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**Advanced Nursing Roles in Paediatrics  
&  
Update new Survey**

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Asociación Española  
de Enfermería Pediátrica

GRAN CANARIA  
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IX CONGRESO INTERNACIONAL  
XXX JORNADAS NACIONALES  
IX ENCUENTRO DE TUTORES Y RESIDENTES

# NUEVOS ROLES Y PERFILES DE ENFERMERÍA PEDIÁTRICA



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The need for the development of Advanced Practice Nursing (APN) roles is increasingly pressing in countries at every income level



EMPIRICAL RESEARCH QUANTITATIVE

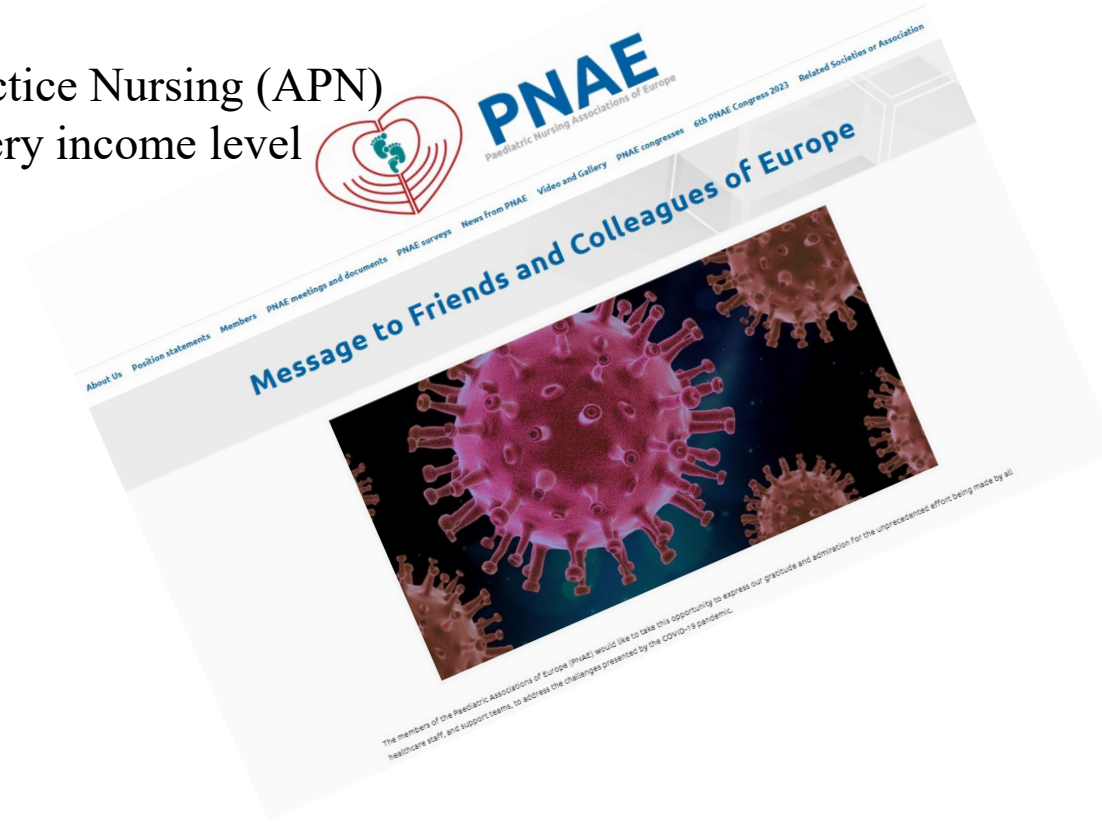
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## Advanced practice nursing in Europe—Results from a pan-European survey of 35 countries

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### Is APN established in your country?

#### Country

**Yes** Albania, Austria, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, FRY, Macedonia, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Lithuania, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom

**No** Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Germany, Greece, Italy, Latvia, Luxembourg, Montenegro, Portugal, Romania, Serbia and Spain

- **Legal or regulatory recognition** of APN was lagging (n.20)
- **Only 11/20 EFN members with an APN:** Law establishing minimum educational requirements





## Advanced Nursing Practice in Paediatric setting

Journal of Pediatric Health Care

### COMMENTARY

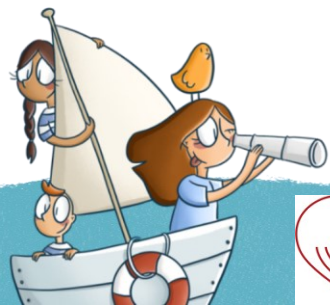
# Advanced Practice Nursing in Pediatrics and Child Health: A New Hope in Europe

«Children shall be cared for by staff whose training and skills enable them to respond to the physical, emotional, and developmental needs of children and families» (European Charter for Children in Hospitals, 1986 European Parliament)

Children's Health Situation in France has worsened in the last years

Colson, 2025

→ 2024–2030 : integration of **advanced practice skills in child health** into the evolution of the **pediatric nurse specialty**.





## New Roles in Advanced Nursing Practice in paediatrics

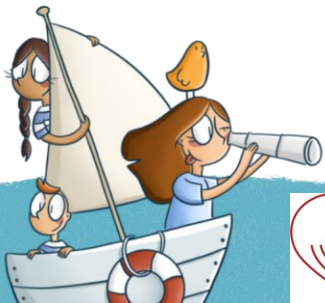
### I Thank:

The PNAE Members for the updated information  
about Advanced Nursing Practice in Paediatrics in  
their country:  
Belgium, France, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Portugal,  
Slovakia and Sweden

**THANK YOU !  
GRACIAS !**

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## **PNAE Survey year 2019**

For previous results, please see at this link: <https://pnae.eu/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/34th-PNAE-survey-presentation.pdf>

### **Title:**

Paediatric Nursing Associations of Europe Network, survey about  
"Advanced Nursing Practice in paediatric settings across Europe"

**Section 1** \_ general information about the country



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**Section 2 the questions are all open answer, because at that time of the survey (2029) PNAE members evaluated there were too many differences among countries. Probably it is the same situation after 6 year and thus we could maintain the same format**

**B1. Please describe any advanced practice roles you have in the nursing services of your country**

**B2. Please provide details of the training and education required to undertake the advanced practice roles you describe**

**NdR\_2025: at the question n. B2, it could be possible to add other specific questions, also with close answer, e.g. if available write the title of the education course, the level (e.g. University or not, Master level 1 or 2, EU credits, the link at the description course if available).**



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**B3. Please add any other information you believe is relevant to advanced practice roles in the nursing services of your country**



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**It could be easy to do !! It should be a simple form on-line**