



AUGUST 15, 2022

CONHS NEW FACULTY

CONHS WELCOMES CLS PROGRAM

Dr. Jean Sparks



Dr. Felix Omoruyi



Dr. Qianqian Liu



Welcome CLS

- The College of Nursing and Health Sciences is pleased to announce the addition of the Clinical Laboratory Science Program, formerly of the College of Science and Engineering.
- Founded in 1959 as a hospital-based program at Christus Spohn Shoreline, the Clinical Laboratory Science Program joined the now Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi in 1975. Over a 12-month period, the program educates students to become clinical laboratory professionals that are qualified to work in hospitals, clinics, public health laboratories, physician's offices, research, sales, and consulting.
- Essential members of the healthcare team, clinical laboratory scientists are responsible for a variety of chemical, hematological, immunological, microbiological, serological, and other laboratory procedures that are required in over seventy percent of all patient diagnoses.



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Dr. Melissa Leal Assistant Professor (Nursing Practice Department)

Dr. Melissa Leal is a maternal newborn nurse with experience in labor and delivery and home health. Her EdD is in general education and her Master's degree is in nursing education. Her research focuses on bullying and the mental health of children in school as well as nursing simulation.



Dr. Cynthia DeLanie Assistant Clinical Professor (Nursing Education Department)

I come with a variety of nursing experience including pediatric acute care, pediatric ICU, labor and delivery, outpatient surgery, and long term care. My teaching experience includes foundations, medical/surgical clinical, pediatric clinical, and preceptorship. I have a passion for technology and my have developed several virtual simulations. My research interest involve self-regulated learning and nursing skill achievement. I look forward to the new learning opportunities and professional growth TAMUCC has to offer!





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Beth Johnson Assistant Clinical Professor (Nursing Education Department)

Beth Johnson is a Nurse Practitioner certified in family medicine with a focus on community and women's health. She received her Master's degree in Nursing Education from the University of Texas at Austin and Post-Master's Nurse Practitioner certification from Texas A&M University Corpus Christi. Ms. Johnson and her family are new to the Coastal Bend area and she enjoys fishing and spending time on the ranch.



Anna Haga Assistant Clinical Professor (Nursing Education Department)

Anna M. Haga, MSN, RN is an ICU nurse with focus on cardiac and Covid-19 patients. She received her MSN in Nurse Education from TAMUCC in May of 2020. She has been adjunct for Med Surg I & II since Summer of 2020. She has special interest in harm reduction and prevention of disease in at-risk populations as well as care of the stroke patient. She is mom to 3 daughters: Carmen, Soleil and Lydia.





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CONHS SAVE THE DATE



August FOW

Tuesday, August 23rd

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

CONHS Large Conference Room



CONHS Fall 2022 Meeting

August 17th, 2022

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Bay Hall 103

(light snacks will be provided)

August CONHS Team

Birthday and Anniversary

Celebrations Held Tuesday Aug 23rd @ 12:30pm in Breakroom



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CONHS COMMUNICATIONS

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pam.ortiz@tamucc.edu.**

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CONHS STUDENT HIGHLIGHTS

SUMMER 2022 COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY



Congratulations to all of our Summer 2022 graduates!

We are so proud of you all!

CONHS Assistant Professor, Dr. Heather DeGrande, had the honor of serving as "Mace Carrier" for this Commencement.

To view the full photo gallery of this ceremony, please click below:

<https://photos.tamucc.edu/Events/Events-By-Year/2022/080622-Commencement/>



Congratulations!





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SUMMER 2022 RECOGNITION CEREMONY



Congratulations to all of our Summer 2022 CONHS graduates! We are so proud of you all!

To view the full photo gallery of this ceremony, please click below:

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You did it!



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CONHS STUDENT HIGHLIGHTS



SIGMA THETA TAU



Congratulations to all of our honor society inductees! We are so proud of you all!

To view the full photo gallery of this ceremony, please click below:

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The Upsilon Phi Delta (UPD) Honor Society induction ceremony, recognizing excellence in healthcare administration, was conducted on 29 July 2022. Dean Aziz and Drs. Sparks, Owens, and Durant awarded honor cords and certificates to six graduating HLSC seniors. Congratulations to the inductees!



Petra Martinez and her students taken on the last day of their clinicals at South.



Another week for Med Surg I and II students during the summer semester



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Dr. Tammy McGarity hosted a reception for the graduating DNP students, Kira Cortex, Amanda Estrada, Brenda Buckner, Coleen Eaves, Merlendi Brown, and Rosa Perez, to present posters outlining their projects. During the reception, the August graduates mingled with guests to discuss their project outcomes and answer questions.



CONHS Nursing Students conduct back-to-school screenings with South Coastal Area Education Center at Tuloso High School. Our students screenings included measuring height and weight, as well as performing blood pressure screening for physicals for approximately 300 people.

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Leigh Shaver and 10 NURS4660 students traveled to the Soltis Center, near San Juan, in Costa Rica, for their community health clinical rotation. The students worked with two local schools providing health screenings and local families providing home visits and educational interventions. They participated in a health fair at the community center with interventions focused on problems and concerns assessed in the community. They immersed themselves in Costa Rican culture, developing their Spanish communication skills, learning about the local diet and alternative remedies, and experiencing the diversity of the environment's flora and fauna. They will take their experience with the Costa Rican people into their nursing practices with a greater appreciation of sharing the world with others and a broader understanding of health.



Study Abroad

COSTA
RICA





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CONHS SAVE THE DATE



**August 17-19, 2022
8:00 am - 5:00 pm
University Center**

SUPER SATURDAY

Help with financial aid, admissions, advising,
and more!

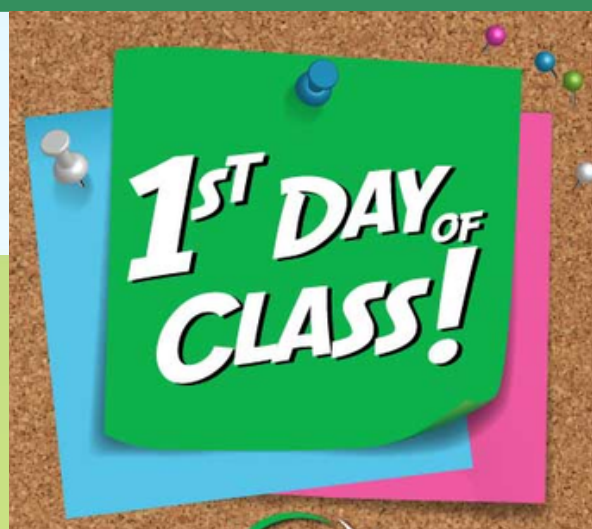
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9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

O'Connor Building Lobby

**Open to current and prospective students to receive
enrollment assistance for the fall 2022 semester.**

**Get help with financial aid, admissions, advising, and
more!**



**Monday
August 22, 2022**



**Start the school year off with a bang! Beach Bash on
Friday, Aug. 26 from 7-10 p.m. on the Performing Arts
Center lawn.**