Nursing Now Madrid’s 16 Objectives

1. Promote the leadership of nurses in political and health organisations.

2. Increase the number of assistant nurses in the public, and private healthcare system and in long term care.

3. Improve problem solving through recognition of nursing skills.

4. Unify all university healthcare graduates in the same professional group to end current inequalities that directly affect nurses.

5. Display the catalog of specialist nursing positions within Madrid’s healthcare and education system, in relation to making the link to nursing specialties within the academic postgraduate sector.

6. Improve nurses’ access to university teaching positions, developing and implementing combined clinical nurses and academic positions.

7. Encourage nursing research by increasing funding and focus on promoting research units.

8. Standardise nursing care according to existing regulations and the available scientific evidence.

9. Empower nurses in the design and implementation of technological tools.

10. Create spaces, led by nurses, for participation and promotion of health aimed at individuals, families and communities.

11. Improve the visibility of the nursing profession.

12. Promote the active participation of students in the future of nursing.

13. Develop effective protection plans for nurses which reduce the risk of violent attacks suffered in the healthcare profession.

14. Work in a coordinated way with all areas of the health sector in order to put an end to professional intrusion.

15. Encourage patients and nurses to work together to identify available health resources

16. Develop relationships with the media to promote nursing.