

Commitment Statement by the National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners to the NAM Action Collaborative on Clinician Well-Being and Resilience

The National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners (NAPNAP) is the professional association for pediatric nurse practitioners (PNPs) and their fellow pediatric-focused advanced practice registered nurses (APRNs). NAPNAP is committed to supporting the health and wellbeing of clinicians through education, networking, advocacy, research and support of clinical practice innovation and excellence. Established in 1973, NAPNAP takes pride in serving as the national organization dedicated to improving the quality of health care for infants, children and adolescents, and to advancing the APRN's role in providing that care. Our mission is to empower pediatric-focused advanced practice registered nurses and key partners to optimize child and family health. We provide resources and tools that promote resiliency, clinician wellbeing and a network of peer support that enhances the service of exceptional APRNs who work with youth and their families in a variety of pediatric clinical settings across the United States. Our membership, more than 8,000 strong, includes national childcare experts, respected authors, distinguished faculty and practicing professionals. We represent many facets of pediatric health care delivery, including primary and acute care PNPs, family nurse practitioners, school nurse practitioners, neonatal nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, pediatric nurse consultants, pediatric nurses, PNP faculty and students. We work nationally, locally and within special interest groups to provide education, evidence-based practice tools, advocacy and networking.

The association has and will continue to commit to increase provider wellness and resilience in the following manner:

Member Outreach

- Promote awareness of the NAM Action Collaborative to our members on our website and through our electronic communications and social media.
- Share materials related to clinician well-being to our members through our member communication channels.
- Promote our recent NAPNAP Facebook Live session on <u>provider wellbeing and</u> resiliency.
- Provide and promote continuing education to our members and non-members online through PedsCESM course: Mindfullness for Self Care.

The National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners, the first nurse practitioner society in the world, has been advocating for members and children since 1973. As we actively work to improve the quality of care for youth, we also look forward to working with the NAM collaborative to ensure the pediatric-focused workforce, whose pipeline of providers is vital to the future of our nation and the world, remains strong, healthy and resilient.