



**Marshall University  
BSN Newsletter, Spring 2021 Edition**

**Summer School**

**Advance Registration for the Summer 2021 Semester is March 15 through March 19** for currently enrolled students.

**Assessment Week**

Watch for emails from university as well as Blackboard for site news

**Advance Priority Registration**

**Advanced Priority Registration for Fall 2021 Semester is April 1st and 2nd**

This is a special registration for currently enrolled freshman and sophomore nursing students. It is necessary that students take advantage of this in order to get into required science courses!

Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall 2021 is April 5th through April 16th (not to be confused with advanced priority registration)

**HESI Schedule Spring 2021**

Please check the schedule below for HESI exam dates and times

<b>HESI Exam</b>	<b>Dates for both Huntington &amp; MOVC</b>	<b>Huntington/MOVC Time Schedule</b>	<b>Huntington/MOVC Location</b>
HESI Management	April 5	1 pm—3 pm	ProctorU
HESI Peds	April 20	4 pm—6 pm	ProctorU
HESI Psychiatric	April 19	9am—11 am	ProctorU
HESI Maternity	April 20	10 am -12 pm	ProctorU
HESI Fundamentals Mon/Wed class + MOVC	April 21	1 pm -3:00pm	Proctoru
HESI Fundamentals Tues/Thru class	April 22	4 pm - 6 pm	ProctorU
HESI Exit-2	April 19	1 pm - 4 pm	Proctoru

**Marshall University School of Nursing**

## Guidelines for Pre-Licensure Registration

1. Student must meet with their academic advisor. Faculty advisors (including MOVC) will post extra office hours before registration. It is the student's responsibility to make and keep their appointment. RN to BSN students may contact their advisor via phone or email.
2. Course registration forms are available in the 4th floor hallway in Prichard Hall on the Huntington campus and in the MOVC office.
3. Huntington students must have their advising hold removed by their advisor after their schedule is approved.
4. Registration via MILO and MyMU for Fall 2021 semester will be available beginning April 5th at 12:01 am (for those who qualify for advance priority registration for Fall).



## Important Dates for Spring 2021

<https://www.marshall.edu/academic-calendar/fall-2021-semester/>

**January 2** - University reopens

**January 19** - First day of class

**February 12** - May Graduation application due in academic dean's office

**February 19** - Last day to withdraw from 1st 8 weeks courses

**March 1** - freshmen/sophomore midterm grades due

**March 8** - 2nd 8 weeks courses begin

**March 19** - University closed-spring holiday

**March 22** - Last Day to withdraw from a full semester individual course

**March 22** - Recommended date to apply for July, August, and December 2021 graduation

**April 2** - Last day to withdraw from 2nd 8 weeks courses

**April 2** - Approved thesis/dissertation must be submitted to the ETD website for Graduate College review

**April 5-16** - Advance Registration for Fall 2021 term for currently enrolled students

**April 19 - April 23** - "Dead Week"

**April 23** - Last class day, last day to completely withdraw from spring semester

**April 23 - April 30** - Finals Week

**May 1** - Commencement

**May 2** - Lightening delay Commencement date

**May 3** - Final Grades Due

**May 10 - Aug 13** - Summer school sessions

**May 31** - Memorial Day Holiday, University closed

**July 5** - Independence Day Holiday, University closed.

**IMPORTANT DATES**



## SNA News

The Student Nurses Association would like to welcome any nursing student to our meetings, which are held the 2nd and last Monday of every month from 12:00 - 12:45 pm in Prichard Hall, Room 427. Our mission is to “mentor students preparing for initial licensure as registered nurses, and convey the standards, ethics and skills that students will need as responsible and accountable leaders and members of the profession.” SNA is also a great way to meet students from higher level classes who can help with tutoring and advice. Membership is \$15/year or \$10/semester.

End of year party honoring graduating seniors will be April 20th at 12:00 pm.

If you are interested in SNA and would like more information, you can contact current President Emily Moore.



## SNA Officers

President - Emily Moore

Vice President - Brooklyn McBee

Secretary - Abigail Plum

Treasurer - Codee Adkins

Historian - Marlie Ramey

Fundraising Chair - Emily Burger



## Fall 2021 Clinical Rotations

If you are a currently enrolled freshman, sophomore or junior nursing student who requires special scheduling by accommodations, you must notify Dr. Ferguson by email to [taylor171@marshall.edu](mailto:taylor171@marshall.edu) by **March 5, 2021**. In order to qualify, you must meet at least one of the following criteria: full time athlete on scholarship for the university (includes cheerleading), employed full-time by a single employer, have a HELP Center accommodation or military/ROTC commitment. Student athletes must have their coaches verify their status as athletes and provide a practice and competition schedule by email. Employers must verify full-time employment status on company letterhead stationery or official company email. Commanding officers must send an official email, letter or fax to 304-696-6739.



## Graduating Seniors Pre-Licensure and RN to BSN

The **Nursing Recognition Ceremony** is pending, at this time. Please check your emails for announcements on the ceremony.

Ticket reservation: Prof. Brown will be passing around a sign-up sheet for pre-licensure students. RN to BSN students need to notify Prof. Brown ([brown270@marshall.edu](mailto:brown270@marshall.edu)) for more information.

### Marshall Graduation

May 1, 2021 - 9:00 a.m. at the Joan C. Edwards Stadium (rain or shine).

May 2, 2021 - Commencement Lightening date

### MU School of Nursing Pins

BSN Nursing pins are available for purchase at C.F. Reuschlein Jewelers in Huntington WV. Contact the store for pricing and to purchase a pin.

Their phone number is: (304) 697-7710.



## Nurses Christian Fellowship

**Nurses Christian Fellowship (NCF)** is both a Christian professional organization and a ministry of and for nurses and nursing students. NCF is a ministry of InterVarsity Christian Fellowship.

“The Purpose of Nurses Christian Fellowship, is to establish and advance in nursing, within education and practice, witnessing communities of nursing students and nurses who follow Jesus and Savior and Lord: growing in love for God, God’s Word, God’s people of every ethnicity and culture and God’s purposes in the world”

(<http://ncf.intervarsity.org/about-ncf/purpose>). Meetings are the 3rd Tuesday of the month, with lesson, prayer and snack at 12 noon in PH 401 and the 1st Tuesday of the month for prayer at 12 noon in PH 401.

Blessing of the Hands will be in April, TBA and Collection for a Food Pantry throughout the month of February.

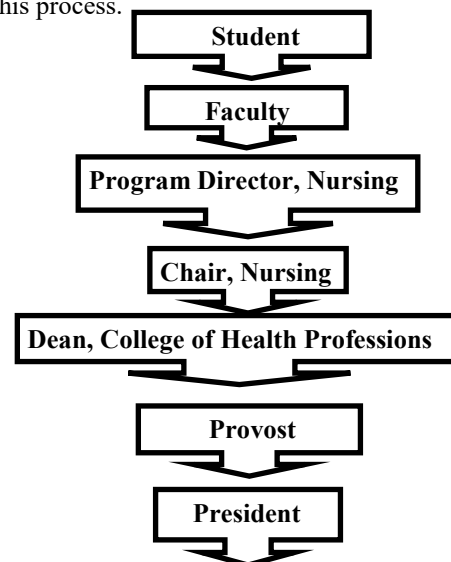
### Serenity Prayer for Nurses:

“God, grant me the Serenity  
to accept the things I cannot change,  
Courage to change the things I can,  
and Wisdom to know the difference.”



## Line of Communication

The organizational framework illustration identifies the lines of communication in the Nursing Program and Marshall University structure. Your Faculty Advisor can assist you through this process.



## Nu Alpha Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau News

The Spring Induction for Nu Alpha Chapter will be **Tuesday, April 13th at 6 PM** in the Memorial Student Center Room BE5. Undergraduate and Graduate students who meet eligibility requirements will be invited to join the Nu Alpha Chapter by email from Dr. Nancy Elkins, current President of Nu Alpha. Students, please follow the instructions given in the email.



## RN to BSN Programs

Surveys for Graduates - If you are in NUR 427, you will be asked to complete an exit survey. Additionally, in 6 to 9 months following graduation you will receive an alumni survey to complete. The School of Nursing would appreciate your comments and feedback so please take time to complete both these surveys. Feedback from students helps the faculty evaluate the program.



Address and Phone - If your name changes, you need to complete the paper work to change your name at the University. If you move or change your phone number, including work number, please update this information with both the School of Nursing and the Registrar's Office at Marshall University.



PPD and CPR - **Please be sure you keep your updated CPR card and PPD on file with Verified Credentials.** According to the SON policy, students who do not have evidence of a current PPD and CPR on file with Verified Credentials cannot participate in project based experiences (NUR 318, NUR 333, NUR 410, NUR 427). Failure to participate will result in failure of the class.



## Announcements for RN to BSN Program Spring 2021

Beginning Summer 2021, nursing classes will be offered during the summer in the same sequence as they are offered fall and spring semesters (7 week classes, two terms over summer). If you are interested in taking classes this summer, please email Dr. Prunty at [prunty2@marshall.edu](mailto:prunty2@marshall.edu) by April 15 to update your plan of study so you can enroll in the summer nursing classes.



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### Degree Works

When students are admitted to the RN to BSN Program, their credits are evaluated, and students are informed if they need additional hours or additional classes to meet the general education requirements and the 120 hours needed for a BSN. Degree Works is a program to help students determine if they have met the needed requirements for graduation. **It is the student's responsibility to contact their Advisor for any discrepancies in Degree Works or any questions about classes to meet the program requirements for graduation.**

### Steps for using Degree Works

- Log onto MyMU from the main Marshall web page (<http://www.marshall.edu>)
- Locate and select the Degreeworks icon from the box in the upper left corner.
- Degreeworks will open. Enter your 901number in the box on the upper left then enter.
- The program's evaluation of your transcript will appear.
- For the RN to BSN there are 2 major blocks to check. The first block lists the nursing classes. The 2nd block lists the general education requirements.
- Each class will have a checkbox on the left. Red means you need the class. Blue means you're enrolled in the class. Green and a checkmark indicates that the class is completed.
- Select the "What if" tab to see how you meet criteria in other majors.
- Be sure to contact your advisor if you see something unusual - like a class you completed not showing as finished or if your record has not been recently updated.

# Marshall University School of Nursing helps organize COVID Vaccination Clinics

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**marshallupres** Thank you to our @marshallucohp Nursing students and faculty, the @cabell\_hlthdept, Office of Student Affairs and all the others who are helping keep the #MarshallUFamily safe by vaccinating us for #COVID19 🍀



Cabell County EMS assists the Cabell-Huntington Health Department with the distribution of COVID-19 vaccines during a drive-thru clinic on Thursday, Jan. 21, 2021, outside of the St. Mary's School of Nursing in Huntington.

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Joanna Rolfe, of Ona, right, receives a COVID-19 vaccine from Marshall University student nurse Angie Bush, left, as health care workers with the Cabell County EMS and Cabell-Huntington Health Department administer vaccines during a drive-thru clinic on Thursday, Jan. 21, 2021, outside of the St. Mary's School of Nursing in Huntington.

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