Overview
The opening session will promote understanding of Nursing Now, facilitate discussions about current situations and expectations for nursing to promote people’s healthy lives and contribute to efficient delivery of healthcare services, and lead to the following concurrent sessions.

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Video Messages

Lord Nigel Crisp (Co-Chair, Nursing Now)
Ms. Elizabeth Iro (Chief Nursing Officer, World Health Organization)
Ms. Annette Kennedy (President, International Council of Nurses)

Keynote Lecture:

Nurses rising: The story of Nursing Now as nurses meet the challenges of universal health coverage
Dr. Barbara Stilwell (Executive Director, Nursing Now)

The Year of the Nurse and the Midwife in Finland, Nordic countries and Europe
Dr. Nina Hahtela (President, Finnish Nurses Association)

Utilizing Evidence for Nursing Practice in Japan: From Invisible to Visible
Prof. Megumi Teshima (Professor, Graduate School of Nursing, Chiba University)

Community Nursing in Singapore
Prof. Swee Hia Lim (Senior Director, Special Projects, Executive Office, SingHealth / Former President, Singapore Nurses Association)

TOMODACHI J&J Disaster Nursing Training Program
Ms. Nahoko Uchida (Manager, Japan Community Impact, Johnson & Johnson Family of Companies in Japan)

Registration
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Nursing Now Forum in Japan  
Concurrent Session 1: Triple Impact and Policy  
Hosted by Japanese Nursing Association  
January 21, 2021, 14:15-16:15 (JST, UTC+9)

Overview
This session examines the importance of evidence that has an impact on policy proposal and implementation. It is pivotal to develop various systems and environments for nurses to contribute more than ever to achieving the three Sustainable Development Goals (Goal 3: Good Health and Well-Being, Goal 5: Gender Equality, Goal 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth) as indicated in the Triple Impact report which has triggered the Nursing Now Campaign, and to engage in fostering healthy society. This session will facilitate discussions about the importance of evidence that influences policymaking through the nursing contribution to society and the SDGs and successful cases of evidence-informed policy promotion, and clarify the significance of "providing evidence to policy and decision-makers for policy realization," which is one of the aims of the Nursing Now Campaign.

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Triple Impact and Nursing in Japan  
Dr. Akiko Araki (Executive Officer, Japanese Nursing Association)

Nursing, Evidence and Medical Service Evaluation  
Dr. Hiromi Sanada (Professor, Graduate School of Medicine, the University of Tokyo)

Panel Discussion: Evidence-informed Policy  
Evidence and Policy: How to Utilize Evidence for Policy (Canadian Experience)  
Mr. Tim Guest (President, Canadian Nurses Association)

Panelists:
- Prof. Christine Duffield (President, Australian College of Nursing)  
- Sra. María Angélica Baeza Reveco (President, Chilean Nurses Association)  
- Ms. Karen McGowan (President, Irish Nurses and Midwives Organisation)  
- Dr. Kyung-Rim Shin (President, Korean Nurses Association)  
- Dr. Myrna Abi Abdallah Doumit (President, Order of Nurses in Lebanon)

*Dr. Hiromi Sanada (Professor, Graduate School of Medicine, the University of Tokyo) and Dr. Akiko Araki (Executive Officer, Japanese Nursing Association) will also participate in the discussion.

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**Nursing Now Forum in Japan**
**Concurrent Session 2: Home-care Nursing and SDGs - Social Innovation by Nurses -**
Hosted by Sasakawa Health Foundation
in cooperation with Japan Visiting Nursing Foundation and
The National Association for Visiting Nurse Service
January 21, 2021, 14:15-16:15 (JST, UTC+9)

**Overview**
Nursing has a primary duty of life support functions for people, in addition to its involvement as a healthcare professional. In the world trying to achieve the SDGs, especially in Japan as a super-aging society, the role of nurses has been increasing aiming for a sustainable society through the effective use of appropriate healthcare resources, including a change in the health awareness of the public. This session examines the roles and possibilities of nursing/nurses in the community in the future, based on explanations from practicing nurses, educators and researchers in Canada and the United States and on the practical progress of entrepreneur nurses in Japan.

**Program**

| Moderator          | Dr. Etsuko Kita (Chair, Sasakawa Health Foundation)  
|                   | Ms. Masuko Kanaya (Representative Director of General, Incorporated association Visiting Nursing Station "Homei", Kan-taki “Homei no Sato”) |
| Opening Remarks, Overview, and Introduction of Speakers - Nurses Change the Society “Social Innovation by Nurses” - | Dr. Etsuko Kita (Chair, Sasakawa Health Foundation) |
| “Year of the Nurse” and the Global Health Agenda: Role of Nursing and Home Care | Dr. Judith Shamian (President Emerita, International Council of Nurses/Past CEO VON) |
| Empowering women & strengthening health systems: investing in nursing & midwifery enterprise | Dr. Marla Salmon (Former Dean/Professor, Nursing and Global Health/Adjunct Professor, Public Policy and Governance, University of Washington) |
| How Care Has Changed – Measuring the Value of Nursing | Dr. Andrea Baumann (Associate Vice-President, McMaster University) |
| Nurse’s Social Interventions in Community - System and Practice of KAN-taki – | Ms. Mitsuko Numazaki (Director, Southern TOHOKU General Hospital Group KAN-taki, Home-care nursing center “YUI no Gakko”) |
| Nursing in mountainous region | Ms. Kyoko Otsuki (Representative Director, Visiting Nursing Station “Home care nursing center Toyooka”, KAN-taki “RIGARESSE”) |
| Approach to Community care from Visiting/Home Care Nursing - Focus on Community care and Primary Health Care –  
Ms. Yuko Isono (Representative Director, General incorporated association “Co-Creation”, “Chiiki Marugoto Care Station Kawasaki”) |
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| Discussion / closing  
All panelists and chairs |

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Nursing Now Forum in Japan
Concurrent Session 3: The Contribution of Nursing to the Construction of a Disaster-Resistant Community and a Safe and Secure Society
Hosted by WHO Collaborating Centre for Nursing in Disasters and Health Emergency Management/Research Institute of Nursing Care for People and Community, University of Hyogo
in cooperation with Japanese Red Cross Society Healthcare Service Department Nursing Division,
WHO Collaborating Center for Nursing Development in Primary Health Care/St. Luke's International University, Japanese Midwives Association, and National Center for Global Health and Medicine
January 21, 2021, 14:15-16:15 (JST, UTC+9)

Overview
In the experiences of large-scale disasters, such as Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake 1995 and Great East Japan Earthquake and Tsunami 2011, Japanese nurses not only responded to the healthcare and nursing care needs that arose from disasters but also demonstrated at home and abroad their integrated practice in protecting people’s lives from disasters and supporting a healthy lifestyle at every stage of disaster risk reduction, response, and recovery. In addition, nurses have been confronting various difficulties on the front line of COVID-19 response. As the disaster response is gaining global attention, this session will review the efforts of disaster nursing and discuss the contribution and the social value of nursing to building disaster-resistant community and safe and secure society.

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Moderator
Dr. Sonoe Mashino (Executive Director, Research Institute of Nursing Care for People and Community, University of Hyogo)

Keynote Speech:
Toward the construction of a disaster-resistant community and a safe and secure society
Dr. Yoshiteru Murosaiki (Dean/Professor, Graduate School of Disaster Resilience and Governance, University of Hyogo)

Lessons from COVID-19 response: How did Italian nurses respond to the COVID-19 pandemic
Dr. Walter De Caro (President, Italian nurses Association)

Panel Discussion: What nurses can do for a disaster-resistant society
<Panelists>
Dr. Kumiko Ii (Vice President, Japanese Nursing Association)
Dr. Yukari Igarashi (Professor, Women's Health/Midwifery, St Luke's International University)
Ms. Noriko Ikeda (Chief of the International Medical Relief section, Osaka Red Cross Hospital International Medical Relief Dep.)
Dr. Yoko Hamadate (JICA-Japan International Cooperation Agency)
Dr. Mariko Ohara (Professor, Seisen Jogakuin College)

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Overview
The closing session summarizes the concurrent session 1-3 and declares the Nursing Now Nippon Declaration based on the discussion at the Nursing Now Forum in Japan.

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