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### *Ten Things Physicians Should Know About Nurse Practitioners*

We know that Nurse Practitioners are an important part of the healthcare system. Check out these 10 reasons that have been compiled very succinctly and professionally.

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### *WHO-IAGG Knowledge Network on Frailty and Sarcopenia*

The International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics (IAGG) will lead a group of 12 experts to meet at WHO Headquarters in Geneva on October 8-9, 2014 to finalize a scientific paper on Frailty. This document is intended for the WHO Global Report on Ageing and Health (to be launched in 2015). In addition, the group will work on the development of a simplified geriatric assessment tool to be used in primary health care by non-specialized health professionals in low and middle income countries. You can read more about IAGG at [www.iagg.info](http://www.iagg.info)

### *Chapter News and Events*

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[Management of HIV in Older Adults in Nursing Home Settings: An Overview](#)  
(session captured at the GAPNA 2013 Annual Conference)

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### ***Would YOU like to submit an article for the GAPNA Website?***

What makes a robust website is member involvement: your experience, your stories, your accomplishments. After all, it's YOUR association! If you would like to write an article for the website, please contact Carolyn Clevenger at [ccleven@emory.edu](mailto:ccleven@emory.edu). If you would like to submit your stories or accomplishments, please send them to [gapna@ajj.com](mailto:gapna@ajj.com). We hope to hear from you!

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### ***Gen Silent movie at the 2014 Annual Conference in Orlando***

We have it! "Gen Silent," the award winning documentary, opens this year's Annual Conference in Orlando. Bring your snacks and beverages. See what happens to LGBT elders in our health care system. Watching this film will change the way you practice and show how you can make a difference in the lives of your LGBT patients. Two contact hours are provided. Register for the conference today!

We hope you join us,  
*LGBT Focus Group*

Register for the conference today!

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### ***GAPNA Fun Fact***

The 7th Annual Conference in 1988 entitled, "Diversity: A Conference for Nurses in Gerontology," was held at the Miyako Hotel in San Francisco, CA with 68 attendees. Registration was \$150 for 21 contact hours. Trudy Keltz, current co-chair of the Historical Committee, helped make that conference happen!

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