

Commitment Statement by the National Academies of Practice on Clinician Well-Being and Resilience

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The National Academies of Practice (NAP) is a non-profit organization founded in 1981 to advise governmental bodies on our healthcare system. Distinguished practitioners and scholars are elected by their peers from fourteen different health professions to join the oldest interprofessional group of healthcare practitioners and scholars dedicated to supporting affordable, accessible, coordinated quality healthcare for all.

We believe that healthcare practice that has an interprofessional foundation and addresses the whole person provides better health and preventive care. We also believe that to deliver care for the whole person, clinicians need to care for themselves. NAP's Vision is to lead and exemplify interprofessional healthcare that promotes and preserves health and well-being.

NAP membership consists of distinguished fellows as scholars, practitioners, and public policy advocates as well as professional and associate memberships committed to advancing collaborative practice in the nation's health system. With a new Professional Development Committee, NAP sponsors an annual forum, plans on hosting continuing education offerings, and commits to providing member professional development raising the awareness of clinician burnout, promoting personal health and well-being, and seeking recommendations from its members to address the issue.

With a focus on advocacy, NAP supports putting national attention on clinician well-being and calls us to support each other as interprofessional partners to create healthy and thriving work environments in both academia and practice settings.

NAP is committed in our support of the National Academy of Medicine's Action Collaborative on Clinician Well-Being and Resilience. We look forward to working with many interprofessional colleagues who are committed to making the healthcare workforce as healthy as possible for the benefit of those we serve.

Distinguished interprofessional advisors to health care policy makers