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Five Reasons to be an RN Represented by MNA

1. MNA is “the voice” for Registered Nurses in Montana
2. Join your State Professional Nursing Association
3. Join the largest RN union in Montana
4. Membership in American Nurses Association (ANA) at no extra cost
5. Member discounts on goods/services and continuing education

Important References

- ANA www.nursingworld.org
 National Labor Relations Board. www.nlr.gov
 Federal Mediation of Conciliation Services. www.fmcs.gov

Five Reasons to be an RN Represented by ANA through MNA

1. MNA/ANA is committed to advocate for safe working environments of nurses.
2. Nurses are exposed to many hazards in health care settings, such as needlestick and other sharps injuries, blood and body fluid exposures, other biological exposures, chemical exposures, workplace violence, shiftwork and long hours and patient handling.
3. ANA works to protect nurses from workplace violence in a variety of ways, including lobbying for an enforceable Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) standards and pushing for informed state legislation.
4. ANA successfully champions professional nursing excellence through standards, code of ethics and professional development, such as credentialing and lifelong learning.
5. MNA and ANA advances the nursing profession by fostering high standards of nursing practice, promoting the rights of nurses in the workplace, projecting a positive and realistic view of nursing, and by lobbying the Congress and regulatory agencies on health care issues affecting nurses and the public.