

## **APHON Announces Successful 2024 Election**

McLean, August 15, 2024 – The Association of Hematology/Oncology Nursing (APHON), a leading organization dedicated to supporting and advancing nurses in optimizing outcomes for children, adolescents, young adults, and their families throughout the continuum of care for their blood disorders and cancers, announces the successful completion of its recent slated election. The association is pleased to present the newly elected officers who will assume their positions and drive the organization forward in achieving its vision.

After a transparent voting process and verification of the election results by the Leadership Development Committee, the following individuals have been elected to the respective offices:

- President-Elect: Amy Newman, PhD RN CPNP-PC
- Treasurer: Kaye Schmidt, MA RN CPHON® NEA-BC
- Director-at-Large: Mindy J. Bibart, DNP RN CPHON® NEA-BC CPPS CBBSS
- Director-at-Large: Danielle Gunter, PhD RN CPN

The elected candidates have a diverse range of backgrounds and experiences, bringing valuable expertise to their roles within the association. With their dedication, passion, and commitment to APHON, the association is confident that they will contribute significantly to the growth and success of the organization.

"These election results mark a milestone in APHON's history! We celebrate our first election by the membership from a slate prepared by the Leadership Development Committee! We are fortunate to have the experience, expertise, and talents of these outstanding APHON leaders to serve on the Board and lead our successful endeavors in the coming years." stated APHON's President, Dyane Bunnell.

The APHON Board of Directors and Leadership Development committee expressed gratitude to all the association members who participated in the election process.

The newly elected officials will begin their terms at the 2024 APHON Annual Conference in Salt Lake City, UT, and the association eagerly anticipates the positive impact they will have on the organization and its members. Their leadership will play a crucial role in advancing APHON's mission and fulfilling its commitment to serving the needs and interests of its members.

For more information about APHON, its mission, and upcoming initiatives, please visit www.aphon.org or contact APHON at info@aphon.org

About the Association of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology Nurses (APHON):

APHON is the professional organization for pediatric hematology/oncology nurses and other pediatric hematology/oncology healthcare professionals. Its members are dedicated to promoting optimal nursing care for children, adolescents, and young adults with cancer and blood disorders, and their families.