Schools of Nursing Innovation Resources

We invite you to let us know if your program is doing innovation work – innovation@ana.org

Arizona State University
Clemson University
Drexel University
Duke University
Johns Hopkins University
Ohio State University
University of Connecticut
University of Michigan
University of Minnesota
University of North Carolina
University of Pennsylvania
Online Master of Healthcare Innovation

- This healthcare management degree helps you take on important roles in a rapidly changing industry. In this program, you will take a multidisciplinary approach to health care, including studying change theory, leadership, entrepreneurship, technology and system design.

Nursing and Healthcare Innovation, PhD

- This PhD degree program in nursing and health care innovation helps address a national need for faculty and researchers, positions which are increasingly in short supply.

Advanced Practice DNP Innovation Leadership

- This concentration is directed toward professional nurses who seek the scholarship, skills and capacity to lead effective change in systems, organizations and practice environments, using innovation theories and methodologies as the frame for their leadership practice. The focus is on improving health care through facilitating a culture of best practice and providing skills necessary to develop advanced practice nursing leaders for the future.
Certificate for Leadership & Innovation in Health + Design

- The School of Nursing has joined forces with the Graduate Program in Architecture + Health to develop a certificate program for health and design professionals in the art and science of healthcare design.
Nurse Innovation and Entrepreneurship Certificate Program

- In partnership with SONSIEL (Society of Nurse Scientists, Innovators, Entrepreneurs, & Leaders), this program will focus on introducing participants to the principles and actions used for new product and service commercialization/innovation that happens both inside existing organizations as well as through the creation of startup ventures.

- Participants will learn how to cultivate a new idea, how to test your most critical assumptions, how to find and speak with prospective customers and partners, and how to rapidly iterate ideas based on real customer feedback.
Duke University School of Nursing

Duke Institute for Health Innovation

• The Duke Institute for Health Innovation (DIHI) enables transformative innovation in health and health care by catalyzing multidisciplinary teamwork across Duke University and Duke Health.

Healthcare Innovation Conference: The Inventor’s Journey

• Duke University School of Nursing and the North Carolina Biotechnology Center are teaming up to present a new Healthcare Innovation Conference

Health Innovation Lab

• A Place to try out and improve health technology ideas and innovations
Center for Community Innovation and Scholarship
- The vision of the Center for Community Innovation and Scholarship (CCIAS) is to create a sustainable model for promoting the well-being of underserved populations in Baltimore.

Office of Educational Quality & Innovation
- The Office of Educational Quality and Innovation provides mentorship, recognition, career growth, and skills development in teaching and educational scholarship to faculty and staff committed to innovation and excellence in health professions education.

Nursing Innovation Award
- Established in 2016 to recognize nurses for developing implementable and innovative initiatives that improve the quality of patient care and benefits the hospitals.

Office for Science & Innovation
- The Office for Science and Innovation, has encouraged leadership for nursing research within the School, University, community and profession, and facilitates excellence in nursing research.
Ohio State University College of Nursing

The Innovation Studio
• The Innovation Studio exists to foster interprofessional collaboration in creating healthcare solutions.

Masters of Healthcare Innovation
• Open to students with any undergraduate degree, the MHI online program will prepare you to innovate and address change in the healthcare industry as a leader, administrator, or practitioner.
Healthcare Innovation Online Graduate Certificate Program

- A 12 credit (4 course) online program that brings together nurses and healthcare professionals who share a common goal of developing solutions and introducing positive change to the healthcare industry.

Healthcare & Nursing Innovation Curriculum within Core Programs (BS, CEIN, MS, DNP, PhD)

- Innovation is a core value of the University of Connecticut and the School of Nursing. Every nursing student is educated on healthcare and nursing innovation within their core program curriculum. All students can pursue an idea for innovation development with mentored guidance.

Innovation & Entrepreneurship Grants and Accelerator Programs

- UCONN offers several programs that support innovation development across all stages – from seed funding to venture development and commercialization.

The Technology Innovation Fellows & Commercialization Services Programs

- Pairs students with on-campus UCONN Affiliated startup companies for mentored research internships and fellowships in Business or STEM areas.

Peter J. Werth Institute for Entrepreneurship and Innovation

- An interdisciplinary approach to entrepreneurship and innovation that is inclusive of existing and new programs. Facilitated opportunities for all students while continually driving to promote UCONN’s academic, co-curricular, and extracurricular programs.
Hillman Scholars Program

- The Hillman Scholars Program in Nursing Innovation is designed to produce the next generation of nurse researchers who will lead the realignment of health care to become more effective, patient-centered, accessible, equitable, and affordable.

Leadership, Analytics and Innovation

- Achieve improved outcomes in quality, safety and effectiveness of care delivery by using value-based and data-driven approaches.

Healthcare Innovation Impact Program (HiiP)

- Healthcare Innovation Impact Program (HiiP) is a suite of health care innovation support and engagement services at the U-M School of Nursing dedicated to empowering innovation to create impactful improvement in health care delivery.
Health Innovation and Leadership – DNP

This DNP program specialty prepares students to be full interprofessional partners, to create innovative healing environments and to transform health care systems locally, nationally and internationally. Roles range from leading in formal executive positions to leadership at point-of-care delivery, from acute care to community care, from leading individual quality and safety programs to national and international health care initiatives.
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Amplify Nursing Podcast

• Our Amplify Nursing guests defy stereotypes, define practice, and disrupt convention. We highlight the breadth and depth of nursing influence on society by amplifying nurses who are pushing boundaries and breaking down barriers to build a new paradigm.

Innovation Accelerator

• The Innovation Accelerator provides funding to assist Penn Nursing students and faculty with the creation and testing of early-stage solutions to improve health and health care outcomes with a priority on populations of greatest need.

Nursing Story Slam

• The Nursing Story Slam brings together nurse storytellers from Penn Nursing and Penn Medicine to share their true, personal stories that explore the breadth, depth, and diversity of nursing.

Design Thinking for Health

• The new open-source curriculum may be used or adapted by any nurse or nursing program to support nursing-driven innovation.

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