

# Candidate — Secretary



## **Nikeyia Davis, MBA-HCM, BSN, RN, CNN**

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### ***1. What activities are you currently involved with or have been in the past related to ANA-Michigan or ANA?***

For the past 2 years, I have served on the American Nurses Association's Professional Issues Advisory Committee. I am also the lead correspondent for the Healthy Nurse, Healthy Nation Initiative for ANA's partner Black Nurses Rock Detroit Chapter.

### ***2. What other elected, appointed offices or community activities relevant to this position have you been involved with?***

Secretary for Black Nurses Rock-Detroit Chapter for two years- Responsible for meeting minutes, agendas, updating membership profiles and emails, emailing newsletters/announcements, posting on Social Media i.e. Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter. I also have served on several boards in various positions, such as Health Policy Representative for the American Nephrology Nurses Association, Treasurer for Black Nurses Rock, Detroit Chapter, as well as a committee chairperson, such as the Cardiovascular and Diabetes Chair for Black Nurses Rock Detroit Chapter and Technology Chair for the Lambda Chi Chapter of Chi Eta Phi, Sorority, Incorporated, a professional nursing organization.

### ***3. Please write a statement that indicates your view on issues facing ANA-Michigan? Indicate why you want to serve in this role and why you are best qualified to carry out the duties of this office? This statement will be shared publicly with the membership.***

Some of the biggest issues we are facing as nurses are: short staffing, workplace violence, bullying and harassment at work. I am committed to assisting the state in addressing these issues that affect Michigan nurses by being a voice on the board that represents those that we serve, offering suggestions on efforts to improve the aforementioned issues. I also want to promote the health and self-care of the Michigan nursing workforce. Studies have shown that nurses are some of the unhealthiest Americans while we commit to take care of others, it is my desire that we focus on ourselves as well. Actively promoting and participating in the American Nurses Association's Healthy Nurse, Healthy Nation (HNN) Initiative has helped me regain control of my health, both physically and mentally. I believe that all nurses could benefit from the education and challenges presented by the initiative as well, thus I will gladly take the lead on working at the state level promoting the HNN program and to ensure monthly challenges are encouraged and promoted.