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The Illinois Nurses Association Earns National Nursing CE Accreditation

Chicago, IL-Illinois Nurses Association has received national accreditation as an Approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC).

"ANCC accreditation is a positive move forward in the nursing professional development and continuing education market," says Pam Robbins, INA president. "It simply recognizes the excellent instruction provided to our nurses each day and reflects our commitment to nurses of providing the highest quality continuing education possible."

The American Nurses Credentialing Center's system for accreditation of continuing nursing education is a voluntary peer-reviewed accreditation process. An institution, organization, agency, or entity submits to an in-depth analysis of their continuing nursing education program to determine the capacity of the organization to approve quality continuing education activities for nurses. Illinois Nurses Association's ANCC accreditation status, which includes annual reviews, is valid for six years.

ANCC is the largest and most prominent nurse credentialing organization in the United States.

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The Illinois Nurses Association (INA), a constituent member of the American Nurses Association, and is the largest professional nursing organization in Illinois. INA is dedicated to advancing the nursing profession by fostering high standards of nursing practice, promoting the economic and general welfare of nurses in the workplace, projecting a positive and realistic view of nursing, and by lobbying the legislature and regulatory agencies on healthcare issues affecting nurses and the public.