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Dr Lamarche is a doctorally prepared nurse scientist, academic and nurse practitioner clinician currently working as Dean of the School of Nursing at Cape Breton University. She is involved on various levels with local, provincial, and national nursing issues, committees, and organizations. With a strong belief in professional advocacy and regulation, she has a history of service with the Canadian Armed Forces, the Canadian Nursing Association, the Canadian Association of Advanced Practice Nurses (president) and the College of Registered Nurses of Nova Scotia (president). She is privileged to learn and grow with colleagues locally, and with a global reach. Most recently, developing as a Global Nurse Leadership Institute Scholar, and a delegate for the World Health Assembly working toward policy supports for linking nursing professional capacity with the WHOs Sustainable Development Goals.