The mission of ISPAN is to employ education and research to promote practice excellence, nursing leadership, optimal patient safety, and outcomes by using evidence-based practice as a foundation of care. ISPAN is THE definitive voice for plastic and aesthetic nurses.

**ISPAN accomplishes its mission by:**

- Developing the highest standards of plastic and aesthetic nursing care
- Enhancing professional growth and leadership through education and research
- Providing a support structure for members
- Promoting interdisciplinary collaboration with others who support ISPAN’s mission and philosophy
- Serving as a definitive resource for other healthcare professionals
- Promoting opportunities for networking and collaboration among like-minded individuals
- Participating in legislative and advocacy activities

**Membership Benefits Include:**

- ISPAN Fellow Status
- A print and online subscription to Plastic Surgical Nursing Journal
- Quarterly Newsletter, ISPANews
- Discount on ISPAN-The Meeting Registration
- Regional Specialty Conferences
- Nationally recognized board certification for aesthetic and plastic surgery nursing
- Free Job Posting to the ISPAN website
- Discount on ISPAN Publications, Products, and Services
- Leadership Development Opportunities
- Recognition Awards for Practice Excellence
- Consumer Education Efforts
- Collective Political Clout
- Association/Committee Participation Opportunities
- Discount on Specialty Board Certification and Recertification
- Personal and Professional Advancement Opportunities

**Did You Know?**

ISPAN is the only nationally recognized nursing society that awards both plastic surgical and aesthetic nursing board certification. ISPAN recognizes the value of education, administration, research, and clinical practice in fostering personal and professional growth which is why our members receive national board-certification through the Plastic Surgical Nursing Certification Board (PSNCB) at a discounted rate.

**Highlights from the 2018 meeting included amazing speakers, social activities and workshops for all skill levels**

- “Cadaver Workshop: Exploring Facial muscles and Blood Vessels”
- “Facial Anatomy for the Aesthetic Provider”
- “Reconstructive Workshop: Wound Assessment & Basic Suturing”

“I THOROUGHLY enjoyed the entire conference!! Have been to previous conferences and this was the best. Keep up the great work!”

“The Hot Topics is always a good session. It’s good to hear from different doctors and the way they practice”
ISEN Member
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Who We Are

Plastic and aesthetic nursing is a diverse multidisciplinary field that encompasses various practice settings and educational backgrounds including pediatric reconstruction, skin care, non-surgical aesthetics, aesthetics, burns, wounds, adult reconstruction, craniofacial, operating room, post anesthesia care, office settings, management, nurse injectors, independent practitioners, advanced practice nursing, nurse educators, surgical technicians, licensed practical nurses, and industry. ISPAN will help you enhance your practice by providing information on current trends, patient safety initiatives, and legislative updates. ISPAN encourages members to take full advantage of the many benefits membership has to offer. From continuing education and discounts on educational opportunities, publications, and certification to free special interest discussion groups, ISPAN has something for everyone.