



## Marshall University MSN Newsletter, Spring 2021 Edition

### RECOGNITION CEREMONY

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

#### Ticket reservation:

Professor Brown will be sending out email information regarding reservations.

### Marshall Graduation Commencement

May 1, 2021 - at 9:00 a.m. at the Joan C. Edwards Stadium, rain or shine. In case of a lightning delay, commencement will be rescheduled for Sunday, May 2nd at 9:00 am at the stadium.



### NOTICE

Any student not enrolled in two consecutive semesters will be dropped from the program.

### Plans of Study

Before the completion of 12 credit hours all students are responsible for completing and signing the **Graduate College Plan of Study** for their respective area of emphasis, and sending the completed form to their advisor for signatures.

**NOTE:** There are two plans of study; first is the working plan you do with your advisor; second is the **Graduate Plan of study submitted to the Graduate Dean's Office**; The official plan should be downloaded from the following Graduate College website:  
<http://www.marshall.edu/graduate/plan-of-study-template>

### Graduate Tuition Benefits

#### **FALL Tuition Benefits for 2021:**

Benefit forms will be available for Fall 2021 this summer. Application forms are online. Check the Graduate College website for this form.  
<https://www.marshall.edu/graduate/costs-and-aid/scholarships-and-waivers/>

**NOTE: You must have a FAFSA form on file with the Financial Aid office to qualify for this benefit. Graduate students receiving assistantships that offer tuition benefits or students classified as Distance Learning may not receive this grant.**

## Required Health Forms

**PPD and CPR** - Please be sure you keep your updated CPR card and PPD on file with Verified Credentials.



*According to the SON policy, failure to provide updated, current health information will result in students not being able to attend clinical.*



## Trouble Registering?

**IF YOU EXPERIENCE ANY TROUBLE REGISTERING FOR CLASSES: PLEASE CONTACT THE NURSING OFFICE.**

Always use your name, your MUID and the class you're attempting to register. Explain your issue and include your Marshall email address.

Contact Mary Burgess for any registration problems. Email your information to [burgess73@marshall.edu](mailto:burgess73@marshall.edu) Thank you.



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**Approved Courses must include both a didactic and skills check-off component!**

**CPR must be done every 2 years.**

**Only the following courses are acceptable:**

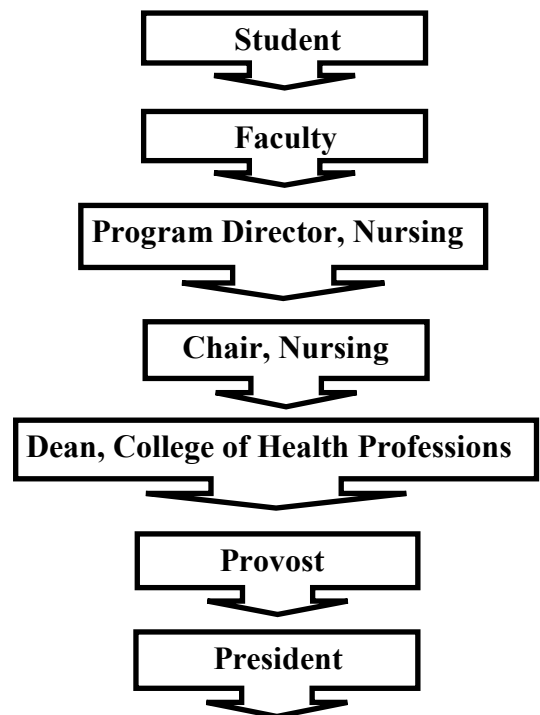
**Documents MUST be one of the following:**

1. American Heart Association Basic Cardiac Life Support for Healthcare Providers
2. American Heart Association Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers Online (Part 1) and Heart Code Skills Session (Parts 2 & 3)
3. The American Safety & Health Institute CPR PRO
4. The American Red Cross courses:
  - A. Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers, or
  - B. Adult and Pediatric CPR/AED, or
  - C. Adult and Pediatric First Aid/CPR/AED
5. American Heart Association BLS Provider
6. American Heart Association Heartsaver First Aid AED
7. The International Occupational Health and Safety Association BLS for Healthcare Provider (Inclusive of adult, child, and infant CPR and AED).

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## 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 13, 2021 at 6:00 pm in room BE 5 in the basement of the Memorial Student Center. Undergraduate and Graduate students who meet eligibility requirements will be invited to join the Nu Alpha Chapter by email from Nancy Elkins, current President of Nu Alpha.

Students please follow the instructions given in the email.

Only students will be invited to attend the Induction Ceremony this year due to Covid 19.

### Important Dates for Fall 2021

- August 23 -** First day of class
- September 6 -** Labor Day (Holiday—no classes)
- September 10 -** December Graduation application due to Graduate Dean's Office
- November 8-19 -** Advance Registration for Spring 2022 term  
(for currently enrolled students)
- November 22-26 -** Thanksgiving Break



**November 29 - December 3 -** "Dead Week"

**December 3 -** Last Class Day

**December 4-10 -** Finals week.

**December 11 -** Winter Commencement

**December 23 - January 3, 2022 -** Winter Break - University Closed

