

# ANNA

## *The Year in ANNA History*

# Looking Back: 1973-1975



*Betty Preston  
Oates (1973)*



*Lois Bernbeck  
(1973-1975)*

*Presidents*



### *The Year in Review*

- AANNT representatives attended the Chronic Renal Disease Conference to discuss the chronic renal disease provision of the Social Security Amendments of 1972 (HR-1).
- The Continuing Education Board was established under the Standards of Education Committee.
- Publication of Standards for Hemodialysis, Transplantation, and Peritoneal Dialysis was complete.
- The first issue of the *Journal of AANNT* was published in Fall 1974 with Margery Fearing serving as the first Editor.
- In collaboration with another organization, AANNT took part in the formation of BONENT, and work on certification progressed.
- Seminars-at-Sea were offered to the membership as a means of vacationing and learning at the same time.
- To keep up with increasing activity, Human Resources, Inc. was hired as the association's management firm.
- Membership increased to over 1,600 under Lois Bernbeck during her second year as president in 1974-1975.
- Attendance at the Fifth National Symposium (1974) in Chicago reached 800 while at attendance at the Sixth National Symposium (1975) in Washington also reached 800.

