



UNIVERSITY OF  
CHARLESTON

CAPITO DEPARTMENT OF NURSING

INAUGURAL  
Master of Science  
Family Nurse Practitioner's  
PINNING &  
WHITE COAT  
Ceremony

Friday, December, 2023 | 6:00 p.m.

Erma Byrd Gallery | Rigglesman Hall

## Invocation

Ashley Hill

## Welcome

Dr. Betty Beimel

## Presentations

Students

## White Coat Dawning of Graduates

Dr. Breanna Fuhrman

## Pinning of Graduates

Professor Skylar Marsh

## Presentation of Class and Benediction

Dr. Betty Beimel

## MSN-FNP Graduates:

**Randy Berry III**

**Turome Chandler**

**Heather Condee**

**Ashley Hill**

**Matthew Snuffer**



## Master of Science (MSN) Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) Pin

This inaugural class provided input into the pin that they will be presented with this evening.

The pin is maroon and gold which are the colors for the University of Charleston.

*Non Ducor Duco* is a Latin term that means, "I am not led. I lead." Family Nurse Practitioners are advanced practice Registered Nurses (APRN) who lead health care teams. FNP's assess, diagnose, and treat patients across the life span, from prenatal to elderly primary care. They play an increasingly important role in their health care communities. Our graduates will take an FNP certification examination which is an entry-level competency-based examination that tests clinical knowledge in families and individuals.

Riggleman Hall is the building that is seen in the background on the nursing pin. It is the location of the nursing program.

The nursing lamp is an iconic symbol most notably associated with Florence Nightingale, known as the Lady with the Lamp, who cared for ailing soldiers during the Crimean War. She is credited with creating modern nursing education and using her scientific evidence to care for patients.

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