

City of San Antonio



Proclamation

WHEREAS, THE ASSOCIATION OF PERIOPERATIVE REGISTERED NURSES (AORN) SAN ANTONIO CHAPTER #4409 WILL OBSERVE **NATIONAL PERIOPERATIVE NURSES WEEK** NOVEMBER 14-20, 2021, TO RECOGNIZE AND CELEBRATE PERIOPERATIVE NURSES AND THE ENTIRE OPERATING TEAM; AND

WHEREAS, AORN REPRESENTS THE INTERESTS OF MORE THAN 160,000 PERIOPERATIVE NURSES BY PROVIDING NURSING EDUCATION, STANDARDS, AND PRACTICE RESOURCES TO ENABLE OPTIMAL OUTCOMES FOR PATIENTS UNDERGOING OPERATIVE AND OTHER INVASIVE PROCEDURES; AND

WHEREAS, PERIOPERATIVE NURSES SPECIALIZE IN THE CARE OF PATIENTS IMMEDIATELY BEFORE, DURING AND AFTER SURGICAL AND OTHER INVASIVE PROCEDURES, AND ARE EXPERTS IN CALMING THE PATIENT'S FEARS AND PREPARING THEM FOR WHAT WILL HAPPEN DURING THE ENTIRE SURGICAL EXPERIENCE; AND

WHEREAS, THE PERIOPERATIVE NURSE RECOGNIZES THE SURGICAL PATIENT AND FAMILY ARE EXPERIENCING A MAJOR EVENT IN THEIR LIVES, AND THE PATIENT NEEDS EXPERT CARE FOR THEIR MIND, BODY AND SPIRIT.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RON NIRENBERG, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, IN RECOGNITION THEREOF, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM NOVEMBER 14-20, 2021, TO BE

"PERIOPERATIVE NURSES WEEK"

IN SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO TO BE AFFIXED THIS 15TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2021.




RON NIRENBERG
MAYOR