



**Marshall University  
BSN Newsletter, Fall 2019 Edition**

**Thanksgiving/Fall Break  
November 25th—30th**



**Nursing School Office Hours are  
8:00 am - 4:30 pm  
Monday—Friday**



**Welcome to MUSON newest BSN  
faculty members: Professor Mat  
Brown & Professor Cynthia Sun**

**Advanced Priority Registration for Spring 2020  
Freshmen and Sophomore Nursing Students**

**IMPORTANT: Advanced Priority Registration for BSN freshmen and sophomore Nursing Students in the School of Nursing is: November 7 & 8, 2019.**

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 **Spring 2020** semester for full-time, currently enrolled students runs: **November 11, 2019 - November 22, 2019.**

1. Faculty advisors post extra office hours before registration. The schedules are available in individual folders in PH421 or on the advisor's office door. It is the student's responsibility to make an appointment with their advisor.
2. Student's **must** meet with their advisor to obtain their schedule. After talking with your academic advisor, the advisor will remove your academic hold, and then on **November 7, 2019**, freshmen and sophomore nursing students can priority register online or go to the Registrar's Office. Special scheduling accommodations for spring nursing clinical: If you are a student athlete on scholarship, are in the HELP program, work full-time for a single employer or in active military or ROTC, please email Dr. Turner .
3. MOVC students complete registration with assigned advisors: Dr. Greene or Dr. Pope. Details will be provided at MOVC. Please check Marshall email for updates.

### HESI Exam Schedule (Fall 2018): Huntington and MOVC

HESI Exam	Date	Time	Location	Campus
Maternity (NUR 321)	Mon, Dec 2	10-11:30 am	CH 332	Huntington
PSY (NUR 322)	Tues, Dec. 3	9-10:30 am	CH 332	Huntington
PSY (NUR 322)	Tues, Dec 3	9:30-10:30 am	MOVC 126	MOVC
Med-Surg (NUR 325)	Thurs., Dec. 5	9:30-10:30 am	CH 330/332	Huntington
Med-Surg (NUR 325)	Thurs., Dec. 5	9:30-10:30 am	MOVC 126	MOVC
Pharm (NUR 325)	Fri., Dec. 6	9:30-10:30 a.m.	CH 330/332	Huntington
Pharm (NUR 325)	Fri., Dec. 6	9-10:30 am	MOVC 126	MOVC

In most cases, the HESI practice exam is required before taking the HESI exam, but students should check with course faculty concerning this requirement. Students are to bring Marshall photo ID's and ear buds. Please arrive 15 minutes prior to the exam.

### Important Dates for Fall 2019

**October 25** - Last day to drop a full semester individual course.

**October 28** - Recommended date to apply for May 2020 Graduation

**November 11-22** - Advance Registration for Spring 2020 term for currently enrolled students

**November 25-30** - Thanksgiving Break (University closed November 28 & 29)

**December 2-6** - "Dead Week"

**December 9-13** - Finals week

**December 23 - January 1, 2020** - Winter Break (University Closed)

### **SNA NEWS: Huntington campus**

**Meetings: Second and fourth Monday each month** from 12:15-1:00 pm in Prichard Hall 427. If you send your email to President Raegan Cochran, she can send you information about the closed FaceBook group page for SNA this year. Also you can go to HerdLink and find out information about SNA activities and meetings.

**Officers:** Raegan Cochran-President ([cochran118@marshall.edu](mailto:cochran118@marshall.edu)); Maddy Parsons-Vice President; Emily Holnes-Secretary; Adam Guthrie-Treasurer; Emily Moore-Historian. Faculty Advisor – Dr. Minor ([minort@marshall.edu](mailto:minort@marshall.edu)) & Dr. Bethany Dyer ([b.dyer.marshall.edu](mailto:b.dyer.marshall.edu))

NSNA membership, in addition to the MUSNA is encouraged for all nursing students. Students interested in being officers in the future need to be SNA members.

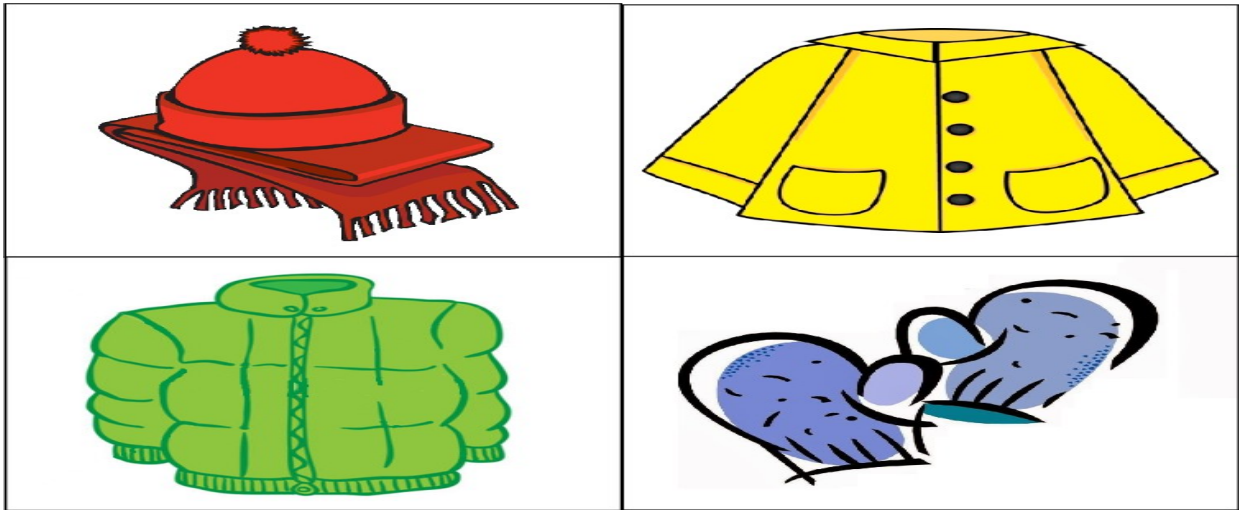
**Activities this semester:** Stethoscope & T-shirt Sale.

**Activities Planned:** Tailgate at MU football games (TBA), peer mentoring with senior officers, State WVSNA October 4th at SMMC Education Center-if interested please contact Dr. Minor. Several \$300 scholarships will be awarded to attendees. Halloween party - CHH pediatrics, Christmas at long term care facility.

CAMC will be on campus December 2, 2019 @12:15 to discuss job opportunities for nurse externs & graduate nursing opportunities.

## Nursing Christian Fellowship (NCF)

Huntington NCF activities for Fall/Spring semesters: **October** - will be collecting winter weather clothing for the homeless. Please drop off any hats, gloves, socks, scarves and coats you wish to donate to Prichard Hall, 4th floor across from the Nursing Office. **December** - Christmas shoeboxes and story time @ CHH. **February** - Canned Food Drive. **April** - Blessing of the Hands. NCF is also working on a mission trip to serve the community, details to be decided. **Meetings are the 3rd Monday of the month. NCF has a prayer box located in PH 421 for prayer requests. Questions please contact Dr. Jessica Maynard or Prof Mat Brown.**



## May Graduation

May graduation is Saturday, May 2, 2020. It is recommended you apply for graduation by **October 28**. The School of Nursing will be hosting a combined **pinning/hooding ceremony in the spring for pre-licensure, RN to BSN, and Masters Students. The date is Thursday, April 30, 2020 at 7pm.**



## SPRING 2020 ADVANCE REGISTRATION SCHEDULE

### For Currently Enrolled Students

#### Seniors:

(90 + hours completed as of 8-26-19)  
Monday November 11, 2019

#### Juniors:

(60 –89 hours completed as of 8-26-19)  
Tuesday Nov 12- Wednesday Nov 13, 2019

#### Sophomores:

(30 –59 hours completed as of 8-26-19)  
Thursday Nov 14—Monday Nov 18, 2019

#### Freshmen:

Tuesday Nov 19—Friday Nov 22, 2019

All RN to BSN Students will be registered for nursing courses by the COHP Office according to their plan of study. RN to BSN students are responsible for registering themselves for non-nursing classes.



## **2020 BSN Graduation Composite Pictures**

**By  
Hedgecock's Photography**

You will be previewing your photograph at the session.

Pictures are taken in **Corbly Hall, Room 439 October 28, 2019 8:00am—5:00pm**  
**If the spots are all taken, please call Hedgecock and make an appointment to go there.**

**If not able to make this day, call Hedgecock to schedule a date/time to go to the studio  
to have pictures taken**

**Students in NUR 421:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F4BADA923A4FF2-senior2>

**Students not in NUR 421:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F4BADA923A4FF2-senior2>

**Cost : \$25.00**

The cost includes sitting fee and 1—8x10 composite of BSN Class  
**(must have your picture taken by Hedgecock's to be included in the composite)**

**All students will wear nursing uniform tops for pictures.**

**MOVC students** are encouraged to come to main campus. Hedgecock's can arrange with  
a photographer in your area to take these pictures for inclusion in the composite if  
you are unable to come to main campus.

Additional photographs can be ordered: See flier sent to you via MUOnline

Make checks payable to:  
Hedgecock's Photography

Hedgecock's accept all major credit and debit cards. They also take post-dated checks for  
two weeks only.

Special order extra pictures can be delivered to the School of Nursing

Composite pictures will be available in April 30, 2020 at Nursing Recognition Rehearsal

Questions—Contact Hedgecock's at (304) 525-4657 or 1-800-533-5419

Hedgecock's now offer Custom Graduation Announcements  
Prices start at \$40.00 for 25 cards, 4X5 two sided.

# MOVC NEWS

## Nursing Christian Fellowship MOVC Fall 2019

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 meeting together for support, encouragement, and the sharing of ideas on how to bring the Christian view into nursing care and our community.

President: Kari Allen

Activities NCF has completed in the past include:

Monthly meetings that include devotion/Bible scripture discussion

Fundraising projects

Offer movie viewing and popcorn/snacks for all MOVC to attend

Finals Survival Pack

Donation to local Snack Pack program Christmas Gift Project

Currently exploring possibility of a local mission trip/project

**\*\* Next meeting: October 21st @ 12:00**

The NCF invites all nursing students to attend meetings as announced via email.

If you have any questions regarding NCF or community activities please contact Dr. Deanna Pope 304/674-7237. Please be checking your Marshall email

## Student Nursing Association MOVC Fall 2019

Officers: President: Caroline Park

Vice-President: Kari Allen

Secretary: Kristen Johnson

Advisor: Dr. Greene at [green35@marshall.edu](mailto:green35@marshall.edu)

Activities this semester: We plan to sponsor a patient at the Nursing Home for Christmas.

Upcoming Events: We are scheduled to conduct an additional Red Cross Blood drive in February 2020. We are planning to play Bingo with the residents at PVH Rehabilitation Center. Multiple fund raising activities are planned to finance community activities.

Future Meetings to be announced.

# RN to BSN News

## Graduation Composite Pictures for Students Graduating December 2019 or May 2020

By  
Hedgecock's Photography

RN to BSN students can have pictures made at Hedgecock's Photography here in Huntington WV or can contact Hedgecock's Photography to have a picture made by a photographer in their own community. Contact Hedgecock's Photography at (304) 525-4657 to make arrangements for the composite photo.

The picture fee is \$25 and this includes an individual composite of the class for the student and allows the student to be pictured with their graduating class on the large School of Nursing composite. All photos for the composite must be completed by March 15. Wear a plain white shirt for the picture.

## School of Nursing Pinning Ceremony for Dec 2019 and May 2020 Graduates

The School of Nursing will be hosting a combined pinning/hooding ceremony in the spring for pre-licensure, RN to BSN, and Masters Students. This is for both December and May graduates. The date is **Thursday, April 30, 2020 at 7pm**. Additional details will be coming via email.

### 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.

## Requirement Reminder

**All RN to BSN students must have up-to-date PPD & CPR on file with Verified Credentials to complete project based experiences within NUR318, NUR333, NUR410 and NUR427.**

**Failure to do so will result in academic withdrawal from the class. Verified Credentials will notify students via email prior to the expiration date giving students time to complete the needed requirements.**

## Graduation

Winter commencement will be held on **Saturday, December 14th** at the Big Sandy Superstore Arena.

**Spring Graduation is May 2, 2020.** Make sure to submit your application on time!



## Student Representation on

The RN to BSN Committee needs student representation. The committee meets on the 1st Tuesday of the month from 12-2PM. Students can participate via conference call. If you can serve as the student representative or as an alternate, please contact Dr. Prunty, [prunty2@marshall.edu](mailto:prunty2@marshall.edu).



## Academic Calendar—Second Semester 2019-2020

<b>January 2, 2020, Thursday</b>	University reopens
<b>January 2, Thursday -- January 10, Friday</b>	Registration/Schedule adjustments
<b>January 12 Sunday, 9 a.m.</b>	Residence halls open
<b>January 13, Monday 8 a.m.</b>	First Day of Classes
<b>January 13, Monday -- January 17, Friday</b>	Late registration/schedule adjustment (add/drop)
<b>January 17, Friday</b>	Last day to add a class
<b>January 20, Monday</b>	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday - University closed
<b>January 21, Tuesday</b>	"W" Withdrawal period begins
<b>February 7, Friday</b>	Applications for May graduation due in dean's office
<b>February 14, Friday</b>	Last day to drop 1st eight weeks courses
<b>February 24, Monday, Noon</b>	Freshmen/Sophomore mid-term grades due
<b>February 24, Monday</b>	Final draft of thesis/dissertation to committee chair
<b>February 28, Friday</b>	1st 8 weeks courses end
<b>March 2, Monday</b>	2nd 8 weeks courses begin
<b>March 9, Monday</b>	Students should schedule appointments with advisors to prepare for advance registration for summer and fall.
<b>March 16, Monday -- March 20, Friday</b>	Advance registration for summer (open only to currently enrolled students)
<b>March 20, Friday</b>	Last day to drop an individual course
<b>March 21, Saturday, Noon</b>	Residence halls close
<b>March 23, Monday</b>	Advance registration for summer (open to admitted/readmitted students)
<b>March 23, Monday -- March 28, Saturday</b>	Spring Break — Classes dismissed
<b>March 30, Monday</b>	Classes resume

<b>March 30, Monday</b>	Recommended date to apply for December 2020 Graduation
<b>April 10, Friday</b>	Last day to drop a 2nd 8 weeks courses
<b>April 13, Monday -- April 24, Friday</b>	Advance registration for fall (open only to currently enrolled students)
<b>April 20, Monday -- April 24, Friday</b>	"Dead Week"
<b>April 24, Friday</b>	Last class day Last day to completely withdraw from spring
<b>April 25, Saturday</b>	Exam day for Saturday classes/Some common finals
<b>April 27, Monday</b>	Advance registration for fall open to admitted/readmitted students except first-time fall undergraduates)
<b>April 27, Monday</b>	Exam Day
<b>April 28, Tuesday</b>	Exam Day
<b>April 29, Wednesday</b>	Study Day/Exams resume at 3 p.m. for Wednesday evening classes
<b>April 30, Thursday</b>	Exam Day
<b>April 30, Thursday</b>	Approved Thesis/Dissertation must be submitted to the EDT web site <i>Electronic Thesis and Dissertation</i> form and graduation fee receipt submitted to the Graduate College Office
<b>May 1, Friday</b>	Exam Day
<b>May 2, Saturday, TBD</b>	Big Sandy Superstore Arena Commencement
<b>May 3, Sunday, Noon</b>	Residence halls close
<b>May 4, Monday -- August 7, Friday</b>	Summer School Sessions
<b>May 4, Tuesday, Noon</b>	Final Grades due
<b>May 23, Saturday -- May 25, Monday</b>	University Computer Services Unavailable
<b>May 25, Monday</b>	Memorial Day Holiday University closed
<b>July 4, Friday</b>	Independence Day Holiday University closed