

Fall, 2009 Edition



Marshall University BSN Program News

Advanced Priority Registration

Advanced Priority Registration for BSN Freshmen and Sophomores Nursing Students in the School of Nursing is:

Nov. 5 and 6, 2009.

Freshmen and Sophomores who do not take advantage of this opportunity must wait until the regular Advanced Registration begins. **There are no exceptions to this rule.** Advanced Registration for the Spring, 2010 semester for all full-time currently enrolled students runs:

Nov. 9—20, 2009.

All students must follow these guidelines when registering:

1. Faculty advisors post extra office hours before registration. The schedules are available in individual folders in PH421. It is the student's responsibility to make an appointment with their advisor. All advisors will have advising hours posted October 30, 2009.
2. Student must meet with their advisor to obtain their schedule. The advisor will remove the hold once the student has been advised. This year the Nursing Freshmen and Sophomore students will be allowed to priority register online. After talking with your academic advisor, the advisor will remove your academic hold, and then on Nov. 5 and 6, 2009 you can priority register online or go to the Registrar's Office. If you fail to use priority registration, then you must wait your turn on the regular schedule.

3. MOVOC students will participate in group registration sessions conducted by Mrs. Cline and Mrs. Pope. Details will be provided at MOVOC. Check for any updates.

WELCOME

Dr. Gretchen Oley
College of Health Professions
Interim Dean
Prichard Hall, Room 224

WELCOME

New BSN Faculty:

Susan Booton—Prichard Hall, Room 413-A
Andrea Criss—Prichard Hall, Room 403
Penny Daniels—Prichard Hall, Room 316
Nancy Elkins—Prichard Hall, Room 413-B
Klara Kovac—Prichard Hall, Room 416

HESI Exam Schedule (Fall, 2009)

- NUR 321:** Maternity (Facilitators: Imes and Welch)
December 4, 2009—6:00 pm to 8:00 pm
(Corbly 330 and 332)
- NUR 322:** Psych HESI Exam (Facilitators: Imes and Marra)
December 4, 2009— 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm
(Corbly 330 and 332)
- NUR 325:** MED/SURG (Facilitators: Turner and Imes)
December 3, 2009-9:00 am to 11:00 am
(Corbly 330 and 332)
- NUR 325:** Pharm (Facilitators: Turner and Imes)
December 4, 2009—9:00 am to 11:00 am
(Corbly 330 and 332)

PLEASE NOTE:

**This is the correct telephone
number for Student Health: (304) 691-1100**

SNA News by Kaitlin Bartoe

The Student Nurses' Association is off to an exciting start this year! Mrs. Akers has graciously stepped up to become our advisor! Presentations have been given by Kings Daughters Medical Center and Cabell Huntington Hospital's Health Net Team. Future presentations include Cabell Huntington NICU nurse, Camp Good Grief, an Army Nurse recruiter, and travel nursing.

The first round of flu shots were also a major success!

Meetings are currently being held on the first and third Tuesday of each month in Prichard Hall, Room 427. We invite anyone who is interested in Nursing at Marshall or anyone who is currently in the program and is interested in becoming a member of SNA to stop by and join us for lunch at 12:30 pm. Membership dues are \$8.00 for the year or \$5.00 for the semester.

Feel free to contact us on Facebook at MU SNA 2009-2010. Have a wonderful semester!

SNA Officers:

Kaitlin Anna Bartoe—President

Lauren Anderson—Secretary

Kendra Lloyd—Treasurer

Brittany Sanders—Historian

Heidi Starcher—Fundraising

Ashley Shamblin—Fundraising.

Nu Alpha New by Alissa Parker

Dr. Deanna Pope and Dr. Sandy Prunty will be attending as delegates at the Biennial Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana **this** fall. Dr. Chuck Hossler and Dr. Sandy Prunty will be presenting their research at the convention!

Universal Badges for Faculty and Students

The School of Nursing and College of Health Professions require the use of a Universal Badge for clinical in the hospitals. Any faculty teaching clinical and students (sophomores, juniors, and seniors) must meet this requirement.

The Student ID Office is in the basement of the Memorial Student Center. You will need your MU ID number and one (1) picture ID to have your picture made for your badge. There is a \$5.00 fee that must be paid at the time your picture is made. This fee is your responsibility.

Your badge will be given to you at the ID office at this time.

Only sophomore students are required to have a new ID badge. Juniors and seniors need a new badge if their name has changed.

If you have any questions, please call the Student ID Office (304) 697-6843.

MOVC sophomores need to see Steve Martin to have your picture made for your badge.

Pt. Pleasant—MOVC News

The Pt. Pleasant, WV Campus (Mid-Ohio Valley Center) is a satellite campus of Marshall University. The MU School of Nursing has 50-60 nursing students at the off campus site. The Mid-Ohio Valley Center (MOVC) students participate in the on-campus nursing classes by way of attending virtual classrooms. The benefits of off campus sites such as Pt. Pleasant are that students can attend on campus classes without leaving home, plus, the MU School of Nursing benefits by being able to educate more students due to the geographical expansion of additional clinical sites. The classrooms and nursing laboratory in Pt. Pleasant are state of the art facilities. The primary hospitals used by MOVC nursing students are Pleasant Valley Hospital, and Holzer Medical Center. All pre-requisite classes to enter nursing are offered at MOVC.

Nursing Christian Fellowship MOVC Fall 2009

NCF would like to welcome any student, faculty, or staff to attend our meetings. This is a national organization of Christian nurses and nursing students meetings together for support, encouragement, and the sharing of ideas on how to bring the Christian view into nursing care. This semester we are reviewing articles for the Journal of Christian Nursing and passages from the Bible.

Future activities include distributing 'Finals Survival Kits' for all of the MOVC nursing students; collection of coats, hats, and gloves that were donated to the Serenity House of Gallipolis (a women/children's domestic violence shelter); adopting two residents at the Pleasant Valley Nursing and Rehab Center for Christmas, and the American Traditions basket fundraiser, and a group NCF outing.

The NCF invites all nursing students to attend monthly meetings held as announced. If you have any questions regarding NCF or community activities, please contact Dr. Deanna Pope at (304) 676-7237 or evansd@marshall.edu.

*****Special Note*****

When corresponding or communicating with the MU School of Nursing ALWAYS include your name (please include your MAIDEN and MARRIED name, or if it has changed from what is on BANNER), your 901#, your cell phone and regular phone number (including Area Code) and the year in the program (Freshmen, Sophomore, Junior or Senior) or if you are in RN-BSN Program. All your information should match what is in Banner. If it needs to be updated you can do this by going online or directly to the Registrar's Office. If you do have to update information on Banner, you must notify the School of Nursing of these changes. This assures that you will receive all the appropriate information.

NEW DEADLINE INFORMATION

The NEW deadline for the MU College of Health Professions School of Nursing Health Form, PPD and CPR Certification will be July 15, 2010. NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE TO EXTEND THIS DEADLINE. Students who do not get materials in by this deadline will be administratively withdrawn from all nursing courses for Fall, 2010.

BSN Student Handbook 2009-2010 is available online at:

[www.http://marshall.edu/cohp](http://marshall.edu/cohp)

Thanksgiving Break is November 23—28, 2009.



2010 BSN Graduation Composite Pictures

By

Hedgecock's Photograph

**Pictures will be taken November 4, 2009 between 11:30 am to 6:00 pm
in Prichard Hall, Room 317**

The sign up sheet will be passed around in classes.

You will be previewing your photographs at your session.

Cost \$27.00

Includes sitting fee, two NCLEX photos and one 8X10 composite of BSN Class.

(Must have your picture taken by Hedgecock's to be included in the composite.)

White shirt must be worn for the NCLEX photo and Composite.

If you need to schedule an alternate time call (304) 525-4657 to make arrangements.

Additional photographs can be ordered

One sheet is \$15.00—additional sheets are \$10.00 each

A sheet can be one 8X10 or two 5X7's or four 4X5's or one 5X7 and four wallets or eight wallets.

May change shirt into street clothing if desired

Make checks payable to:

Hedgecock's Photography

We also accept all major credit and debit cards. Also, accept post dated checks for two weeks only.

Special order extra pictures can be picked up after December 1, 2009 at:

Hedgecock's Photography

514 20th Street

Huntington, WV 25701

(304) 525-4657 Composite pictures will be available in May, 2010 at the Nursing Recognition Rehearsal.

Your NCLEX photographs will be delivered to Marshall University.

Questions contact us at (304) 525-4657 or 1-800-533-5419.

We now offer Custom Graduation Announcements.

Prices start at \$40.00 for 25 cards, 4X5 two sided