

Alabama Association of School Nurses

Strategic Plan 2021-2024



VISION

The AASN Vision is to improve the health and education outcomes of students by strengthening the practices of the professional school nurse.

MISSION

The AASN Mission is to support school nurses by providing quality educational opportunities which foster student growth, development and academic achievement; and promote the delivery of quality health care in schools.

Excellence

Ethics

Health

Integrity

Diversity,
Equity, &
Inclusion

Advocates

Leadership

Innovation

CORE VALUES

GOAL 1 – Empower school nursing practice and advancement of the school nurse profession.

- Engage school nurses in NASN's 21st Century Practice.
- Develop and promote educational opportunities.
- Encourage membership/active participation in AASN/NASN and related organizations.
- Recognize and promote excellence in school nursing practice.
- Promote and advance the National School Health Data Set: Every Student Counts!
- Utilize evidence-based school health practice and share innovative ideas to support student success.

GOAL 2- Foster partnerships with those who actively promote healthy schools and school nurses.

- Utilize the AASN website & Facebook to provide information, in correlation to the ALSDE, that is helpful to the school nurse in the delivery of health care to students.
- Secure strategic partnerships to enhance student health/education and school nursing practice.
- Encourage school nurses to collaborate with their local educational association (LEA) to foster optimal school health.
- Support shared leadership by pursuing health, education, and social equity for all students.

Goal 3- Actively participate in the legislative process advocating for increased school health services for students in Alabama.

- Inform school nurses of legislature pertaining to school health via AASN website, email, social media and continuing education events.
- Encourage school nurses to contact their legislative representatives concerning upcoming legislation related to school health.
- Collaborate with other professional organizations with similar legislative interests related to school health.
- Maintain and strengthen relationships with state legislators by educating leaders on issues related to school health in the promotion of successful student outcomes.



OBJECTIVES