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Nursing Leadership: Towards Global Health  
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# The Global Voice of Health







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**OUR WORLD is CHANGING**



## WHO Independent high-level commission on noncommunicable diseases



*“Primary health services should be strengthened by increasing the health workforce, supporting innovative models of prevention and care, and enabling all health workers to embrace the full scope of practice in the prevention and management of NCDs ..... Nurses have especially crucial roles to play in health promotion and health literacy, and in the prevention and management of NCDs”*





# Nurses care for individuals and communities



# Older people's care in Indonesia



Community health centres for older people provide integrated health services and health promotion for NCDs.





# Primary care in Canada



NPs provide:

- health checks
- illness care
- Immunisations
- wound assessment & care
- long-term management of chronic disease
- mental health services
- smoking cessation
- nutrition



# Providing educational and leadership programmes – Leadership For Change





# ICN Global Nursing Leadership Institute





# ICN's 9 Key Priorities

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Universal  
Health  
Coverage



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Person  
Centred  
Care



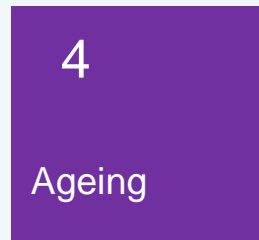
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Antimicrobial  
Resistance



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Ageing



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Immunisation



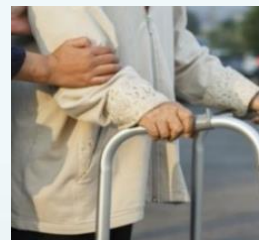
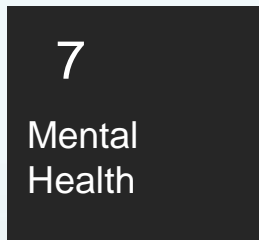
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Human  
Resources  
for Health



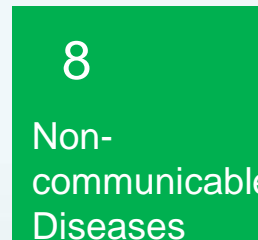
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Mental  
Health



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Non-  
communicable  
Diseases



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Sustainable  
Development Goals





# What will Nursing Now do?

- Work with partners to advocate for **more nurses in leadership roles**
- Encourage nurses to **organise at country, regional and global level**
- Help nurses get **better education and training**
- Support nurse to **share research and evidence**

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