



# ***PINNING CEREMONY***

**Nursing Class**

**Spring 2026**

**Athletic, Recreation and  
Community Center**

**May 16, 2026  
1:30 p.m.**

# HAGERSTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## SPRING 2026 NURSING GRADUATES

### ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM

Blaire N. Anderson  
Lakin A. Bassler  
Emma H. Burkett  
Alyssa M. Darr  
Nicole R. Davis  
Lindsay A. Eberly  
Savannah J. Gelwicks  
Katie M. Harvie  
Claire V. Hensley

Brianna M. Kylor  
Rachel L. Minnick  
Purity N. Nyanaro  
Alyzia L. Pheabus  
Erika R. Reiter  
Kaitlyn M. Stoner  
Rebecca B. Vandiver  
Bailey A. Wilson  
Maria V. Yenco

### ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING TRANSITION PROGRAM

Sara J. Bittinger  
Holly J. Chambers-McKee  
Natalie C. Coffman  
Nayyara M. Figgins  
Cierra A. Goodman  
Olivia I. Griffin

Andrea E. Martin  
Dalton H. Metcalf  
Alice A. Robinson  
Kiersten L. Stoner  
Tori N. Thomas  
Kristin G. Zambrano

### PRACTICAL NURSING CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

Katleen J. Apolonio  
Marcy D. Asante  
Cara L. Baughman  
Ciara'e A. Cade  
Taylor Deforce  
Sheniqua T. Duncan  
Chelsea K. Fortung  
Kara R. Goshorn  
Tiffany L. Haughie  
Liberty K. Iaea  
Zeenat M. Issah  
Rosanne Maultsby  
Taylor A. Moscatelli

Jahnine R. Mullings  
Kelis A. Ortiz  
Katlynn R. Peck  
Jennifer N. Poper  
Katelyn G. Rodriguez  
Amanda L. Sellers  
McKenzie E. Sexton  
Gia M. Sosa  
Katelyn E. Steele  
Kierra R. Streams  
Widgina N. Valbrun  
Ethan Weeks

# 2026 NURSING PINNING CEREMONY

Processional

Candle Lighting.....Purity N. Nyanaro  
ADN Student  
McKenzie E. Sexton  
PN Student

Welcome & Introductions ..... Kiersten L. Stoner  
ADN Student

History of Nursing Pinning Ceremony ..... Maria V. Yenco  
ADN Student

Congratulating the Graduates ..... Dr. James Klauber  
President

Recitation of Nightingale Pledge.....Graduates

Recognition of Practical Nursing

Award Recipients.....Robin Iker, DNP, RN  
Coordinator, Practical Nursing

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Coordinator, Practical Nursing

PN Graduate Remarks..... Kierra R. Streams

Recognition of Nursing

Award Recipients..... Karen Hammond, MSN, RN  
Director of Nursing

Remarks..... Karen Hammond, MSN, RN  
Director of Nursing

ADN Graduate Remarks .....Lindsay A. Eberly

Pinning of the ADN Students..... Karen Hammond, MSN, RN  
Director of Nursing  
Dawn Nally, RN, MSN  
Assistant Professor, Nursing

Pinning of the PN Students.....Robin Iker, DNP, RN  
Coordinator, Practical Nursing

Special Remarks..... Nursing Faculty

Special Presentation.....Graduating Students

Closing.....Taylor A. Moscatelli  
PN Student

Recessional

## ASSOCIATE DEGREE PIN



## PRACTICAL NURSING PIN



The nursing graduates assembled here this afternoon will become part of history – both of the legacy of Hagerstown Community College’s nursing program and of the tradition of the nursing pin, which dates back more than 1,000 years. Pinning signifies the culmination and attainment of each student’s accomplishments. At the same time, this time-honored tradition pays homage to the highly respected field of nursing and the special kind of graduate it takes to fill the shoes of a nurse. The pin is a symbol of deep love and concern for human life and that the graduate nurse is prepared to provide expert care for the persons placed in his or her charge. It is at once an awesome responsibility and an honor of which each of these graduates is keenly aware.

## THE 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.