

UAMS NURSING

OUR MISSION

Nursing at UAMS is committed to patient-and-family-centered care. We provide evidence-based care with compassion, respect and unconditional acceptance.

OUR VALUES

We believe empowered, professional staff are essential to achieve our mission. We value a practice environment which promotes the following things:

- Shared Decision Making
- Continuous Learning
- Critical/Creative Thinking
- Collaboration/Cooperation
- Commitment to Excellence
- Customer Service
- Open Communication
- Accountability
- Respect
- Diversity
- Integrity
- Honesty

OUR VISION

Together we set the pace to create a culture of nursing excellence.



OUR PHILOSOPHY



PROFESSIONALISM

We are committed to professional practice and collaboration with the interdisciplinary team to provide innovative and exceptional patient-and-family-centered care to impact the overall health of our community.



ACCOUNTABILITY

(Through ADVOCACY and AUTONOMY)

We believe the professional nurse is the foundation of nursing practice. We are committed to being strong patient advocates. We accept responsibility for professional practice and willingly commit to strive to create optimal outcomes for the patient and family. We believe appropriate outcomes are reached by the development and application of evidence-based practice standards which utilize state-of-the-art knowledge to provide high quality care in the most efficient manner.



COMMUNICATION

We believe communication is the power to share ideas and concepts as the basis for effective team work. We believe effective communication promotes positive outcomes when executed with enthusiasm and optimism. We believe trust and cooperation are the keys to maintain communications between patient, family, nurse and all members of the health care team. We support any initiative which serves to improve overall communication.



XCELLENCE

We support a professional practice model as the basis for delivery of nursing care. We value an environment in which the scope of practice promotes innovative and compassionate patient care delivery and encourage continuous improvement. We ensure excellence through aggressive recruitment and retention of RN staff whose professional expertise qualifies them to serve as role models for the hospital and the community.

TOGETHER – WE SET THE PACE!