2008: a sucessfull year for the Brazilian Nursing

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The Head Director of the Brazilian Nursing Association announces to its associates and REBEn’s subscribers some of the important developed actions along the first year of work during the 2007-2010 period, according to the goals previously established in its action plan.

In Education, ABEn stood in the defense of the minimum load of 4000 hours for Nursing Baccalaureate, getting a positive unanimous deliberation by the National Education Council.

In Publication and Communication areas, it is a reality the maintenance of REBEn in the SciELO collection and also in SCOPUS database.

By the Center of Studies and Research in Nursing, ABEn supports and participates of the debate for the development of production politics, dissemination and consume of nursing knowledge, especially with the partnership with CNPq and CAPEs representatives.

The Program for Update of Nursing Aides, edited in partnership with Artmed Publishing, was created as a strategy for which the position of these professionals in nursing team can be replaced, recognized and valued.

Another action was the elaboration of a scientific and political project aiming the construction of nursing terminologies and professional qualification for its usage.

The Political Agenda of Agreements presented by ABEn to Federal Nursing Council aims to vindicate credibility and competency of the autarchy and to re-establish partnership between organizations broken since 1995.

And, comprising its mission of thinking and re-thinking Nursing attention as a citizens’ right, ABEn keeps investing in formation process and permanent education, mainly with the promotion and hostage of its events, those that allow the construction of a paradigm based in care and in Brazilian quality of life.