



Welcome to the



College of Pharmacy
& Health Sciences

Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing White Coat Ceremony

Friday, August 22, 2025

3:00 pm

Sheslow Auditorium

Drake University



AGENDA

I. WELCOME

Dr. Erik Maki

Dean, College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences

II. INTRODUCTION OF STUDENTS

Dr. Katie Scott

*Program Director & Associate Professor,
Nursing*

III. PRESENTATION OF WHITE COATS

Dr. Abby Rail

Assistant Professor of Nursing

Dr. Amanda McGraw

Assistant Professor of Nursing

Marshal: Dr. Michael Nelson

Assistant Dean for Student Affairs

IV. PLEDGE OF PROFESSIONALISM

Lance Schmitt

*Chief Nursing Officer, VP of Nursing,
Broadlawns Medical Center*

V. CONCLUDING REMARKS

Dr. Erik Maki

Dean, College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences

MEANING OF THE WHITE COAT CEREMONY

Coating ceremonies have been a symbolic milestone for Drake University College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences students since 1988. These ceremonies mark the beginning of a journey for Nursing students as they transition into the professional program. The students will receive their traditional white coats and name tags and read the Nursing Pledge of Professionalism with their cohort before their families and friends.



COAT RECIPIENTS

Aspen Ball
Claire Boley
Ava Bruckner
Savanna Busch
Ryley Covington
Ana Formaro
Emma Godbold
Bennett Gronstal
Graham Hagan
Genesis Hernandez-Cruz
Jennifer Hinton
AJ Jurgens
Elyse Landever
Cynthia Lara Estrada
Kaitlyn Le
Addison Lemke
Greyson McKinney
Naomi Nelson
Gabrielle Schnathorst
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Kirsten Small
Noah Spencer
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