NATIONAL EMERGENCY NURSES ASSOCIATION



Committee	Nursing Research
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STATUS & ROLE

The NENA Research Committee will be responsible to liaise with universities, colleges, professional associations, members and colleagues, to establish a research information resource for current Canadian emergency nursing practice.

The committee will also be responsible for recruiting on behalf of NENA, written applications for financial assistance toward research related to current Canadian emergency nursing practice issues.

COMPOSITION

The committee will be appointed by the NENA Board of Directors (BOD), and will be comprised of 3 NENA members, including at least 1 member from the BOD.

The chairperson will be chosen from within the committee.

Appointed members shall serve for two years and may be reappointed for two successive 2-year terms.

FUNCTIONS

To facilitate national surveys related to the gathering of research data within the national membership.

To liaise with universities, colleges and professional associations regarding current practice issues.

To establish and maintain a current database of research links on the NENA website.

To present current research data to the NENA BOD for possible inclusion in new or revised professional documents in the future.

MODE OF OPERATIONS

The committee will meet twice each year, and more frequently as required, in the most economical fashion through conference calls, e-mail or other established forms of communication.

CHAIRPERSON JOB DESCRIPTION

Ensures that all written reports are submitted to the NENA Secretary a minimum of 4 weeks prior to each BOD meeting, for circulation to the BOD.

The Committee Chair will present a report at each BOD meeting.