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The Florida Board of Nursing is honored to be part of the Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC). Our multistate licensees enjoy the opportunity the easily work across state lines, especially those who live close to our border states. Likewise, multistate licensees in our border states are also equally positioned to work in the state of Florida.

As we work towards the goal of a Compact nation, we encourage other states and territories to carefully consider the advantages of the NLC. A mobile nursing workforce is a benefit to us all.

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