



# *California School Nurses Organization*

## Position Statement

### **SPEAKING FOR THE CALIFORNIA SCHOOL NURSE'S ORGANIZATION**

#### **STATEMENT**

The California School Nurses Organization requires that all information and/or statements are purported to represent the organization, be in compliance with those stated in the Position Statements or be approved by the President in advance of its use. This applies to representatives, liaisons and members who are asked to speak for the organization. A copy of the related position(s) should be provided to the group making the request for this information/statement. When a CSNO representative or liaison is asked for a position by another organization, the CSNO President should be advised of that fact.

#### **RATIONALE**

Statements made on behalf of any organization should be consistent with adopted positions and reflect the mission and goals of the organization.

#### **Recommended Action**

1. Representatives/liaisons/members who present a position to another group should provide a copy of that position to the officers of that group as soon as possible. In the event there is no position, the group should be informed of that fact.
2. CSNO members are encouraged to accept speaking engagements about school nursing and school health services at multidisciplinary conferences, conventions, seminars, workshops, etc. Members are also strengthened by presenting officially written materials about school nursing services to local news media.

#### **References:**

California School Nurses Organization Position Statements found at <http://www.csno.org> (click on Resources).

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