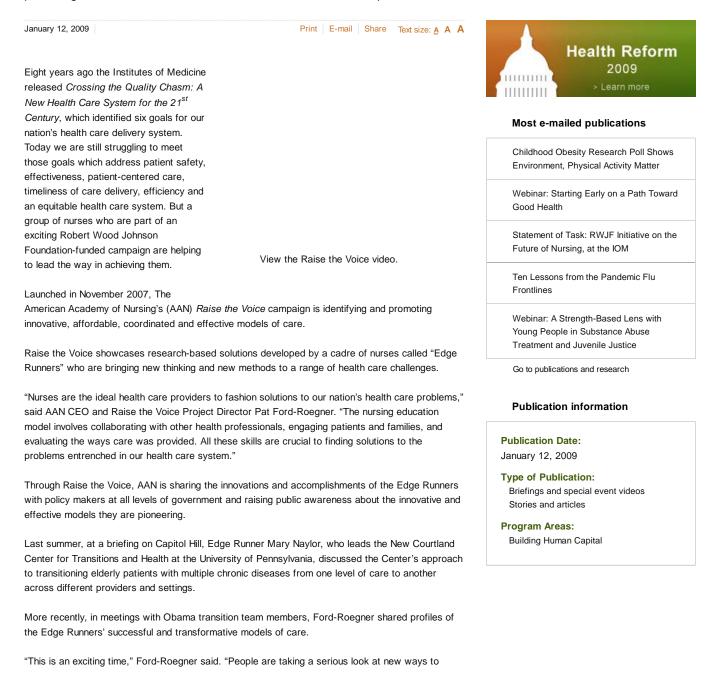
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A new video from the American Academy of Nursing highlights the efforts of nurse leaders in providing research-based solutions to the nation's health care problems.



ensure that all Americans have timely access to health care that is effective, safe and patientcentered. They're beginning to realize that we need to invest in innovative solutions and that nurses are not only crucial to the success of innovative health care models, many of them are developing those models."

"For instance," she continued, "at Naylor's Center they ask the patients, 'What is it that you'd like to be doing?' The answer can be, 'I'd like to play nine holes of golf' or 'I'd like to be able to walk to the corner store without pain and stiffness.' Then the health care providers work with their patients to help them meet those goals. That's how health care should work."

Raise the Voice is continuing to recruit and promote the work of Edge Runners all across the country. The campaign has completed the accomanying video about the Edge Runners, featuring Robert Wood Johnson Foundation President Risa Lavizzo-Mourey, M.D., M.B.A., and former U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services Donna Shalala.

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