Record Nr. UNINA9910454255803321 Autore Feldman Harriet R Titolo Nurses in the political arena [[electronic resource]]: the public face of nursing / / Harriet R. Feldman, Sandra B. Lewenson New York, NY, : Springer Pub., c2000 Pubbl/distr/stampa 1-281-76578-3 **ISBN** 9786611765781 0-8261-1672-8 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (199 p.) Altri autori (Persone) LewensonSandra Disciplina 362.1/73 Soggetti Nurses Nursing - Political aspects Nursing - Social aspects Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Contents: Acknowledgments: Foreword: Introduction: Chapter 1 Nurses Nota di contenuto in the Political Process: The Face That No One Sees: Chapter 2 Historical Perspective on Nurses Active in the Political Process: Chapter 3 Nurses in the Political Arena: The Face the Public Sees: Chapter 4 Nurses' Action on Social Issues; Chapter 5 Negotiating the Political Process: Lessons Learned; Chapter 6 Creating Political Opportunities; Appendix A: Individuals Interviewed for This Book; Appendix B: Political Action Databases and Audiovisuals on Nurses and Politics; Appendix C: Campaign Posters and Photographs; Index Sommario/riassunto This book was written to encourage nurses to become involved in the political process- by running for office, seeking appointments, or becoming active on some level in local government. The authors interviewed 46 nurses who hold or have run for public office- from Members of Congress to local aldermen. Theses nurses share their experiences on everything from getting informed on the issues, getting involved in a political party, presenting the right image, to fundraising. A chapter on nurses who have made use of the public arena in the past

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