

With Attached Photo: 2022 Nurse Camp students participate in a mock laparoscopic surgery.

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## **Southeast Georgia Health System and College of Coastal Georgia to Host 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Nurse Camp**

BRUNSWICK, Georgia: April 24, 2023 – Southeast Georgia Health System and College of Coastal Georgia are excited to host the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Nurse Camp, July 11-14, 2023. The four-day camp is open to high school students entering grades 11 and 12.



Students will have the opportunity to experience nursing at Coastal Georgia and the Health System's campuses in a variety of areas and specialties. The unique four-day camp experience will include nurse shadowing, exposure to clinical care in both simulation and real-life settings, and allow students to develop a better understanding of health care career opportunities. In addition, students will earn a CPR and basic first aid certificate, issued by Coastal Georgia nursing faculty.

“The camp is an excellent opportunity for high school students to develop an understanding of the diverse possibilities a nursing career offers,” says Shannon Wainright, RN, MBA, director, Patient Care Services. “In addition, the experience increases their awareness of the exceptional education opportunities offered by Coastal Georgia and the quality of health care in our area.”

Space is limited. Participants must be in good academic standing. To register, students must submit an application, letter of recommendation from a school official and a Nurse Camp essay by Monday, May 15. Registration information can be found at [sghs.org/nursecamp](http://sghs.org/nursecamp). The cost of the camp is \$75 upon acceptance. This year, an additional pricing option is available that includes overnight campus residential housing at Coastal Georgia and all meals for a total of \$225.

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