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Nurses Make the Difference: Confronting Challenges, Leading Change

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Dr. Sharon Ward-Miller, a highly accomplished nursing professional, currently serves as the Patient Care Director at New York Presbyterian Hospital-Westchester Division, Self-Injurious Behavior Unit. She holds an adjunct position as an Associate Professor at Pace University, Lienhard School of Nursing, as well as at Iona College in New Rochelle, New York. Dr. Ward-Miller's exceptional clinical expertise is in the care of patients with acute and chronic mental health concerns. She has authored numerous articles in nursing journals and presented at the ICN conference in Singapore in 2020. Her dedication to nursing education has also led her to supervise nursing students in the acute psychiatric clinical setting. Dr. Ward-Miller is recognized for her contributions to the nursing community and has received prestigious awards, including the Nursing Excellence Award for Leadership from New York Presbyterian Hospital-Westchester Behavioral Health Center in 2013. Her commitment to research has earned her the International Society of Psychiatric-Mental Health Nurses Foundation Mental Health and Wellness Research Project Grant in 2018 for her work with hand puppets to teach resourcefulness skills to women who self-injure. She is a member of various professional organizations, including Sigma Theta Tau, Upsilon Chapter, the American Psychiatric Nurses Association, the American Nurses Association, the International Society of Psychiatric Nursing, and the Transcultural Nursing Association. Dr. Ward-Miller's extensive experience and contributions to the field of nursing make her a highly respected and sought-after nursing professional.

Abstract:

Throughout history, humankind has faced innumerable challenges from disease, natural disasters, war, famine and life-altering events but there have always been those individuals who rise up and care for those in need. We have all at some time benefited from the care of nurses. Nursing as an art and science has confronted these challenges and found innovative ways to care for individuals and communities in need and pass on these interventions generation after generation to become the most trusted profession in the world. This presentation will address a brief history of nursing with a focus on a few of those who have met these challenges and become advocates for change.

Learning Objectives:

1. Identify factors in the development of the history of nursing
2. Describe at least three healthcare challenges confronted by nurses
3. Identify at least three healthcare outcomes as a result of nurses leading change
4. Recognize future challenges and call to action for nursing profession nationally and globally

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