science (DNSc)
- Doctor of Nursing Philosophy (PhD)

**Doctorate**

**Accelerated Option**

- BSN to PhD 5 years

**Master of Science in Nursing**

- 1.5 – 2 years if applicant has ADN or BSN
- Universities
- On campus or Online

**Specialties**

- Nurse Practitioner (NP)
- Certified nurse midwife
- Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS)
- Certified Nurse Anesthetist (CRNA)
- Nurse Educator
- School Nursing
- Clinical Nurse Leader (CNL)

**MSN**

**Accelerated Option**

- Second-degree\* MSN 1-3 years

**Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

- 4 years to complete
- 1-2 years if applicant has ADN
- Universities
- On campus or Online

**BSN**

**Accelerated Option**

- Second-degree\* BSN 1-1.5 years

**Associate Degree in Nursing**

- 2 years to complete\*\*
- Community Colleges
- Trade Schools
- Wait list to get in

**ADN**

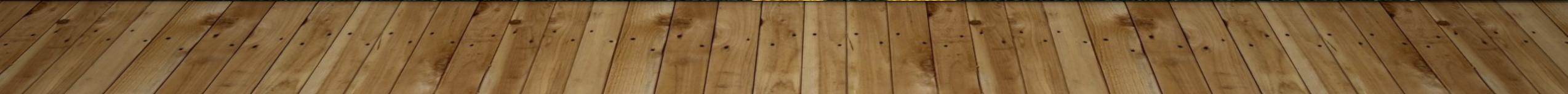
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- Trained in hospital
- Rare and being phased out

**Diploma**

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 \*\*Does not include completion time for prerequisite courses

1. What are the obstacles?
2. Although obstacles exist, they are not insurmountable.



# THE PHYSICIAN AND NURSE: A LONG COMPLICATED HISTORY

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# THE PHYSICIAN AND THE DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE - COLLABORATIVE ISSUES

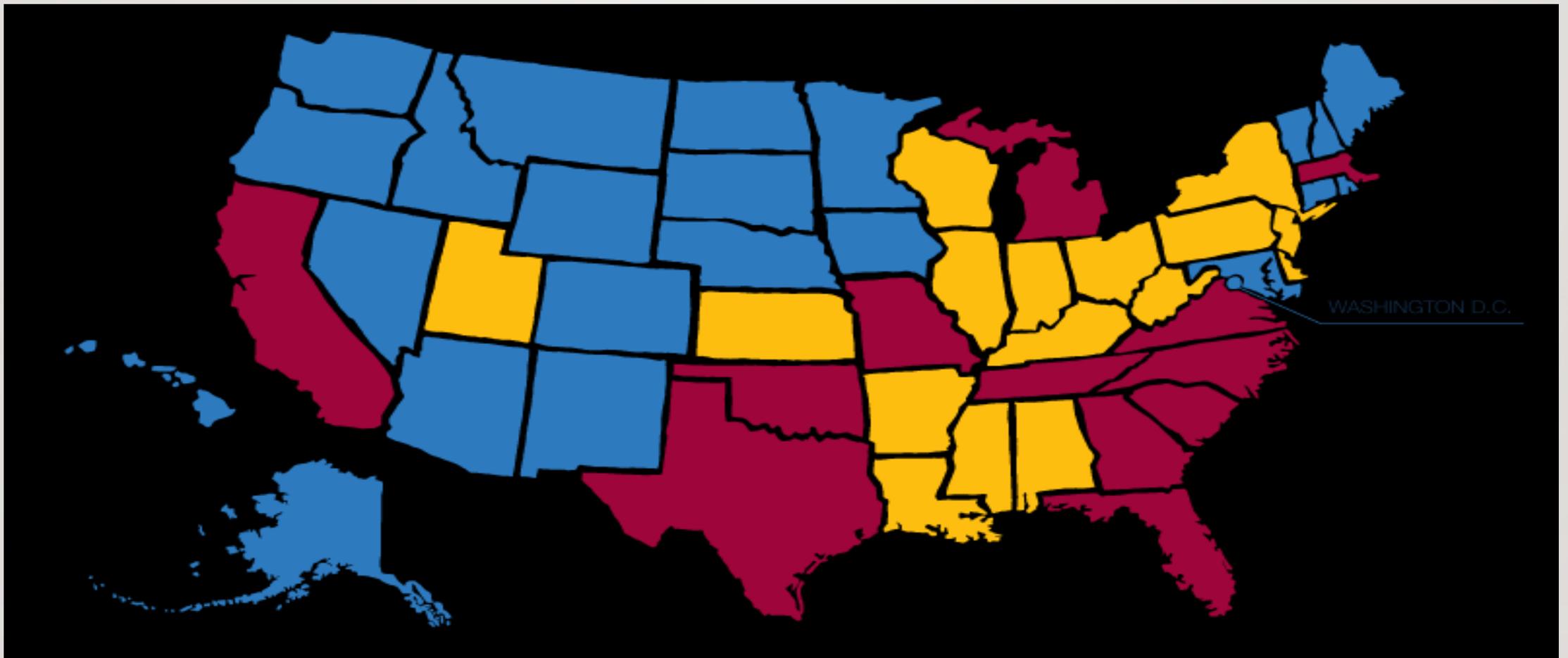
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DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE



DOCTOR OF MEDICINE





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# THE NURSE AND THE DNP

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# OTHER HEALTH PROFESSIONALS AND THE DNP

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# NURSING DOCTORAL DEGREES AND COLLEGIAL PERCEPTION OF THE DNP DEGREE

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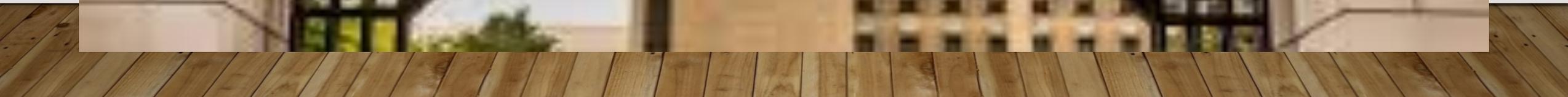
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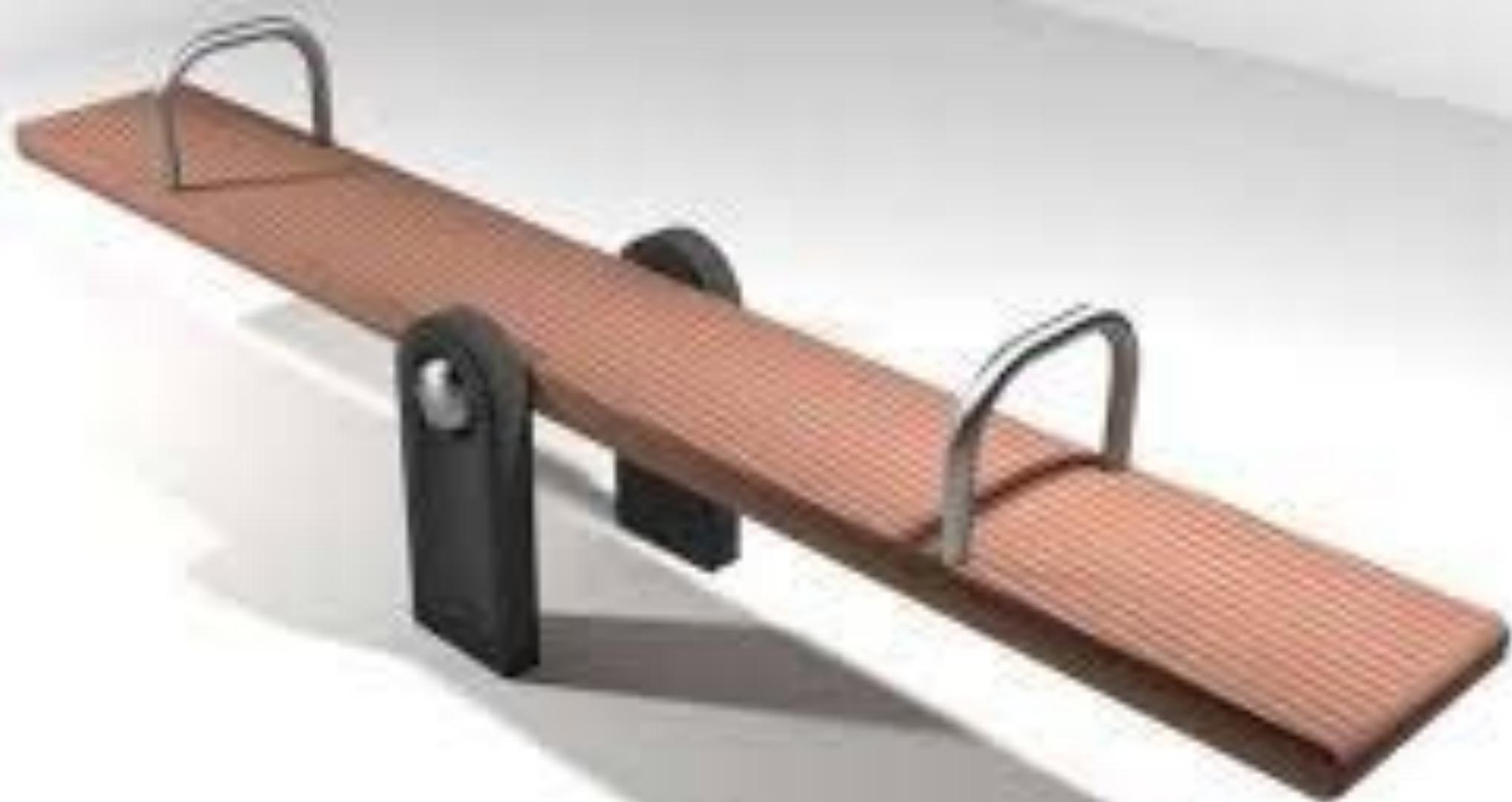
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The  
expert in  
anything  
was  
once a  
beginner.



# PATIENT PERCEPTION OF THE DNP

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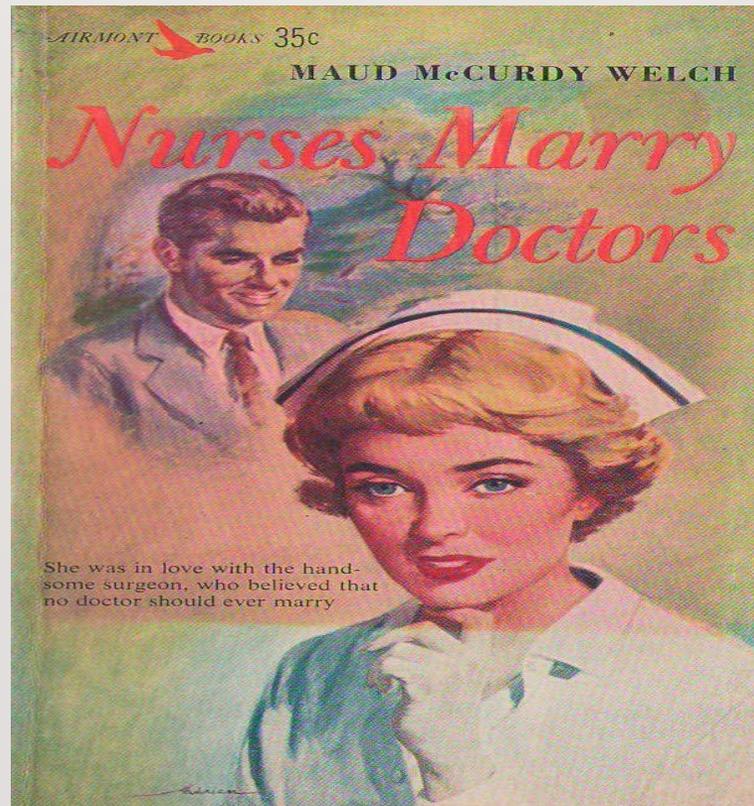
# PUBLIC PERCEPTION OF THE DNP

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# Many stereotypes exist

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WHO ARE

WE?

**We become a lot of  
different people before  
we settle into  
who we really are.**

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**NO TWO DNPS ARE THE SAME!**

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DNPS ARE HIGHLY EDUCATED WITH  
UNIQUE EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

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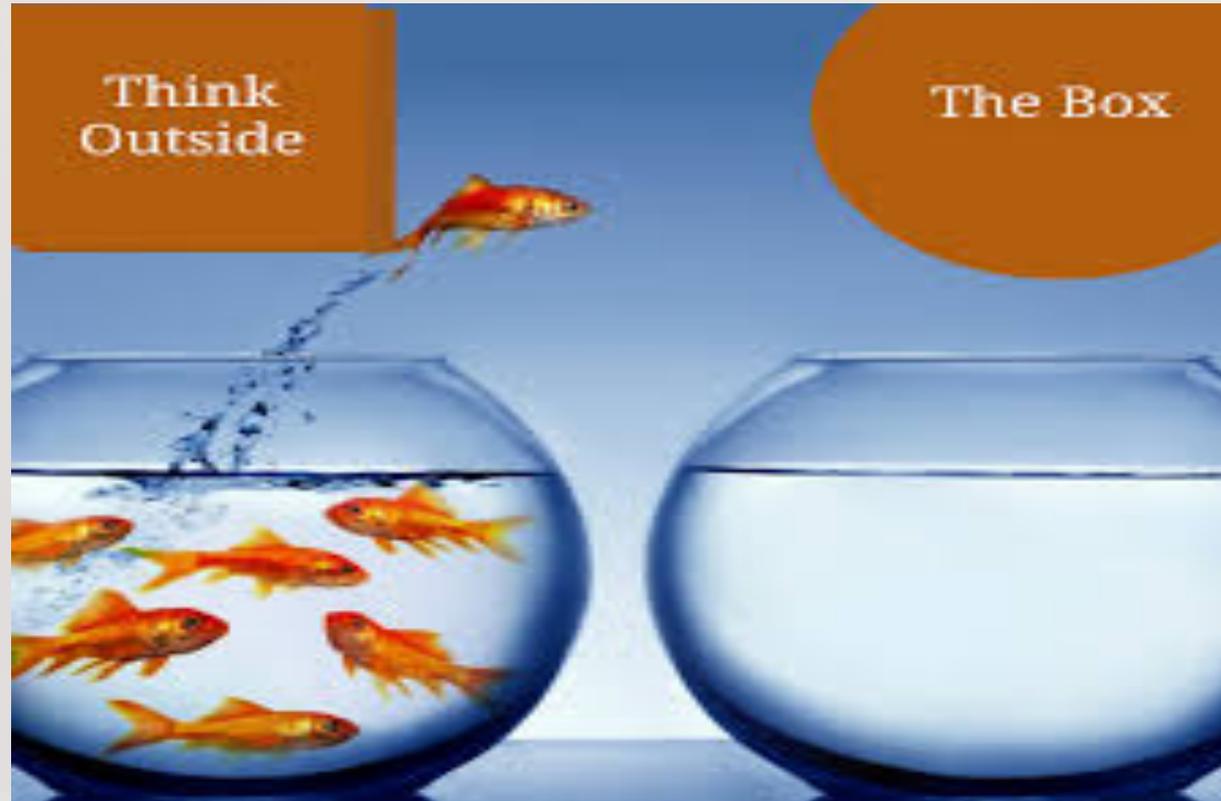
# DNPS ARE LEADERS

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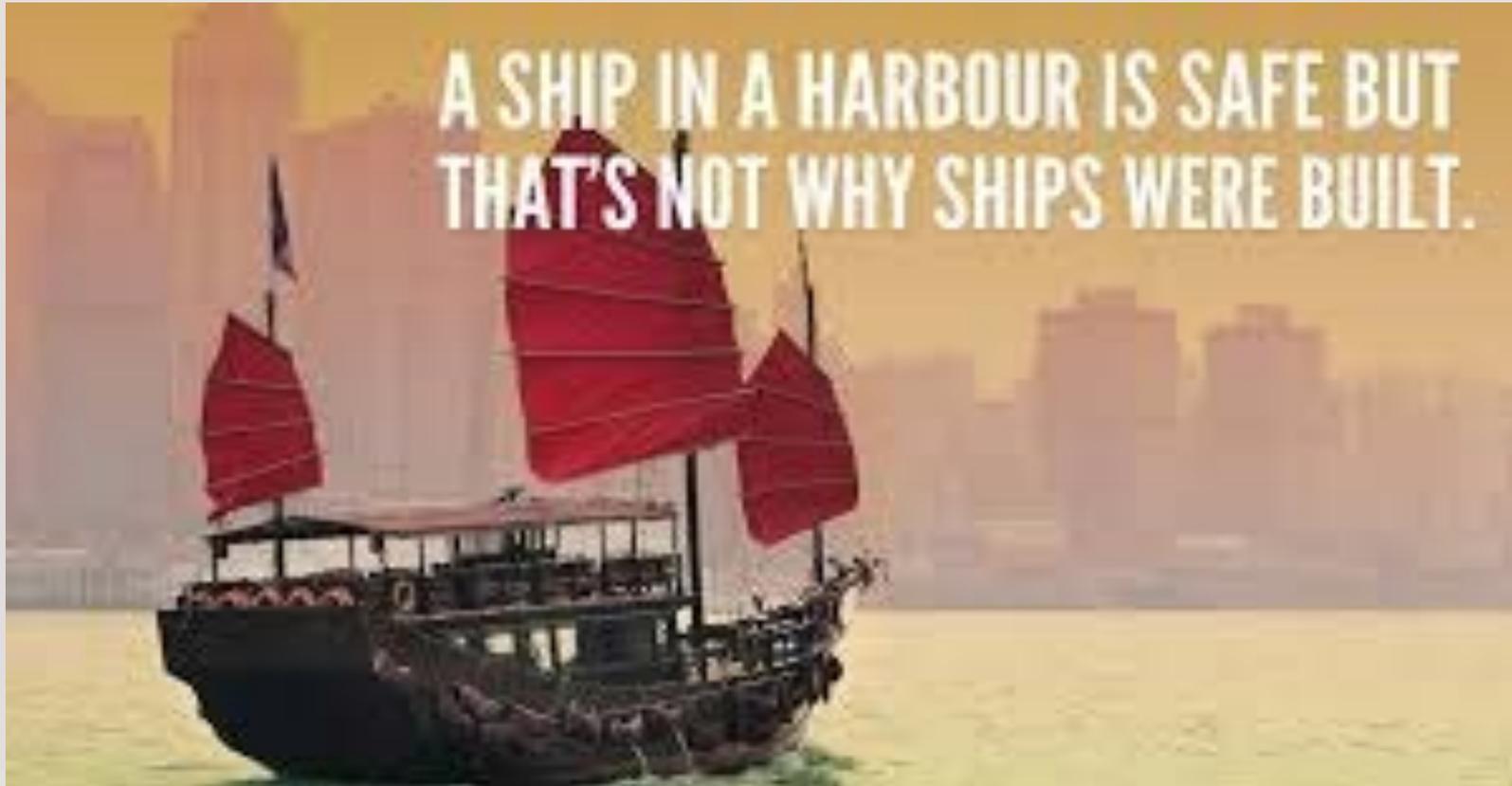
# DNPS THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX

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# DNPS ARE NOT AFRAID TO TAKE RISKS

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# DNPS MUST FORGE A VISION



**EMBRACE YOURSELF AND EACH OTHER!**

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# REMOVAL OF THE OBSTACLES

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DNPs MUST MOVE FROM SILOS  
TO SYNERGY BY PUTTING OUR  
*BEST* DNP FOOT FORWARD TO  
CREATE CHANGE!



# THIS IS A NIGHTINGALE MOMENT

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DNPs MUST CONTINUE  
TO BE BRAVE, BOLD,  
FEARLESS AND  
AUTHENTIC!



# WE KNOW THE OBSTACLES AHEAD

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“Of all the forms of inequality,  
injustice in healthcare is the most  
shocking and inhumane”

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.





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**TRUE DNP AUTHENTIC LEADERSHIP:  
TRANSFORMS HEALTHCARE THROUGH PROFESSIONAL  
COLLABORATION**



# Authentic DNP leadership can occur within *Intra- Inter- and Multi- Professional Collaborative Organizations*

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# DNPS MUST CONTINUE TO BE BRAVE, BOLD, FEARLESS AND AUTHENTIC!

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- BE AUTHENTIC
- KNOW WHO *YOU* ARE AS A DNP
- KNOW WHO YOUR FELLOW DNPs ARE
- WORK TOGETHER
- BE A RISK TAKER
- PLAN FOR CHANGE

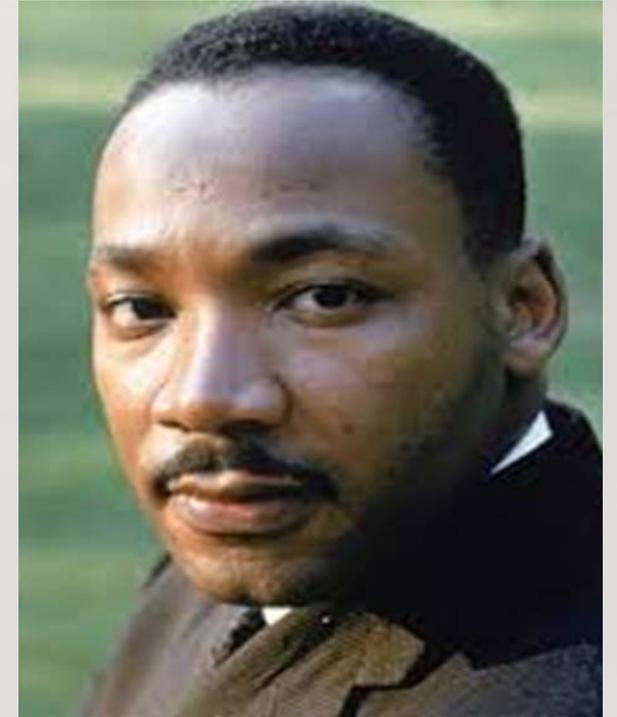
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- BE FEARLESS, BOLD AND CREATIVE
- KNOW STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES (SWOT ANALYSIS)
- KNOW YOUR RESOURCES
- KNOW YOUR ALLIES (AND ENEMIES)
- DISSEMINATE OUR MESSAGE AS TO *WHO WE ARE*
- TAKE A STAND AND STAND YOUR GROUND

# GREATNESS COMES AT A PRICE

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# THEODORE ROOSEVELT, JR.

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## THE MAN IN THE ARENA

Delivered at the Sorbonne, in  
Paris, France on 23 April, 1910





DNPS LOOK TO THE FUTURE  
BECAUSE OUR FUTURE IS BRIGHT!

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I Appreciate Your Kind Attention!

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ComPletely  
Totally  
Proud of  
you

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# Questions and Comments

