

## *The Shift Report*

*May 2024*

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Save the Date to attend the CNSA 2024 Annual Convention! We are excitedly making plans and will share more information soon! Watch out for registration to open in the coming weeks.

If you haven't attended a CNSA Convention yet, attendees can expect trainings, educational sessions, networking opportunities, and a lot of FUN!

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### *Nurses Appreciation Month*

This month CNSA would like to step back from highlighting a specific career and give thanks and appreciation to all the nurses out there in each type of profession. Nurses Appreciation Month is a time to recognize the dedication, compassion, and tireless commitment of these healthcare heroes who selflessly care for us in our times of need. Nurses are the backbone of the healthcare system, working day in and day out to provide comfort, healing, and support to patients and their families. From bedside care to complex

medical procedures, they play a vital role in every aspect of the delivery of healthcare.

This month serves as a reminder to express gratitude to nurses for their unwavering dedication and the sacrifices they make to ensure the well-being of others. It's a time to reflect on their hard work and to acknowledge the challenges they face. As nursing students preparing to start on your journey as nurses, let us take a moment to appreciate the invaluable wisdom of experienced nurses. These mentors, with their wealth of knowledge and seasoned expertise, serve as inspiration to our careers, offering invaluable guidance and support to the next generation of nurses. Let us be profoundly grateful for the patience, encouragement, and mentorship they provide, shaping us into compassionate and competent caregivers. With their guidance, we are empowered to make a difference in the lives of those we serve. Their commitment to patient care serves as an inspiration to us all.

So for this Nurses Appreciation Month, let us take a moment to thank nurses for their invaluable contributions to our communities. Whether through a simple gesture of appreciation or a heartfelt thank-you note, let us show our gratitude for the extraordinary care they provide each and every day.

To all the nurses out there, your compassion, dedication, and unwavering commitment to healing, make the world a better place. Thank you for all that you do.

### *Congratulations and Thank You!*

All Month- National Critical Care Awareness and Recognition Month and Oncology Nursing Month

May 6th- National Nurses Day

May 8th- National Student Nurses Day and National School Nurse Day

May 6th-12th National Nurses Week

May 12th - International Nurses Day

## Join A Committee!

Are you interested in getting more involved with CNSA? Are you a leader in your Chapter and want to connect with other nurse leaders? Do you like to collaborate and work as a team? Consider joining a Committee!

- Chapter Connections and Member Engagement
- Image of Nursing & Breakthrough to Nursing
- Nominations and Elections
- Bylaws and Governance
- Philanthropy & Awards
- Legislative/Resolutions
- Convention Planning
- Community Health
- Communications

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Do you want to spotlight your school chapter on CNSA's Social Media? If so, please fill out the form below! CNSA would love to recognize our school chapters for doing exceptional things on their respective campus and community! If you have any questions, please email one of our Communications Chairs, Sixta at [sixta@cnsa.org](mailto:sixta@cnsa.org).

[Complete Form Here!](#)

### Downloadable Resources

Did you know that CNSA Members have access to downloadable resources? Logging into your profile on the CNSA website will give you access to a variety of resources. You can now download: **Gender Inclusive Clinical Terminology or Careers Pathway Worksheet**



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### **Check Out the CNSA Job Board Connecting Talent with Opportunity!**

To search jobs or post a job, [CLICK HERE!](#)



### **Have you heard of Discord?**

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### Get Connected and Join CNSA on Remind

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### Helping Nursing Students Through the Tough Times

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**CNSA Annual Convention  
November 22 - 24**

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