

# NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## NURSING PINNING CEREMONY CLASS OF MAY 2024



*“Nursing is an art; and if it is to be made an art, it requires an exclusive devotion, as hard a preparation, as any painter’s or sculptor’s work; for what is the having to do with dead canvas or dead marble, compared with having to do with the living body, the temple of God’s spirit? It is one of the Fine Arts; I had almost said “the finest of fine arts.”*

*– Florence Nightingale*

**Monday, May 13th, 2024  
8:00am - The Walmart AMP  
Rogers, AR**

# NWACC NURSING PROGRAM FACULTY AND STAFF 2024

Carla Boyd, MSN, RNP, Director of Nursing Education  
*Kennetta Wiggins, DNP MSN, RN Assistant Director of Nursing Education*

## FULL-TIME FACULTY

Wendy Dover, MSN-Ed, RN	Ashlee Hicks, MSN, RN
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Thea Kaull, MSN, RN	Leslie Johnson, MSN, RN
Faith Paine, EdD MSN, RN	Susan Keogh, MSN, RN

## PART-TIME FACULTY

Madison McDonald, BSN RN	Kate Steiner, BSN, RN
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*Dean of Health Professions*

*Jessica Camacho, Division of Health Professions Secretary*

# PROGRAM

<b>Processional</b> .....	“Canon in D” Johann Pachelbel
<b>Congratulations and</b> .....	Kennetta Wiggins, DNP, RN
<b>Introduction of Nursing Faculty</b>	<i>Assistant Director of Nursing Education</i>
<b>Greetings</b> .....	Dennis C. Rittle, Ph. D <i>NWACC President</i>
<b>Significance of the Pin</b> .....	Thea Kaull, MSN, RN <i>Faculty</i>
<b>Introduction of Students for Pinning</b> .....	Leslie Johnson, MSN, RN <i>Faculty</i>
<b>Student Pinning</b> .....	Kennetta Wiggins, DNP, RN <i>Assistant Director of Nursing Education</i>
<b>Florence Nightingale Pledge</b> .....	Ashlee Hicks, MSN, RN <i>Faculty</i>
<b>Recessional</b> .....	“My Wish” Rascal Flatts

## A MODERN NIGHTINGALE PLEDGE

*I pledge myself here, before my God and in the presence of this assembly,  
to practice my profession with integrity.*

*I will endeavor to maintain and elevate the standard of nursing,  
both as a science and as an art.*

*I wholeheartedly recognize the importance of high standards of care  
and of personal accountability.*

*I devote myself to the healing, protection, and welfare of those  
committed to my care.*

*I accept a duty to work for the improvement of health in the  
communities in which I live and work.*

*I will hold in confidence all personal matters committed to my keeping,  
and will respect the privacy of medical information.*

*I will act with compassion in ethical matters.*

*I will not knowingly administer or consume any harmful substance.*

*I commit to interdisciplinary collaboration and lifelong learning.*

*I fully acknowledge the seriousness of the responsibility that I accept in  
my calling, and the significance of this pledge that I take today.*

*(Lorita Renfro, BSN, RN)*

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The nursing class members would like to give a special thanks to all who assisted with the planning and preparation for this event.

