

Celebrate National Nurses Month

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This month, [Project Firstline](#) is joining the [American Nurses Association](#) to celebrate and acknowledge all nurses who make significant sacrifices to ensure patients receive high-quality health care and treatment.



The Power To Stop Infections. Together.



National Nurses Month has been expanded over the last three years from a week-long celebration to a month-long observance that covers a different focus area each week, including:

- **Self-care**
- **Recognition**
- **Professional development**
- **Community engagement**

Meet the Georgia Project Firstline Team for Region G



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Congratulations for achieving certification in infection prevention, CIC!



Leanna stated, "...Project Firstline was a great help to my success. It is great to have a program like this not only to share knowledge, but to support each other in the journey. I am happy that our facility has joined in this effort and has assisted with supporting us to accomplish this goal."

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Georgia Project Firstline can help you with [infection prevention education](#). Understanding the risk of infection can help stop the spread of infection.

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