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## NURSING PROFESSIONS

The **Platinum Educational Group** newsletter is dedicated to Nursing instructors, administrators, and providers. If you have any questions please reach out to us anytime either by [email](#) or call **616.818.7877**.

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### Keep Your Momentum Going!

It is exciting to know summer break is right around the corner. Keep your momentum strong by pre-planning for your program next semester! It can be challenging to start anything new, but our team and proven pass rates should put you at ease! You can have the ability to track everything online and eliminate paper and spreadsheets! You can upload documents for your students to review. One of the favorites – your students can use our app to log their clinicals and more!

**Platinum Educational Group has outstanding odds via a 100% guarantee for passing the NCLEX-PN and NCLEX-RN on the first attempt!** Come see why so many people trust us in their programs!

Our team can get your cohort up and running with our platform quickly and easily even if it has already started!! **We have more than 75+ years of combined education, testing, skills tracking, clinical scheduling, and compliance reporting expertise.**

**To all you Nursing educators out there—thank you from all of us at Platinum.**

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## Who is Platinum Educational Group, exactly?

As Platinum Educational Group continues to broaden the versatility of its solutions for healthcare professions, as well as increase our audience, we would like to remind people of who we are and what we do!

We are staunch advocates for the highest degree of training for all Nursing levels. **We are proud to boast the best testing prep and skills-tracking programs for each.**

**\*Factoid—Since 2015, We have delivered 500+ new features and updates for our customers, many at their request!**

**Our Mission:** Deliver valid & reliable testing, scheduling, competency tracking, & compliance reporting solutions.

**Our Vision:** Every learner in the world can benefit from our solutions.



## Price Increase Notification for 2023- Reminder

**Effective August 1, 2023**

Platinum Educational Group has not had a price increase since 2018, however, our pricing schedule will increase **slightly** in 2023. These increases will not affect training institutional fees, but student fees will see a **nominal** change. We do our best to not for our valued customers, but at times it is unavoidable.

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## Applications Open for 2023 Scholarships for EMS, Nursing, and Allied Health Students!

**No Essay Required!**

Platinum Educational Group's annual scholarship's goal is to provide students entering the EMS, Nursing, and Allied Health fields with assistance in funding their early higher education. These scholarships are intended for certificate programs or students in undergraduate degree programs. We have made our 2023 scholarships so easy to apply for! There is no essay or

recommendation form requirement! We loved the selfies so much last year, we are doing it again!

**WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY AND WHAT ARE THE REQUIREMENTS?**

**Platinum Educational Group is Helping Nursing Programs Raise Their Pass Rates**



### Affordable Online Testing Platform

The staff at Platinum Educational Group understands the obstacles of budgets when it comes to programs looking for affordable online solutions to assist your students. It is especially difficult raising and keeping pass rates up due to limited reasonably priced resources, questionable content validity, and higher cost of study tools that your program experiences. In 2016, Platinum created their online exam simulation platform, called [PlatinumTests.com](http://PlatinumTests.com), for Nursing training institutions.

Some of the unique qualities that distinguishes PlatinumTests.com from other NCLEX study prep companies include:

- **True Computer Adaptive Testing that mimics the NCLEX exam testing format.**
- **Test simulator that can accurately predict your students' NCLEX exam readiness.**
- **Detailed reporting that shows topic and module strengths and weaknesses.**
- **Unlimited testing! No cap limits on how many tests a student can take.**
- **Affordable. Only a one-time fee of \$45 for LPN/LVN students and \$90 for RN students.**

Access to over 3,000 PN and 4,000 RN objective-based questions written and reviewed by industry experts in Nursing.

**Stop spending hours creating your own tests or paying a king's ransom for a quality solution! We have an affordable online testing solution that will amaze you!** We would be honored to show you our online testing solution. Simply click the link below, select your State, and **then find a time that works for you!** We look forward to meeting you!

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**“We love PlatinumTests and find that it is very user-friendly. It saves me a ton of time when creating tests and was blown away at how cost-effective it was! I remember asking Platinum Educational Group HOW they were so much less than other online programs I looked at. They truly saved my program and students money while offering an amazing online testing solution! Their Customer Support is also wonderful and extremely responsive!” Missy Lemasters MSN-ED, RN-BC, Practical Nursing Coordinator, Trumbull Career & Technical Center (OH)**



### Finally, Nursing Competency and Externship Tracking Made EASY and AFFORDABLE!

We have heard for years about the challenges of keeping track of students' competencies and externship efficiently. That's why we have developed a competency tracking program, entitled Platinum Planner, that will take care of it all for you--**easily and with no institutional cost!** This flexible program tracks clinicals, externship, schedules, and any other competencies. It is customizable to **YOUR** specific Nursing program using **YOUR** terminology. It assists in clinicals, labs, and classroom experiences. It also generates reports for student progress and accreditation standards—**all in an easy-to-use electronic format! Platinum Planner comes with a FREE fully functional mobile app for students and clinical instructors!**

Do not waste time tracking your students with paper and pencil or with expensive online platforms! We have an easier and more cost-effective solution!

[Top 10 Reasons to Use PlatinumPlanner.com](#)



## 6 Ways to Modernize Your Hiring Process with Technology

By Levi Perkins, Corporate Screening

Technology has already changed the way companies recruit, transforming the job posting and application process and providing more options for how companies and candidates engage. The power of technology isn't just about the capabilities of hardware and software; technology really comes alive when it is combined with human judgment, analysis, and creativity.

Just as robots help workers on the shop floor perform their work with more precision and electronic health records allow caregivers to provide better-informed care to patients, technology is an excellent supplement to the efforts and actions of individuals involved in the hiring process. According to one survey, nine out of 10 recruiters said they were excited about working more closely with new technologies.

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## Changes to Our Chat Feature

Elizabeth Cagle, Customer Service Representative, Platinum Educational Group

Recently we have made some changes to our chat feature that we hope will make connecting with our Support Team easier. For those who are not familiar with our chat feature, you can initiate a chat by selecting the red Help link at the bottom of your page. During business hours a Live Chat link will be available from the pop-up window; this will connect you with the next available Support Representative.

When you start a chat while signed into your account, our system will identify you as an authenticated user. This means that it will no longer ask you for information such as your email address and phone number.

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## Episode 54: Know The Rules! Evaluation

By Kim Shuttters Software Quality Validation Engineer

It is important for Covered Entities (CEs) and Business Associates (BAs) to know if their security plans and procedures continue to adequately protect their electronic protected health information (ePHI). To accomplish this, CEs and BAs must implement and monitor your Evaluation Plan.

environments.

CEs and BAs must periodically evaluate their strategy and systems to ensure that the security requirements continue to meet their organizations' operating

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## From the Customer Support Team

**Q:** How does our transfer process work at Platinum Educational Group, and can I transfer skills?



**A:** Being able to transfer students into their correct course has gotten a little easier. Using the form at the URL below, just fill out all relevant information, and submit. This will send a ticket right to our support team to begin the transfers. Once a transfer is complete, we will notify the requesting admin that that transfer process is done.

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**“Platinum Planner IT is great with helping to fix our issues and work out any kinks we have! Couldn't ask for a better service for our students!” Nancy Huff, Instructor at El Paso Community College**

## News From Our Allies in Education

Every month we feature a key news snippet or other information from our allies in Nursing Education. Contact us if you want to connect and see how we can collaborate!



### **Making dreams a reality. Helping students pass the NCLEX since 1971.**

Our mission is to help repeat test-takers and foreign-trained Nurses pass the NCLEX®-RN/LPN exam. Our comprehensive content review course is designed to decrease test anxiety, instill self-confidence, and consistently deliver great results.

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## **Customer Showcase: Mohave Community College (AZ)**

Every month we give a little bit of love to one of our valued customers! This month we celebrate the awesome Nursing **Staff**

**at Mohave Community College (AZ).**

Mohave Community College (MCC) was established as a county college by a vote of the people in October 1970. Recognizing the vastness of the service area, the first Board of Governors made a commitment to establishing three main campus sites. In June 1971, J. Leonard and Grace Neal donated 160 acres of land where the college's first facilities were developed.

In 1981, MCC received full accreditation from the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (NCA). In 1982, the college received full accreditation of its associate degree in Nursing. In the same year, the Board of Governors approved the development of a telecommunications system to link the three main campuses together electronically.

When it opened in 1971 the college offered just 27 courses. Today MCC offers more than 60 degree and certificate options for students, and the tuition rate has held steady at \$81 per credit hour making it an extremely affordable higher education option for the people of Mohave County and the tri-state region.

**Nursing Program:** The ultimate goal of the Nursing Department is to prepare graduates for safe and effective clinical practice. The Nursing programs are offered countywide with classes in the southern part of Mohave County in Kingman, Lake Havasu City and Bullhead City, and the northern part of the County in Colorado City. Students successfully completing the program will be eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX- RN). Students at Mohave Community College had over 75% NCLEX-RN First Time Pass Rate in 2021-2022.

**We want to thank them for their trust in our solutions and their trust in our customer service, and for their trust in our reputation to provide the highest quality of both!**

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