

## **Act Now: Protect Nursing Education — Submit Comments on the Department of Education's Proposed Rule Before March 2, 2026**

The [Department of Education's Proposed Rule](#) Regarding "Reimagining and Improving Student Education" (Docket ID ED-2025-OPE-0944) is now open for public comment until March 2, 2026. This rule as written would have a negative impact on our nursing schools, faculty, students, and the future health care workforce, especially in rural communities.

**The time to act is NOW!** We urge all nurse leaders to work collectively with us to submit as many individualized comments as possible. The process is easy! **Review the information [HERE](#) and scan the QR code.** The American Academy of Nursing (AAN) and the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) have thoughtfully crafted customizable messages that can be sent directly to the Department of Education!

**Let's Make Our Voices Heard! Submit Your Comments ASAP in February before the official March 2 deadline!**