Background

- 2008 Consensus Model for APRN Regulation: Licensure, Accreditation, Certification & Education
  - Uniform model for regulation of APRNs
  - Advanced Practice Nursing Consensus Work Group & the National Council of State Boards of Nursing
  - Endorsed by 48 professional nursing organizations
Essential Elements

- Licensure
- Accreditation
- Certification
- Education
Consensus Model Implementation Status
This map is an overview of each state’s consensus model implementation status.
APRN Licensure Requirements

- Current Minnesota RN license
- Unencumbered RN license with no active action in any state or jurisdiction
- Completion a graduate level APRN program in one of 4 roles and of 6 populations
- Current certification from a national nursing certification organization acceptable to the board
- Licensees will hold both RN and APRN license
Grandfather Provision

- License will be issued to an applicant who does not meet educational requirements and who was recognized by the board to practice as an APRN in Minnesota on July 1, 2014

OR

- Applicant may be eligible if currently appropriately certified and in compliance with the educational requirements in effect in Minnesota at the time of graduation
4 APRN Roles

- Certified Clinical Nurse Specialist
- Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist
- Certified Nurse Midwife
- Certified Nurse Practitioner
6 Populations

- Family & Individual Across the Lifespan
- Adult-Gerontology
- Neonatal
- Pediatrics
- Women’s & Gender-Related
- Psychiatric and Mental Health
Clinical Nurse Specialist and Certified Nurse Practitioner only

- 2080 hours of practice within the context of a collaborative agreement, within a hospital or integrated clinical setting where APRNs and physicians practice together
- Collaborative agreement and verification of completion may be with a licensed Minnesota APRN or physician
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist may perform non-surgical pain management of acute and chronic pain symptoms

- Upon referral and in collaboration with a licensed Minnesota physician. The CRNA must perform the therapies at the same licensed health care facility as the physician.

- For the purposes of performing non-surgical therapies for chronic pain symptoms with a written prescribing agreement with a licensed Minnesota physician.
Credentials

- APRN, CNP
- APRN, CNS
- APRN, CRNA
- APRN, CNM
APRN Advisory Council

- 7 members
- 4 APRNs, 2 physicians, 1 public member
- Meetings quarterly and open to the public
- Advise the Board on APRN licensure, practice standards, emerging practice trends, aggregate prescribing trends, related issues, and overlap of scope of practice with medicine
APRN Applications for Licensure Received and Licenses Issued by week
October 2014 - February 2015

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Applications for APRN Licensure

- Metro: 47%
- Northwest: 9%
- Northeast: 3%
- West Central: 3%
- Central: 7%
- Southwest: 2%
- Southern: 2%
- Border states: 8%
- Other: 2%

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Total APRNs Licensed

- Licenses issued (5-15-15) 6360
  - Number of CNP licenses issued: 3883
  - Number of CNS licenses issued: 459
  - Number of CRNA licenses issued: 1753
  - Number of CNM licenses issued: 265
- Last number of APRNs on registry ~6700
APRN Statistics

APRN Licenses Issued

- CNP: 3867
- CNS: 264
- CRNA: 1749
- CNM: 459

5/18/2015
CNP by Population Focus

- Adult-Gerontology: 1059
- Family and Individual: 1841
- Neonatal: 176
- Pediatric: 428
- Psychiatric/Mental Health: 187
- Women and Gender Related: 282

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APRN Statistics

CNPs with Post Graduate Practice
Complete

- Complete: 88%
- Not Complete: 12%

CNSs with Post Graduate Practice
Complete

- Complete: 97%
- Not Complete: 3%
CNP by Level of Education:
- 85% Dr of NP
- 12% Masters
- 3% Other

CNS by Level of Education:
- 94% Dr of NP
- 5% Masters
- 1% Other

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CRNAs by Level of Education

- 82% Masters
- 17% Other
- 1% Dr of NP

CNMs by Level of Education

- 87% Masters
- 9% Other
- 4% Dr of NP

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APRN Statistics

**CNP**s by business address

- Twin Cities: 17%
- Northwest: 7%
- Northeast: 7%
- West Central: 2%
- Central: 1%
- Southwest: 4%
- Southern: 3%
- Border states: 4%
- Other: 2%
- No Business Address: 2%

**CNS**s by business address

- Twin Cities: 24%
- Northwest: 7%
- Northeast: 3%
- West Central: 5%
- Central: 1%
- Southwest: 7%
- Southern: 7%
- Border states: 1%
- Other: 1%
- No Business Address: 1%

5/18/2015
CRNAs by business address

- Twin Cities: 21%
- Northwest: 7%
- Northeast: 3%
- West Central: 2%
- Central: 7%
- Southwest: 2%
- Southern: 6%
- Border states: 4%
- Other: 3%
- No Business Address: 1%

CNMs by business address

- Twin Cities: 62%
- Northwest: 4%
- Northeast: 3%
- West Central: 2%
- Central: 7%
- Southwest: 2%
- Southern: 6%
- Border states: 3%
- Other: 3%
- No Business Address: 1%

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APRN Statistics

CRNA Pain Management

- Hutchinson, 5
- Park Rapids, 3
- Thief River Falls, 3
- Slayton, 2
- Moose Lake, 2
- Morris, 1
- Wheaton, 1
- Willmar, 1

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Issues & Trends

- APRN Advisory Council
- Credentialing and privileging of APRNS
- Tele-health
- Family NP combined with Mental Health NP
- Nurse run clinics

5/18/2015
• April 63 new applications
• May 18 new applications
• Projected 30% increase in CNPs nationally between 2010-2020*

* Projecting the Supply and Demand for Primary Care practitioners Through 2020, November 2013, HRSA