

April 16, 2009

**RESCISSION OF VHA DIRECTIVE 2004-011, THE SECRETARY OF VETERANS
AFFAIRS' AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN NURSING AND FOR THE
ADVANCEMENT OF NURSING PROGRAMS**

1. By direction of the Under Secretary for Health, this notice rescinds Veterans Health Administration Directive 2004-011, Secretary of Veterans Affairs Award for Excellence in Nursing and the Advancement of Nursing Programs, in its entirety. It has been replaced by VHA Directive 2006-062.
2. All inquiries concerning this rescission should be addressed to the Office of Nursing Services at 202-461-6700.
3. **RESCISSION:** This VHA Notice is rescinded December 31, 2009; however, the information reflected remains in effect.

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