

COLORADO NURSES ASSOCIATION HALL OF FAME



Jo Eleanor Elliott AM, RN, FAAN

- She received a BSN degree from the University of Michigan with a major in nursing education from the University of Chicago
- She served as director of nursing programs for the Western Council on Higher Education for Nursing, a consortium of collegiate schools of nursing within the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education
- She joined the Colorado Nurses Association in 1957 and was president from 1972-73. She was president of ANA from 1964-68. She served on the first board of the International Council of Nurses from 1965-69
- In 1980, she became director of the division of nursing at the U.S. Public Health Service, Washington, D.C. She served until 1989
 - Her career has been that of providing leadership in nursing education, nursing research and nursing organizations towards the goal of improving the practice and patient care