

Student Nurses Political Action Day



American Nurses Association Illinois

March 24, 2026

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| 7:30 am – 8 am | ARRIVAL TIME |
| 8:00 am – 9:30 am | EXHIBIT HALL <i>Poster contest Door Prize Sign Up</i> Theme: Every Community. Every Voice. Equal Care. |
| 9:30 am – 9:45 am | WELCOME W. Zeh Wellington DNP RN, NE-BC, ANA-Illinois President INTRODUCTIONS ANA-Illinois Board, PAC Board, ANA-Illinois volunteers, SNAI Board |
| 9:45 am – 11:15 am | KEYNOTE SESSION Dr. Katie Boston-Leary, PhD, MBA, RN, NEA-BC, FADLN, FAONL, Senior Vice President of Equity and Engagement |
| 11:15 am – 11:45 am | SNAI & THE RESOLUTION PROCESS |
| 11:45 am – 12:00 pm | ROLL-CALL OF SCHOOL |
| 12:00 pm -1:00 pm | LUNCH – Box Lunch & Visit Exhibitors |
| 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm | Hot Topics: What’s Happening in the 104th General Assembly <i>This session will include an update from the ANA-Illinois Executive Director & Lobbyist on important bills and issues are being addressed during the 2026 Legislative Session.</i> Debbie Broadfield, Lobbyist Susan Y Swart, Executive Director |
| 2:00 pm – 2:30 pm | DOOR PRIZES, & POSTER CONTEST WINNERS ANNOUNCED |
| 2:30 pm | CLOSING & EVALUATIONS |
| 2:45 pm | STUDENT NURSES’ MARCH TO THE CAPITOL |
| 3:00 pm | RALLY AT THE CAPITOL |

Location – BOS Convention Center, Springfield, IL

