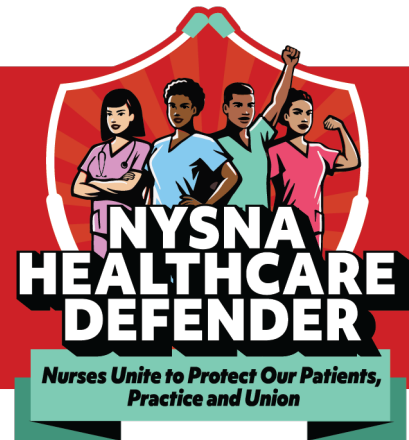


NYSNA CONVENTION 2026

OCTOBER 26 - 27

New York Hilton, Midtown, NYC



NYSNA Convention Agenda

Sunday, October 25 6pm – 9pm - Pre-Convention Registration – Promenade, 2nd fl

Day 1: Monday, October 26, 2026

Registration 7am - 6pm – Promenade, 2nd fl

CE & Convention App Help Center – 7am – 6pm – East Corridor (Sutton Foyer), 2nd fl

Exhibit Hours: 7am - 9am, 11:30am - 2:00pm, 5:30pm - 7:30pm – Promenade, 2nd fl

Breakfast: 7am – 9am Americas Hall, 3rd fl

8:00am - 10:00am – Concurrent sessions I

- **CONV1** - How to tell your Nursing Story – Nassau, 2nd fl
- **CONV16** - Mental Health (In)justice: The Struggle for an Inclusive and Just Healthcare System for Nurses and Patients – Beekman/Sutton North & Center, 2nd fl
- **CONV9** - Understanding the Nursing Practice Implications of A.I.: Protecting Our Patients and Our Profession - Murray Hill, 2nd fl
- **CONV8** -Healthcare for All – The Campaign for Single Payer – Sutton South/Regent, 2nd fl
- **CONV11** – Mastering Physical Assessment Skills for Cardiac Emergencies - Madison & Clinton, 2nd fl
- **CONV15** - Stroke Escape Room – Gibson, 2nd fl

10:15am – 12:15pm – Concurrent Sessions II

- **CONV7** - Nurses' Rights: Organizing, Member Representation and Contract Enforcement – Sutton South/Regent, 2nd fl
- **CONV5** – Workplace Violence Prevention Updates: New Laws, Contractual Wins and Member Activism – Beekman/Sutton North & Center, 2nd fl
- **CONV11** – Mastering Physical Assessment Skills for Cardiac Emergencies - Madison & Clinton, 2nd fl
- **CONV15** - Stroke Escape Room - Gibson, 2nd fl
- **CONV17**– Forgiveness for Caregivers: An Unexpected Self-Care Tool – Murray Hill, 2nd fl
- **Parliamentarian Hour** (non-CE) – Nassau, 2nd fl

12:30 – 2:00pm Opening Convention - opening session with lunch – Grand Ballroom, 3rd fl

2:15pm – 4:15pm – Concurrent Sessions III

- **CONV3** - Mobilization Phases in Contract Campaigns – Sutton South/Regent, 2nd fl

- **CONV4** - Safe Nurse Staffing Data: Enforcing Standards Statewide – *Beekman/Sutton North & Center 2nd fl*
- **CONV6** - Recovery-Ready Workplace: Tackling Substance Use Disorder-an Occupational Hazard for Nurses – *Nassau, 2nd fl*
- **CONV11** - Mastering Physical Assessment Skills for Cardiac Emergencies - *Madison & Clinton, 2nd fl*
- **CONV15** - Stroke Escape Room - *Gibson, 2nd fl*

4:30pm – 6:30pm – Concurrent Sessions IV

- **CONV2** - What Nurses Need to Know About Leveraging the NYS Staffing Law and Contract Bargaining to Advocate for the Creation and Enforcement of Exemplary Staffing Plans – *Sutton South/Regent, 2nd fl*
- **CONV13** - How to Organize Nurses: Strategies for Building Power and Practice in our Hospitals - *Murray Hill, 2nd fl*
- **CONV14** - Why Nurses Do Politics and How We Win Political Power – *Nassau, 2nd fl*
- **CONV11** Mastering Physical Assessment Skills for Cardiac Emergencies - *Madison & Clinton, 2nd fl*
- **CONV15** - Stroke Escape Room - *Gibson, 2nd fl*

6:30pm – Movie Screening – Take-over of Lincoln Hospital – *Beekman/Sutton North & Center, 2nd fl*

7:30pm – 9pm - Dinner with speakers – *Grand Ballroom, 3rd fl*

9pm – midnight - Social Event – *Trianon Ballroom, 3rd fl*

Day 2: Tuesday, October 27, 2026

CE & Convention App Help Center: 7am – 2pm – *East Corridor (Sutton Foyer), 2nd fl*

Registration: 7am – 2pm – *Promenade, 2nd fl*

Exhibit Hours: 7:30am - 10am – *Promenade, 2nd fl*

For Convention Delegates – *Grand Ballroom, 3rd fl*

Breakfast for Voting Body attendees: 7:30am – *Grand Ballroom, 3rd fl*

8:30am – 10:00am - Voting Body Session I

10:00am – 10:15am - Break

10:15am – 11:45pm – Voting Body Session II

11:45am – 1:00pm - Lunch

1:00pm – 2:30pm - Voting Body Session III

2:30pm - 2:45pm - Break

2:45pm - 4:30pm - Voting Body Session IV

4:30pm - 5:00pm - Closing remarks & raffle

For Member Observers (non-delegates)

Breakfast: 7:30am (for member observers attending workshops) *Beekman/Sutton North & Center, 2nd fl*

8:30am – 10:30am – Concurrent session V

- **CONV11** - Mastering Physical Assessment Skills - *Madison & Clinton, 2nd fl*
- **CONV15** - Stroke Escape Room - *Gibson, 2nd fl*
- **CONV9** - Understanding the Nursing Practice Implications of A.I.: Protecting Our Patients and Our Profession - *Murray Hill, 2nd fl*

10:45am – 12:45pm - Concurrent session VI

- **CONV12** - Beyond Responsibility: Mastering Accountability and Scope of Practice - *Murray Hill, 2nd fl*
- **CONV11** - Mastering Physical Assessment Skills for Cardiac Emergencies - *Madison & Clinton, 2nd fl*
- **CONV15** - Stroke Escape Room - *Gibson, 2nd fl*

12:45pm - 2pm - Lunch (for member observers attending workshops) - *Beekman/Sutton North & Center, 2nd fl*

2:15pm – 4:15pm – Concurrent Session VII

- **CONV10** - Zero Harm - Administering Medications Safely - *Murray Hill, 2nd fl*
- **CONV17** - Forgiveness for Caregivers: An Unexpected Self-Care Tool - *Nassau, 2nd fl*
- **CONV5** - Workplace Violence Prevention Updates: New Laws, Contractual Wins and Member Activism - *Sutton South/Regent, 2nd fl*

4:30pm – 5:00pm - Closing remarks & raffle - *Grand Ballroom, 3rd fl*