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Present

Sister Madeleine Clemence Vaillot Scholarship Day
A CELEBRATION OF STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

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Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing is dedicated to improving the health of people worldwide through increasing the scientific base of nursing practice. Its members are nursing scholars committed to the pursuit of excellence in clinical practice, education, research and leadership. The Society believes that broadening the base of nursing knowledge through knowledge development, dissemination and use offers great promise for promoting a healthier populace.

To achieve this goal, Sigma Theta Tau International is committed to furthering the use of nursing research in health care delivery as well as in public policy. It sustains, supports and interprets nursing’s development and provides vision for the future of the discipline and health care through its network of worldwide community of nurse scholars. It is a non-political organization that makes available its diverse non-political organization that makes available its diverse resources to all people and institutions interested in the scientific knowledge base of the nursing profession.
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Scholarship Day 2021 Poster Presentations

Undergraduate Students

Developing a Kinesthetic Learning Plan to Promote Self-Care for Hospitalized Heart Failure Patients
   Allyson Andrade

Intimate Partner Violence Educational Program Among Middle School Students
   Abigayle Manchester

Nursing Faculty and Senior Nursing Student’s Attitudes Toward Complementary and Alternative Medicine (CAM)
   Helen Teklehaimanot

Evaluating an Older Adult’s Ability to Manage Medications
   Alexander Cerqueira

Cardiovascular Risk Factors: Differences in Knowledge and Perception Between Black and Caucasian College Students
   Hazel Wood

Attitudes of Nursing Students Regarding Caring for Patients with Substance Use Disorder
   Tessa Camboia

Perceptions of Undergraduate Students on the Influenza Vaccine and its Associated Risks
   Katelyn Cox

RN-BS Students

The Importance of Documenting SOGi Data in HER
   Steven Hullings RN

ABS Students

Health Promotion Project: Vaccinating Glendora, MS
   Celine Burns, Sarah Aguiar, James Darigan, Bridget Forth, Natalia Mata, Farida Mass, Diane Powers, Hayley Zackarian

Health Promotion: Obesity in Glendora, MS
   Kellie Thy, Meaghan Kay, Lindsay Lunn, Brandon Rapoza, Morgan Fitzgerald

Health Promotion for Adolescents in Glendora, MS
   Aryana daSilva, Hunter Smith, Jessica Napoleon, Sophia Studante, Andrew Guest
A Call to Action to Mitigate Obesity
Kherri-Lynn Donnelly BSN, RN, ONC

Development of Care Guide for Parents/Caregivers of Children with OEIS (omphalocele, exstrophy, imperforate anus and spinal defects).
Paula Cruz BSN, RN, CNOR

COVID-19 Vaccine Hesitancy In Healthcare Workers
Henry Lee, RN

Depression screening in elders with mild to moderate dementia
Erica Barratt

Debriefing after Critical Incidents for Emergency Department Nurses and Clinical Technicians
Mikayla Florio, BSN, RN

Improving Colonoscopy Preparation Quality
Jennifer Cores, BSN, RN

End-of-Life Communication Training for Oncology Nurses
Jillian McMahon, RN, BSN

Teaching Medical-Surgical Nurses How to Use Teach-Back with Patients on Discharge
Erica Kingsbury, BN, RN

New Graduate Registered Nurse Transition and Reflective Practice Theory: A Theory Synthesis
Joyce H. Cadorette, MSN, RN, CAPA, CPAN

Resilience, Chronic Illness, and Schizophrenia: A Concept Analysis
Gerri-Lyn Boyden, MSN, RN

Grief of Family Caregivers of Individuals with Dementia
Kimberly Gabriele

Application of Choice Theory in the Management of Student Incivility in the Online Environment
Danielle E. Shaver, MS, RN, CNE, IBCLC

Caregiver Self-Care Needs and Practices: An Integrative Review
Kathryn Sabo, MS, RN

Powerlessness in Caregivers of Persons with Alzheimer's Disease: A Concept Analysis
Jean Marie Gouveia, MS, RN, CNE

Perceptions of Racial Microaggressions in Prelicensure Nursing Education Among Students of Color: An Integrative Review
Karen Hunt, MSN, RN, RD, CNE

A Socioecological Theory of Heart Failure Self-Care
Michelle Whyte