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OPHA Nursing Section - A couple things

Thing one: Though the Nursing Luncheon is canceled the section is considering how to give the Leadership Award this year. Stay tuned.

Thing two: The OPHA Annual Conference Call for Abstracts is open. Please pass on the call, write your own abstract, and plan to attend the conference in October. Go to: [Call for Abstracts](#).

Thing three: The APHA Nursing Section Awards are open for nomination for a couple more days. Some of us are exhausted from Covid work, taking care of children, family, neighbors. And some of us are exhausted from watching too much streamed shows - take a break and nominate one of your colleagues from Oregon! Go to: [APHA Nursing Section awards](#).

Thing four: We are interested in whether you would like us to hold a virtual gathering of some kind using a video chat gizmo. If so, what topic would be interesting for your attendance? We know you are getting lots of CVirus information, but maybe there is something of more depth. Maybe you would like to hear about an issue that has been pushed to the back pages but is still of import such as home visiting, vaping, opioids, nursing education, reproductive services, etc. Please let us know your thoughts – send an note to Dianna [dianna001@comcast.net] or Tom [tsengle@frontier.com].

Thing five: Stay up to date with Public Health Nursing and the Environment. Sign up (it is free!) Go to: [ANHE](#) or [News](#) or [Podcast](#).

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