



## Southern Nursing Research Society Annual Board/Committee Report Form

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No later than **January 14, 2011**

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Annual Accomplishments:

1. SNRS RIG handbook drafted and sent forward for final Board approval.
2. RIG Chair positions filled—noted representation of mid-career faculty among RIG leadership.
3. New Health Systems/Health Policy RIG created with leadership in place.
4. Request and approval to create a RIG Leadership Only website to improve communications and provide ongoing organizational support to RIG leaders.
5. Increased proliferation of RIG websites—a majority of RIGs now have a populated website to communicate with members.
6. RIG-sponsored SOJNR issues for the following RIGs: Psychometrics, Parent-Child and Community/Public Health published in 2010 with Minority Health RIG responding to a recent call for manuscripts.



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7. New awards created this year within RIGs (egs., student awards; rising investigator awards) such as the Psych/Mental Health RIG and the Biobehavioral RIG.

Committee Goals for Coming Year:

1. Provide support for incoming RIG Director, Dr. Donna Neff
2. Increased communication within and between RIGs as well as between RIGs and the Board.

Action needed, motion or policy to be approved by the Board:

Final review & approval of RIG Leadership Handbook.