

Proclamation

- Whereas,* there are more than 385,000 licensed Nurse Practitioners (NPs) in the United States with 45,000 NPs practicing in the state of California providing high-quality, cost-effective, patient-centered, personalized health care for nearly half a century; and
- Whereas,* NPs have graduated, advanced education (most have master's degrees and an increasing number have doctorates); and
- Whereas,* NPs order, perform and interpret diagnostic tests, diagnose and treat acute and chronic conditions; and prescribe medications and other treatments; and
- Whereas,* NPs are truly partners in the health care of their patients, so that in addition to clinical services, NPs focus on health promotion, disease prevention and health education and counseling, guiding patients to make smarter health and lifestyle choices; and
- Whereas,* the excellence, safety, and cost-effectiveness of the care providing by NPs is established and well-documented; and
- Whereas,* NPs provide health care to people of all ages and in diverse health care settings such as private office practice, hospitals, long-term care facilities, schools, state and local health departments, managed care facilities, and retail-based clinics; and
- Whereas,* it is documented that patients of NPs are given more personal time and attention than they traditionally receive from other health care providers.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that I, David Lesser, Mayor of the City of Manhattan Beach, California, on behalf of the City Council and the residents of Manhattan Beach, do hereby proclaim November 9th -15th, 2025, as

National Nurse Practitioner Week

in recognition of the countless contributions Nurse Practitioners have made over the past half century and will continue to make on behalf of the health and well-being of citizens in the City of Manhattan Beach.

Dated this 4th day of November, 2025.

ATTEST:

City Clerk Liza Tamura

Mayor David Lesser

