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## NDHA's 2024 Daisy Nurse Leader Award Nominations

The NDHA DAISY Nurse Leader Award was established to recognize and honor nurses who demonstrate exceptional leadership that aligns with the mission and values of the North Dakota Hospital Association.

In collaboration with the North Dakota Nurses Association, NDHA is now accepting nominations for the 2024 NDHA DAISY Nurse Leader Award and will announce the winner of the NDHA DAISY Nurse Leader Award at the NDHA Leadership Conference held on April 22-23, 2024, at the Baymont Inn & Suites, Mandan, ND.

**Deadline for nomination submissions is 3/1/24.** Please review the linked [criteria](#) prior to submitting and use this link to complete the nomination form:  
<https://forms.office.com/r/A59xXABeYz>.

## **Exciting Opportunity to Join the North Dakota Zero Suicide Community of Practice**

Looking for results? Apply to join the 2024-2025 North Dakota Zero Suicide Community of Practice! Work with an expert team to learn about Zero Suicide, the leading suicide prevention model for health care settings. Don't miss this chance to join healthcare settings across North Dakota to share knowledge and build enthusiasm for bringing Zero Suicide to your organization!

See flyer [here](#).

Click [here](#) to apply.

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## **HRSA Launches Enhancing Maternal Health Initiative**

On January 25, HRSA Administrator Carole Johnson was joined by Representative Lauren Underwood of Illinois, co-chair of the Black Maternal Health Caucus, to launch a year-long Enhancing Maternal Health Initiative at a kick-off event in Washington, DC. The initiative will strengthen, expand, and accelerate HRSA's work in partnership with mothers, grantees, community organizations, and state and local health officials across the country to address maternal mortality and maternal health disparities.

[Read the entire news release.](#)

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## **Transforming Maternal Health (TMaH) Model Overview Webinar**

**February 28, 2024 | Noon CT**

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) will host a Transforming Maternal Health (TMaH) Model Overview webinar at 1:00 PM ET on Wednesday, February 28, 2024. TMaH aims to improve maternal health care by partnering with state Medicaid agencies to develop a whole-person approach to pregnancy, childbirth, and postpartum care that addresses the physical health, mental health, and social needs experienced during pregnancy. State Medicaid agencies and other interested stakeholders such as maternity care providers and managed care plans, are encouraged to attend the webinar to learn more about the TMaH Model's structure, care delivery transformations, and resources available to participants.

[Please register for the event using the link here.](#)

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## **CMS Creates New Prescription Drug Resource Hub**

Last week, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) launched a new resource to get the word out about the agency's efforts to reduce costs through Medicare drug price negotiation and other measures brought by the Inflation Reduction Act. The site explains a new \$35 insulin cap and other savings, inflation rebates, health care cost savings by state, and other sharable details in fact sheets, social media messaging, and videos that explain the changes.

[Read more here.](#)

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## **NDHA Education Calendar**

All times listed are Central time.

### **OSHA Hospital-Based First Receiver Training**

Limited to 30 spots at each location to sign up sooner than later!

#### **Dates:**

- Bismarck – February 27 – CHI St. Alexius
- Minot – February 28 – Trinity Health
- Jamestown – March 5 – Jamestown Regional Medical Center
- Dickinson – March 7 – CHI St. Alexius
- Hazen – March 26 – Sakakawea Medical Center
- Grand Forks – April 10 – Altru Health

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### **2024 Nurse Leadership Webinar Series**

#### **Dates:**

1/25/24: Finance 101 for the Non-Financial Leader (recording)

2/22/24: Keys to FMLA & ADA Compliance

3/25/24: Mentor's Supercharge

5/6/24: NDHA Legislative Update & Advocacy 101

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- *Webinars are recorded so you can sign up any time and receive the link to any webinars you may have missed!*

## February, 2024

### How to Appeal Insurance Claim Denials: Navigating the Maze

Date: 2/21/24 | From: 9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

- [View description](#)

### Analyzing Performance Issues

Date: 2/22/24 | From 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

- [View description](#)

### Scout to See Ahead of the Game: Act Today to Create Tomorrow

Date: 2/29/24 | From: 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

- [View description](#)
- *This webinar is presented by Doug Morse, a former rural hospital CEO, network system executive and lifelong rural health care zealot. He is a highly requested speaker!*

## March, 2024

### Empowering Rural Care: Dynamic Staffing Solutions and Retention

Date: 3/19/24 | From: Noon - 1:00 p.m. **FREE for NDHA Members Only**

- [View description](#)

## April, 2024

### 2024 Credentialing and Privileging Webinar Series with Kathy Matzka

**Dates:** Various | From: 10:30 a.m. - Noon

- [View description](#)
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