

## Media Alert

### **Kathleen G. Burke Named Editor-in-Chief of *Journal for Nurses in Professional Development***

#### **What:**

*Journal for Nurses in Professional Development (JNPD)*, published in the Lippincott portfolio by [Wolters Kluwer](#), has appointed Kathleen G. Burke PhD, RN-BC, CENP, FAAN as Editor-in-Chief, effective January 2019.

“I am excited and honored to be the new Editor-in-Chief. My editorial vision for the journal builds on its legacy as the key resource for our profession. I envision the journal as the premier scholarly voice for an evidence based agenda for nursing professional development practitioners. I look forward to working with our Editorial Board, publisher and all of our current and future authors as we continue to strive towards excellence!”

#### **Who:**

Dr. Burke, PhD, RN-BC, CENP, FAAN is the corporate director of nursing professional development and innovation and the Co-Director for Continuing Interprofessional Education for the University of Pennsylvania Health System. She is also an Advanced Senior Lecturer within Penn’s School of Nursing and a Senior Fellow of Penn’s Leonard David Institute of Health Economics. Under her leadership, Dr. Burke created a systemwide CCNE accredited nurse residency program. She also launched The Distinguished Nurse Clinician Academy in 2016.

Dr. Burke continues to generate research and create innovative ways and best practices for educating nurses in a practice setting.

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#### **About *Journal for Nurses in Professional Development***

*Journal for Nurses in Professional Development (JNPD)* is a specialized source of information for professional staff development and patient educators in all healthcare settings and publishes six issues a year. The journal provides educators with information on planning, implementing, and evaluating educational activities; administration of professional development departments; research in the specialty; technological or other innovations; and issues in professional development and patient education that may influence the field.

Original articles focus on issues affecting professional staff development in hospitals and other healthcare facilities as well as the latest innovations in education, research, and technology; educating nursing and other hospital staff; competence assessment; developing, implementing, and evaluating program effectiveness; and computer-aided instruction. Continuing education contact hours are available in each issue.

*JNPD* is a member benefit of the [Association for Nursing Professional Development](#) (ANPD).

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