A SUCCESSFUL STORY: HAWAII PERIANESTHESIA NURSING (HIPAN) REVITALIZATION PROGRAM

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Background:

HIPAN is an ASPAN’s state component that supports and believes in the ASPAN’s mission. Five years ago, the component was at the crucial point with diminishing leaders. The Component was at a risk of being dissolved and revitalization was imperative.

Objectives:

The main goal was to revitalize the Component and continue its mission. The objectives were to review the infrastructure, recruit new leaders, create strategic plan, and seek partnership with ASPAN’s leaders.

Process:

In partnership with ASPAN, HIPAN leaders were educated on Strategic Planning and worked collaboratively to create HIPAN’s 1st Strategic Plan. Each year the Component continues to grow. HIPAN’s success is evident in their leadership involvement, accomplishments and bigger audacious goal.

Successful Practice:

HIPAN’s Component key success was the leaders’ passion, commitment, and persistence to revive their Component. HIPAN continue to evolve with new leaders and strong mentorship support.

Implications:

As individuals, the HIPAN leaders made a difference but working as a team made them more powerful in re-creating a better Component.