

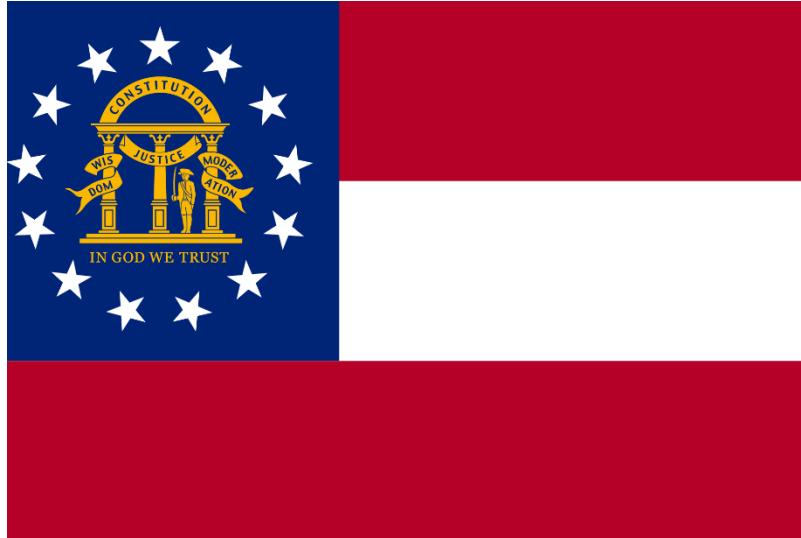


## Mission, Vision and Values

**Our Mission:** Empowering Georgia nurses to lead change and improve health.

**Our Vision:** To be the prominent association in Georgia transforming health through advancing the practice and profession of nursing.

**Our Values:** GNA L.E.A.D.S. through: Leadership / Excellence / Advocacy / Diversity / Service



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## Nursing in Georgia

- 167,000 Licensed Registered Nurses
- 6,700 RN job openings
- Ranked 4<sup>th</sup> worst Nursing shortage of 50 States



## Primary Focus

- Legislative Advocacy
- Continuing Education
- Mentorship Programs
- Leadership Development



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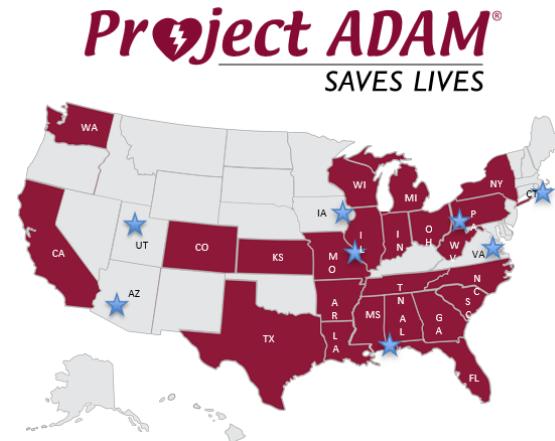
# Project ADAM

A National Initiative to Prevent  
Sudden Death in the Young and  
Create Heart Safe Communities

- October 12,13 2021

**Project ADAM®**  
SAVES LIVES

 **ESC**  
European Society  
of Cardiology



**30**

ESTABLISHED PROGRAMS

**23**

STATES



*USA In Progress Sites  
Canada In Progress Site; Alberta, Canada*

*July 2021*

# Mission & objectives

## Mission:

Project ADAM saves lives by empowering schools and communities to be prepared for a sudden cardiac arrest.

## Vision:

Eradicate sudden cardiac death through school and community prevention.

## Values:

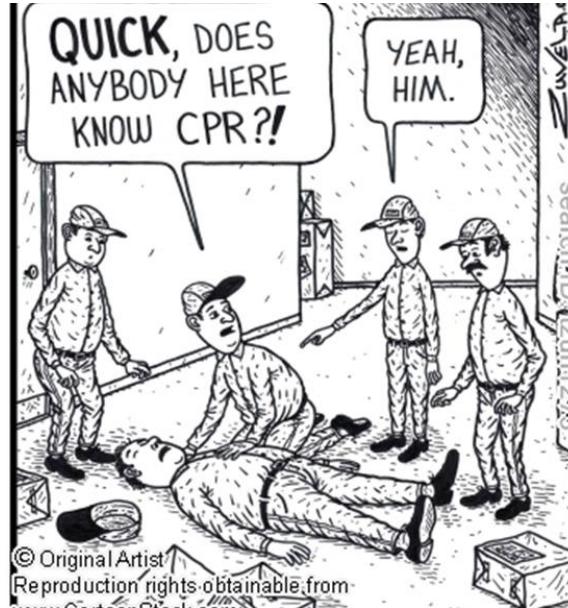
Heart Safe Schools and Communities  
Advocacy  
Education  
Research

# Main activities



- Work with School Nurses
- Pediatricians
- Athletic leagues
- School administration
- Coaches
- Organizations with Similar Mission

## Conferences & Events



Project ADAM National Affiliate  
Meeting

Citizen CPR Foundation Survivor  
Summit *Heart Safe Schools*  
*Workshop December 7, 2021 San*  
*Diego, California*

Sudden Arrhythmia Death  
Syndrome (SADS) International  
Conference

Parent Heart Watch National  
Meeting January 15-17, 2022

# Challenges & Barriers Among our Nursing Community

- Out-of-hospital (OOH) cardiac arrest survival rates in America < 8 percent
- 350,000 OOH cardiac arrests every year
- Less than 3 percent of the US population trained in CPR/AED
- Disparities in training and outcomes based on socio-economics, race and gender
- Financial impact of lost life and futile hospitalizations

# Involvement with ACNAP



## **Key areas to develop for the nursing community**

Please consider an international collaboration with  
Project ADAM

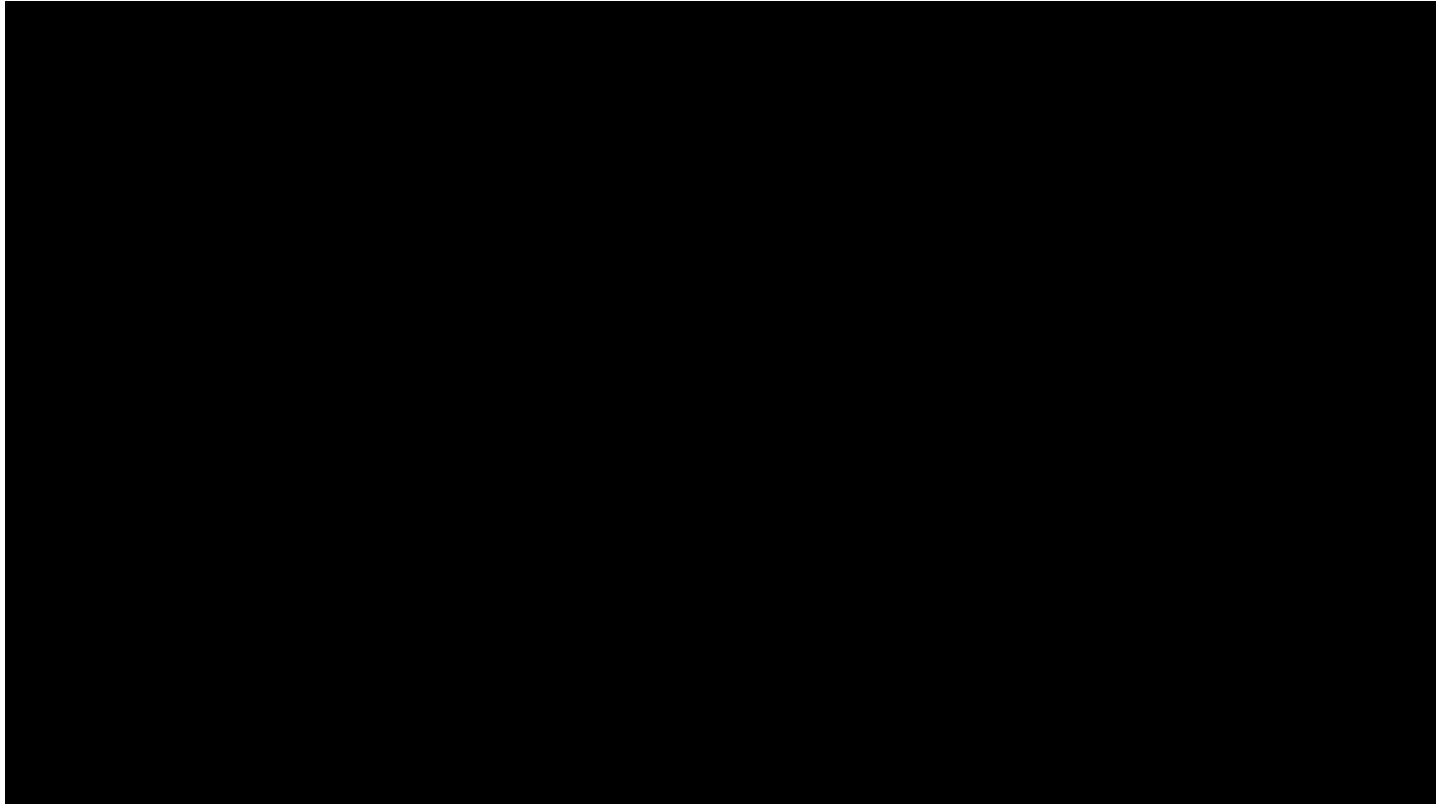
Provide ESC/ACNAP best practices with America  
and Project ADAM

Develop a Heart Safe School Program with your  
organization

# Video



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