



ALASKA NATIVE  
MEDICAL CENTER



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Dear Governor Dunleavy,

As the Chief Nurse Executive at Alaska Native Medical Center, I would like to recommend Wendy Monrad, MSN, BSN, CRNA as a member of the Alaska Board of Nursing. Wendy has been nationally certified as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse since 1999. She has practiced as a Nurse Anesthetist in Alaska since May of 2005 and primarily at Alaska Native Medical Center since June 2005.

Wendy is an excellent role model for all nurses as an Advanced Practice Nurse and expert in nursing practice here at the Alaska Native Medical Center. In her role she developed and led the Nurse Administered Propofol use in the Endoscopy Suites and the use of Nitrous Oxide in Obstetrical Pain Control program.

In addition, Wendy was one of the founding members of the Alaska Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN) Alliance group formed in 2016 and worked with the committee to rewrite the 2017 APRN regulations for the Board of Nursing.

Sincerely,

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