

## Nursing Leadership Council 2008 *Year-in-Review*

### February

- Collaboratively with the Department of Laboratories, addressed plan to improve mislabeled specimens for the Blood Bank
- Collaboratively with the Physician Liaison, identified ways to improve communication with ENT hospitalist
- Celebrated units' successful move to the new Tower
- Kicked off the new Nursing website, Nursing at Sparrow

### March

- Collaborated with Infection Control regarding surgery site infections efforts
- Web On-call for Physicians rolled out to management team

### April

- Critical Value compliance by unit addressed
- Nursing Performance Improvement Quarterly Report presented by Sally Ross
- New process for interviewing Nurse Resident candidates rolled by Tim Sackett, Employment Director

### June

- Bar code labels introduced by IS
- Keystone ICU Quality update provided by Julie Bey

### July

- Service Excellence Service Recovery brainstorming session to ensure consistent information and resource allocation

### October

- ANCC certification prep classes for Nurse Managers announced
- NURSE Newsletter introduced

### November

- Overview of State regulations for interpreters for the Hearing Impaired presented
- Overview of proposed council structure changes provided by Denise Green



### Members:

All Patient Care Services Directors and Department Managers  
Assistant Department Manager Representative  
PECSH Representative  
Performance Improvement Specialist for Nursing  
Chief Nurse Officer