



*Our Mission
To develop, support, and
advocate for nurse leaders
as they enhance the delivery
of health care.*

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About KONL

Our vision is to be an engaged community of nursing leaders with one voice of advancing health in the Commonwealth.

2021 Key Priorities:

Foster the development of Nurse Leaders

Promote the value of nursing

Improve the value and engagement of membership

Provide leadership that enhances the Nursing profession

Promote a culture of safety and quality in health care

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Upcoming Events

2021 District Meetings: Notification per District Directors

KNA Press Conference

A press conference held on October 22, 2021 by the Kentucky Nurses Association (KNA) addressed the Nursing Shortage.

The KNA covered nursing shortage exacerbated by COVID-19 during the press conference. Also, the KNA released the results of a statewide “Survey of Kentucky Nurses”.

The press conference can be accessed by putting the below link in your browser:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8BIj8-1rdlQ&t=21s>



Happy Thanksgiving



Thanksgiving is a time of reflection for all our blessings. Your dedication to those we serve counts for so much. Sending good wishes to you this Thanksgiving. Good food that fills your table, good health as you work hard, and good times with family and friends. Have a safe and joyous Thanksgiving!

2021 KONL Board Members

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| President | Michelle Pendleton |
| Past President | Kristin Pickerell |
| President-Elect | Election Fall 2021 |
| Secretary | Kelly Jenkins |
| Treasurer | Cathy Stewart |
| Information Officer | Shannon Long |

2021 Committee Chairs

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|--------------------|----------------------------|
| Bylaws Chair | Michelle Pendleton |
| Scholarship Chair | Shannon Long |
| Membership Chair | Lynne Warner Lynn |
| Program Chair | Annie Payne, Deanna Parker |
| Nominations Chair | Kristin Pickerell |
| Legislative Chair | Michelle Pendleton |
| KHA Representative | Deborah Campbell |
| KBN Representative | Mandi Walker |

2021 District Directors

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|----------------------|-----------------|
| Bluegrass District | Brandy Mathews |
| Cumberland District | Judy Ponder |
| Ohio Valley District | Joann Mattingly |
| Twin Lakes District | Alysia Adams |

Want to join KONL but not sure of your KONL district? The map below outlines the 4 regions

We welcome you to join so please visit the KONL website at
<http://kyonl.com/members/contact-us/>

or contact

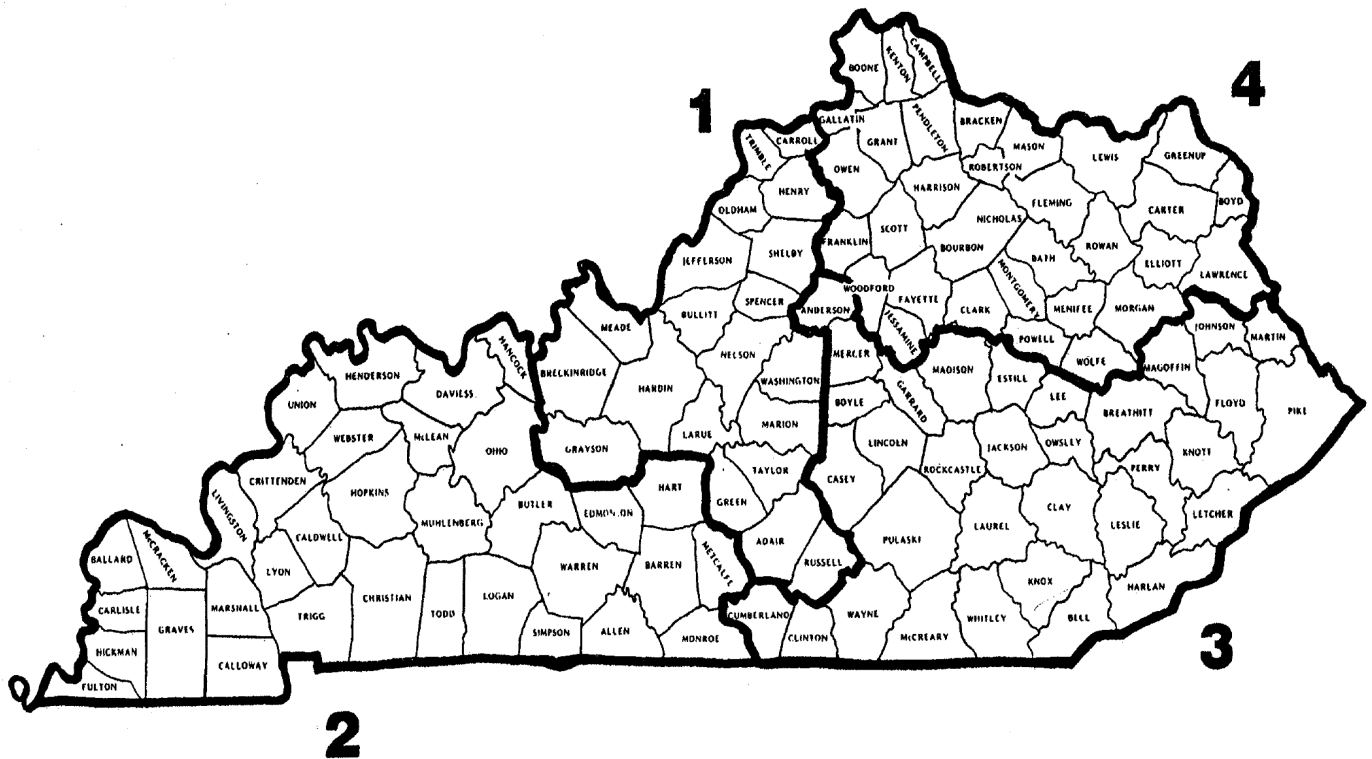
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Annual dues are \$60.00 and membership can occur throughout the year.
The process can be completed online or by paper application.

Kentucky Hospital Association

Region Boundaries



Legend: 1. Ohio Valley Hospital Region
2. Twin Lakes Hospital Region

3. Cumberland Hospital Region
4. Blue Grass Hospital Region