

Janet DuBois
BIO for FNPB Presidency
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I am committed to advancing the NP profession in the state of Florida and have been an active participant in legislative activities through FNPB over the last 12 years. I currently serve on the Legislative Committee and have advocated for legislative change, working closely with legislators and our lobbyist to move NP legislation forward. I am prepared to lead the organization in its efforts to promote legislative change in Florida, including independent practice, global signature and controlled substance authority. I would also like to increase membership and exposure of the organization and work closely with the Florida Coalition for Advanced Nursing Practice as well as increase services for FNPB members.

I have been a family Nurse practitioner for over 19 years and have extensive practice experience in emergency care, rural health, retail health and family practice. I am an Assistant Clinical Professor at the University of Arizona (UA) in their online DNP program and I maintain a part time independent practice in Bradenton Florida. I am a Fellow of The American Association of Nurse Practitioners and served as Secretary for the organization, am a past Vice President of the Florida Nurse Practitioner Network and the President of the Manatee Area Council on Advanced Nursing Practice. I am also a Distinguished Practice Fellow of the National Academies of Practice, an interprofessional organization that advises national policy leaders and stakeholders on healthcare issues. I have been extensively involved in health policy and legislative activities and have held various leadership positions for most of my career.