



Fact Sheet

About Us

Founded in 1997 by nursing school deans and chief nursing officers of local health care facilities, the Nursing Consortium of South Florida was formed to assess and address the causes of the nursing shortage in South Florida. This non-profit corporation is a membership organization, comprised of more than fifty area healthcare employers, nursing schools, health and staffing agencies, foundations and other industry-related members entities, and it develops and implements solutions aimed at improving nursing availability in Miami-Dade, Broward, Monroe, Palm Beach and Hendry counties. The activities of the Nursing Consortium of South Florida, Inc. are funded through member dues, event sponsorship and fees, and foundation support.

Our programs

In addition to the annual Day in the Life of a Nurse™ program, the Nursing Consortium of South Florida organizes Future Nurses Clubs, participates in career days, facilitates classroom and community presentations and educational seminars, coordinates scheduling of student nurse clinical experiences, and advocates on behalf of strategies that benefit the expansion of the local nurse workforce.

South Florida Nursing Resource

As an organization dedicated to improving health care resources in South Florida, the Consortium website (www.nursingshortage.org) provides links to national and regional nursing news and a wealth of resources that offer up-to-date industry-related information to the community and members of the Nursing Consortium of South Florida, Inc.