

GSRMC Professional Nursing Care Committee

September 25th, 2013

Members present: Pam Gordon, Cindy Lathrom, Sue Kobold, and Heidi White

Co-chairs: Pam Gordon and Cindy Lathrom

Recorder: Heidi White

- A. Pam presented information regarding the ONA PNCC leadership dinner in Eugene. They are planning to honor Sue Riley and Kathy Weldon for their outstanding service to PNCC and are inviting their family members to attend the dinner.
- B. Unsafe staffing: talking about how ONA should respond to the people who fill out the unsafe staffing reports. They currently send out a postcard in the mail, but are considering making a phone call to the person instead. This way, the person who filled out the report can add things they may have forgotten at the time. We feel that a phone call is more personal and lets the nurses know that ONA does care and is paying attention to the reports that we send in.
- C. We are trying to come up with a new response template for our unsafe staffing reports that will have the managers answer specific questions instead of just sending back a general response. This will also be sent back to the nurse(s) who filled out the report so they can see what the response was. We are also going to make our unsafe staffing forms more clear on who to call in administration and where to document it in an unsafe staffing crisis.
- D. Next meeting will be October 9th in Conference Room B.

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