



APNs Transforming Care

The Johnson & Johnson Campaign for Nursing's Future and Nurse.com have partnered to develop a content series, "APNs Transforming Care." The series looks at ways advanced practice nurses are changing the face of healthcare delivery.



Transforming Primary Care

Marcy Bergeron, MS, RN, ANP

"...As an NP, Bergeron has been a primary care provider for mostly non-English speaking patients and immigrants with challenging conditions and cultural barriers to self-care. She always had an interest in chronic disease management, and now, as director of clinical operations and nursing for primary care at Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, she created a primary care, nurse-led initiative addressing care transitions. Along with a physician and administrative director, she oversees the operations of 21 MGH-affiliated primary care practices and health centers with more than 160,000 patients."

Read Marcy's story at www.nurse.com/blog/APN-Transformers1



Transforming Family Practice

Scharmaine Lawson-Baker, DNP, FNP-BC, RN, FAANP

"She also runs a family practice clinic, where patients receive primary care. She provides chronic care management, sports physicals, Pap smears and acute care for conditions such as coughs, colds and allergies. "Because I frequently monitor my patients' blood sugar levels, vital signs, medication efficacy and wounds, I am able to keep 90% of my patients out of the hospital," she said."

Read Scharmaine's story at www.nurse.com/blog/APN-Transformers2



Transforming CRNA Practice

Ali Baghai, MS, CRNA

"In 2006, Baghai was one of 15 applicants out of more than 400 to be accepted into the CRNA program at Midwestern University in Glendale, Ariz. "I took to anesthesia like a duck to water and realized that being a CRNA was exactly what I was meant to do," he said."

Read Ali's story at www.nurse.com/blog/APN-Transformers3

