

Nurse Pinning Ceremony

Processional*..... Pam McGowne
Invocation*..... Kim Nutting
Welcome..... Sheri Stone
Director of Nursing
Honors..... Sheri Stone
Presentation of Pins Nursing Faculty
Lighting Ceremony..... Graduating Class
Nightingale Pledge..... Graduating Class
Recessional*..... Pam McGowne

*Audience Please Stand



DIRECTOR OF NURSING

Sheri Stone, MSN, ARNP, AGCNS

FIRST-YEAR INSTRUCTORS

Julie Gross, MSN, RN

Amy Knipp, ADN, RN

Autumn Pakkebier, BSN, RN

Janae Zerr, BSN, RN

SECOND-YEAR INSTRUCTORS

Kimberla Nutting, BSN, RN

Teresa Martin, BSN, RN

Elizabeth Metcalf, MSN, RN

2026 Graduates

PRACTICAL NURSING

Keilah Bachman
Braydon Binder
Brooke Birney
Amanda Bruce
Blythe Campbell
Kylee Cox
Mya DeBolt
Paige Fisher
Carmen Ginther
Angelica Gonzalez
Liliana Guzman
Grace Harmon
Stacey Holley
Rilee Horacek
Takoa Johnston
Kimberly Lopez
Carmen Manz
Ky Ngu
Shelby Nottingham
Brooke Nuss
Emme Pfannenstiel
Callie Priest
Layla Revilla
Michelle Richmeier
Kirsten Schroeder
Kylee Scott
Jenna Strickler
Madison Sutterfield
Hailey Werth
Tadyn West
Maegan Wright

ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING

Dalton Benedick
Trinity Bennett
Annaleice Birdsong
Abigail Chainey
Kali DeBey
Emma Dibble
Syreeta Dweh-Chennah
Emma Finkenbinder
Megan Gannaway
Peyton Gillespie
Trinity Gnad
Braden Gosselin
Brooke Helmick
Jenna Hinger
Britynn Hovis
Ashlyn Janasek
Madison Key
Sarah Kiguta
Karanne Martin
Victoria Moseley
Shakilla Mwashigadi
Grace Redetzke
Maggy Smith
Shelby Staab
Kyla Trujillo
Peyton Unruh
Kaylee Walters
Kaitlyn Woofter

Florence Nightingale Pledge

I solemnly pledge myself before God and in the presence of this assembly; to pass my life in purity and to practice my profession faithfully. I will abstain from whatever is deleterious and mischievous and will not take or knowingly administer any harmful drug. I will do all in my power to maintain and elevate the standard of my profession and will hold in confidence all personal matters committed to my keeping and all family affairs coming to my knowledge in the practice of my calling. With loyalty will I endeavor to aid the physician in his work, and devote myself to the welfare of those committed to my care.

About Our Nursing Pin

A nursing pin is a badge worn by nurses to identify the school from which they graduated. They are traditionally presented to the newly graduated nurses by faculty as a symbolic welcome into the profession. Most pins have a symbolic meaning and often represent the history of the nursing program for that school.

Green Heart Pins

Students and faculty are wearing green heart pins in honor of our CNA instructor, Silver VanWey, RN, who taught many of the students here today. Silver sadly passed away earlier this spring.



Welcome To The
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