



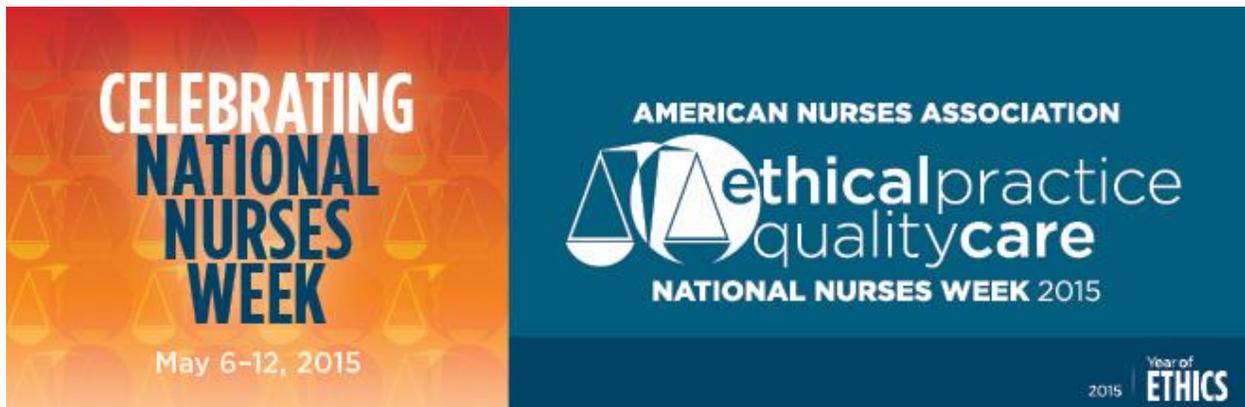
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Message from DYS Director Harvey Reed

National Nurses Week

May 7, 2015

It is National Nurses Week, and I would like to take a moment to thank the nursing professionals at DYS. I am grateful for our nurses who not only provide excellent medical services, but also participate in interdisciplinary teams and other collaborative opportunities to meet the entirety of a youth's needs.



The American Nurses Association has announced that the theme of this year's National Nurses Week is "Ethical Practice. Quality Care." This valuable phrase recognizes the importance of ethics in nursing and acknowledges the strong commitment, compassion, and care nurses display in their practice and profession. Our nurses demonstrate a commitment to our core values, especially in treating every youth the way they would like to be treated, with quality in every interaction. I appreciate the services our nurses provide to support the health and overall well-being of our young people.

Please join me in thanking and celebrating all of our nurses!