

world federation for primary care & community nursing (WFPCN)

DEVELOPMENT PROPOSAL

Organisation Contact

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Quarter 1: Foundation and Stakeholder Engagement

Objective: Establish secretariat infrastructure and build stakeholder networks

- 1. Secretariat Setup
 - Finalise the federation's governance structure (board, committees, and working groups)
 - Launch initial communication channels (website, newsletter, and social media presence)
- 2. Stakeholder Mapping
- Identify and map stakeholders, including national nursing associations, healthcare organisations, academic institutions, and policymakers
- 3. Key Partnerships
 - Establish partnerships with relevant global health organisations
 - Engage government bodies
- 4. Strategic Planning:
 - Commence development of the inaugural program of work, outlining priority areas

Quarter 2: Capacity Building and Advocacy

Objective: Strengthen capacity for primary care nursing and advocate for its role in global health

- 1. Capacity-Building Initiatives
- Identify existing learning opportunities and any gaps that could be developed as modules on primary care nursing leadership, cultural competence, and evidence-based practice.
- 2. Advocacy Campaigns
 - Identify existing advocacy campaigns and opportunities for alignment
 - Advocate at international forums (e.g., World Health Assembly) for increased investment in primary care nursing
- 4. Community Engagement and Regional Representation
- Document a plan to ensure engagement and equity of access for membership and members across regions

Quarter 3: Research and Innovation

Objective: Foster a global evidence base for primary care nursing practices

- 1. Global Research Agenda
 - Draft a global research agenda for primary care and community nursing
- 2. Data Collection and Benchmarking:
 - Begin designing data collection on workforce demographics, education levels, and nursing practice standards in primary care
 - Design a benchmarking report on the state of community nursing globally

Quarter 4: Evaluation and Global Summit

Objective: Set the stage for continued growth

- 1. Evaluation of Progress:
 - Develop a forward plan for monitoring and evaluation
- 2. Global Primary Care Nursing Summit:
 - Develop the first global summit to share best practices, discuss challenges, and showcase innovative projects
 - Present awards for outstanding contributions to primary care nursing
- 3. Policy Recommendations:
- Invite contributions for a peer reviewed series, with policy recommendations, for strengthening primary care and community nursing worldwide
- 4. Looking Ahead:
 - Refine the next year's work plan based on lessons learned
 - Expand membership and deepen partnerships with regional and international health organisations.