



Dear President and Presidents Elect,

Are we tired of winter yet? I certainly am.

I recently attended the MAHA Board Meeting in Lansing. It was a very productive meeting. Several ideas from the other districts and of their plans for the coming year.

NCD still has a problem that we need to have taken care of as soon as possible. We do not have a complete board to install in May.

The positions available are President, and President elect. We have volunteers for the other offices of Secretary, Treasurer, VP Legislation, and VP Membership. It is important that we have someone to fill these last positions. Installation of the officers is to be held at our May 9th meeting in West Branch. The slate of officers to be voted on should be available well ahead of that date.

Our busy schedule starts:

April 19 <sup>th</sup>	Healthcare Advocacy Day Lansing Registration ends March 31st
May 9 <sup>th</sup>	NCD Spring Meeting/Installation of Officers (????) West Branch
June 7 <sup>th</sup> -9 <sup>th</sup>	MAHA Annual Meeting, Grand Hotel Mackinac Island
September 27 <sup>th</sup>	NCD fall Meeting Charlevoix
October 10 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup>	MAHA Fall Conference Bavarian Inn Lodge, Frankenmuth

Mark your calendars now for these special dates. We hope to have a great turn out for each event. Watch your mail for registration information. Inform your members early so they can make plans to attend.

If you have any new exciting and interesting things happening in your groups, drop me a note and we will share it with the rest of the Districts and MAHA.

We only had 5 entries for the Highlights this time. This is something you should think about sending when ask. It is important to let the rest of the state know what is happening in your hospital.

Looking forward to seeing many of you in May and a new slate of officers.

Sincerely

Vivian Mettler  
NCD President