

Models of Health Care Improvement That Leverage Partnerships



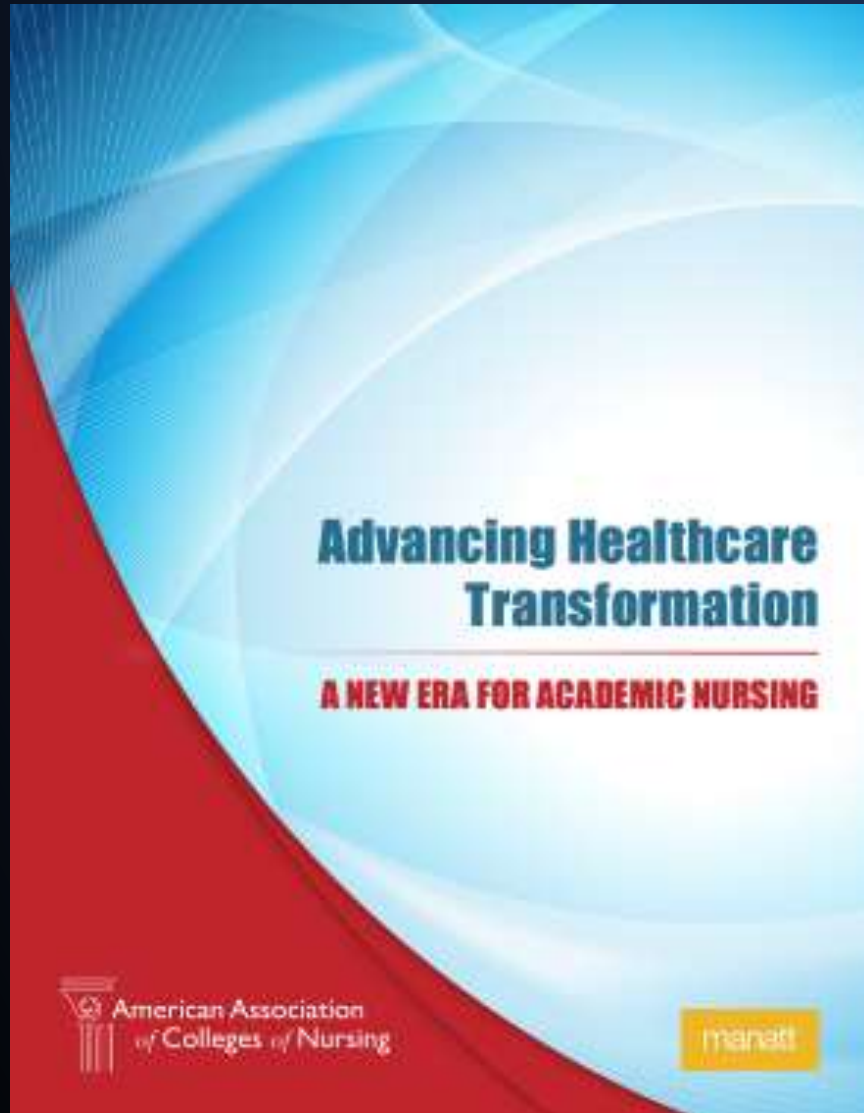
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Nursing Schools & Health Systems Should Work Together



'New Era' Report

“Further alignment of medicine, nursing, and health system organizations may also prove beneficial...”

- American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN)
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Embrace a New Vision for Academic Nursing

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Enhance the
Clinical
Practice of
Academic
Nursing

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Partner in
Preparing
the Nurses
of the Future

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Partner in
the
Implement-
ation of
Accountable
Care

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Invest in
Nursing
Research
Programs and
Better
Integrate
Research
into Clinical
Practice

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Implement an
Advocacy
Agenda to
Support a New
Era for
Academic
Nursing

Nursing & Other Disciplines Should Work Together

Tripartite mission of teaching, research, service

Yale examples:

- Interprofessional Longitudinal Clinical Experience
- Yale Institute for Global Health
- Midwifery Practice



Yale Interprofessional Longitudinal Clinical Experience

Nursing, Medicine, Physician Associate's students & faculty

- Macy funding originally. 1 year, teams for clinical & experiential
- Demonstrated outcomes in empathy scores
- Lessons learned in designing IPE work (Fahs et al. 2017):
 - pilot, evaluate and refine projects;
 - create formal interprofessional organizational structure;
 - involve faculty who are passionate ambassadors for IPE;
 - procure & maintain financial support;
 - recognize power struggles & bias;
 - overcome logistics to realize common goals, secure clinical sites & prepare IPE coaches;
 - expect there will always be another hurdle;
 - do not go it alone; recruit experts;
 - recognize role differentiation & similarities;
 - be aware of fragility of students & faculty;
 - collect data to assess, evaluate, improve & gain buy-in



Yale Institute for Global Health



- Nursing, Medicine, Public Health co-founded
 - **Mission: to improve and accelerate health and health equity for people worldwide through high impact research, education, service, and advocacy**
 - Focus faculty across the university & with partners worldwide around NCDs, MCH, health systems, planetary health
 - First Director Dr. Omer
 - \$10 million innovation funding from RMZ Foundation, India



Yale Midwifery Practice/Program

- Yale School of Nursing: oldest continuous midwifery practice in United States
 - Varney textbook
 - Lancet report 2014 – midwifery education has same return on investment as vaccination
 - In the old days, collaboration was not easy!
- Midwifery practice model a few years ago was losing money
- Shifted the faculty model in collaboration with the School of Medicine Dept. of Obstetrics
 - Great growth, pt satisfaction, collaboration
 - Repro endocrine unit coming to our School's campus
- Global Online Midwifery Certificate
 - Partnering with Makerere/Uganda; China module next

