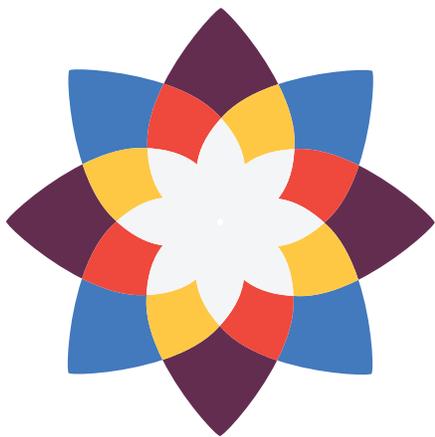




# 2016



# nursing students for sexual & reproductive health

access. education. community.

## annual report

### Nursing Students for Choice is Now Nursing Students for Sexual & Reproductive Health!

Our new name, Nursing Students for Sexual & Reproductive Health (NSSRH), represents our commitment in expanding our work to not only include “choice” but access, education, and community (our new tagline).

Our name may have changed but our mission to provide nursing students with the education, tools, and resources necessary to become social change agents within the healthcare system as it relates to sexual and reproductive justice remains the same.

As we look toward a new year, a new Presidential administration, and the new challenges we face as a growing organization on the national landscape, we are so thankful for your continued support of our students and growing number of alumni who are eager to get out and change the world.

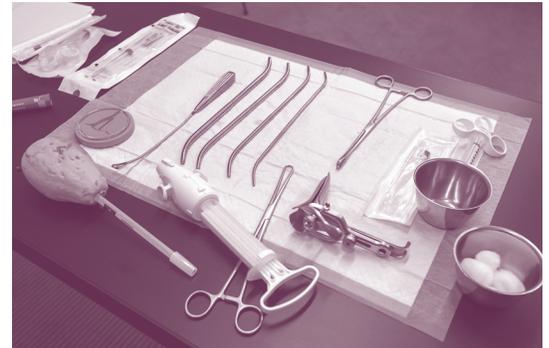


**400**

*The number  
of nursing  
students trained.*



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**“**  
*NSSRH is what's missing from my education and I am so grateful for the opportunity to learn here.*  
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## We Are Building Our Presence Where It Is Needed Most

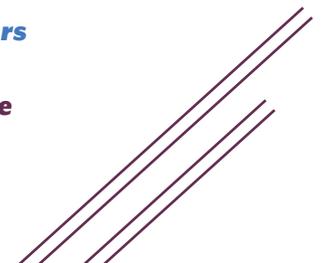
We began an outreach initiative in 2016 to the South and Midwest, where sexual and reproductive healthcare training is weakest, clinics are sparse, and obstacles to NSSRH chapter-building are plentiful. We already formed our first chapters in the Southern states of FL and NC, and the Rocky Mountain state of ID.

**43%**  
*existing chapters*

**&**

**50%**  
*aspiring chapters*

**were from the South or Midwest at our 2016 Conference**



## Nurses are Key to Sexual & Reproductive Healthcare

Nurses are well positioned to correct health disparities because it is our role to build supportive relationships with patients and to advocate for their needs and choices.

Studies have found that abortions provided by nurse practitioners and nurse midwives are not statistically different from those provided by physicians. Nurses can now perform abortions in 15 states; expanding nurse abortion provision is a good way to increase access.

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Thanks to NSSRH student activism, we assisted a nursing school to add abortion training to its curriculum for 500+ students per year, and we are now making headway toward curriculum reform at several more schools.

**500+**

**Number of nursing students now receive abortion care training**

**“NSSRH inspired me to be more open, non-judgemental, and supportive as a provider in all aspects of care.”**

**“NSSRH has solidified my decision to go to NP school to become an abortion provider.”**

**17%**

**Only 17% of students feel that their nursing programs adequately prepare them to work in a sexual and reproductive healthcare setting — we're working to change that.**

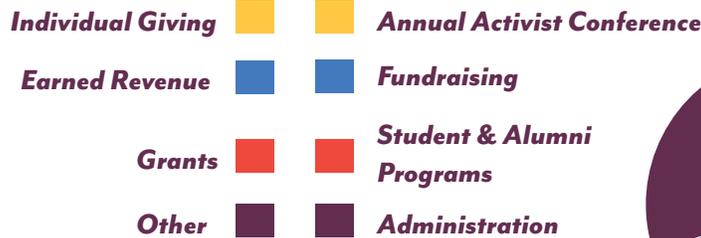
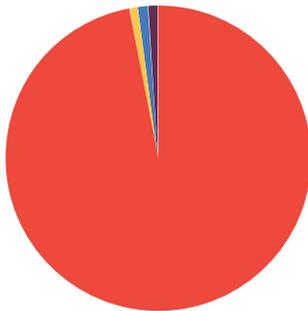
**26 NSSRH chapters across the country**



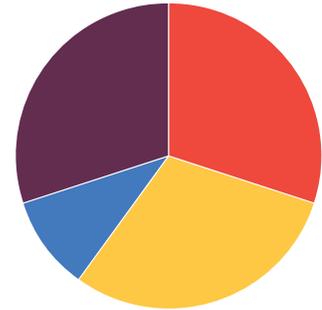
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Graphs below represent our fiscal year July 1, 2015 - June 30, 2016. Questions can be directed to Executive Director, Karmann Peters, at [karmann@nssrh.org](mailto:karmann@nssrh.org).

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