



Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission

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**Department of Health
Mission Statement**

The Department of Health works to protect and improve the health of people in the state of Washington.

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The mission of the Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission is to assure safe/quality nursing care for the people of Washington State. This includes defining the scope and standards of practice, determining necessary qualifications for competency assurance in authorizing individuals the right to practice nursing, and limiting the practice of those individuals found to practice below minimum safe competent levels.