

LEGISLATIVE RALLY/NURSES DAY AT THE CAPITOL

The Missouri State Association of Licensed Practical Nurses Legislative Rally is scheduled for Thursday, April 12, 2018 at the State Capitol Rotunda in Jefferson City. The program begins with the opportunity for everyone to visit with their legislators followed by an informational session. You will have the opportunity to: 1) hear legislators speak of the importance of advocating for the nursing profession and your patients, 2) talk with your legislators concerning issues vital to the nursing profession, 3) increase your awareness of the roles nurses play in the political arena, and 4) voice your concerns regarding legislation affecting practice, patient safety, preventive care and health education.

At 11:00 am we will break for lunch and at 12:30 pm we will meet at the Governor's Building, (corner of Madison/Capitol Ave. this is walking distance from the Capitol) for our afternoon session.

We will have presentations on "Active Shooter/Violence in the Workplace", and the opioid epidemic and the stigma of addiction.

We will end the day with a word from our President and announce the winners of the MoSALPN and MCPNE scholarships and draw the winner of the Branson Get-A-Way.

Registration forms can be found on the website, www.mosalpn.org or you can call the office at 573-636-5659 or email us Vickie.smith.mosalpn@centurylink.net.

More information will be sent to schools and posted to the MoSALPN website in the coming weeks.

**We hope to see support for the LPNs in Missouri at the Capitol on
April 12, 2018**