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Dear Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner:

We Need Your Help!

ARNPs United of Washington (AUWS) invites you to become more actively involved in your professional organization through your financial contribution. **Contributing to AUWS is the best investment you can make for your present and future professional practice.** Through increased participation and financial contributions, you have the opportunity to:

- Vote for our board of directors
- Receive the state newsletter ARNP Care electronically
- Participate in our committees
- Contribute to the profession

The actions of AUWS benefit all the advanced practice nurses in the state of Washington. Our organization funds the lobbyist who represents all of us in Olympia. Representation is essential for monitoring and forwarding the interests of all ARNPs in state legislation.

Furthermore, **AUWS connects us with one another through ARNP Care, our newsletter, the AUWS website, and our new Facebook page which provide regular updates on important information.** These resources keep you informed of state and national developments relevant to our practice.

The efforts of AUWS have assisted in providing Washington State the broadest scope of practice in the country. We have full prescriptive authority. We can practice without a required collaborative practice agreement. **The Pearson Report rates Washington as A+ an exemplary state** in which to practice as a nurse practitioner¹.

We ask for your participation and financial contribution to become a sustaining member of AUWS. Your contributions ensure the continuation of our work supporting all ARNPs and our practices. **Please donate one day's pay to your organization, ARNPs United.** If you earn \$60,000 a year, consider contributing \$230. Even small donations help; **any amount is greatly appreciated.**

To contribute, please fill out the enclosed form, or visit our website auws.org to donate online. If desired you can split your donation into monthly payments.

Thank you for your support!



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1. The 2011 Pearson Report, The American Journal for Nurse Practitioners, NP Communications, LLC (www.webnponline.com)



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