

[DolphiNurse Alumni Network Virtual Lunch & Learn](#)

Join alumna and director of the Keigwin School of Nursing, Bethanie Simmons-Becil '07 for a continuing education (CE) course on Psychiatric Holistic Considerations for Nursing Practice. This two-hour credit course is being discounted for DolphiNurses and their colleagues. Grab lunch and join your alma mater virtually on July 15 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. EST. [Register today for only \\$10.](#)

[Register for our CE Lunch & Learn: Psychiatric Holistic Considerations for Nursing Practice](#)

[First-Ever Student Health Care Center to Open this Fall](#)

For the first time in school history, Jacksonville University will open a [Student Health Center](#) to serve the healthcare needs of JU students. Alumna Dr. Elaine Borne

Professor in the Keigwin School of Nursing,

[Meet DolphiNurse Nancy Rabayo '12/'18](#)

"I love the impact I can make in the nursing profession by working with pre-licensure BSN students. I believe they are the future of our healthcare system and the change agents needed in our constantly evolving world. We are not only developing their technical skills, but also their therapeutic communication, leadership, critical thinking, and decision making."

[Submit your own DolphiNurse spotlight!](#)

[Remembering Dr. Frances Bartlett Kinne: 1917-2020](#)

Together we mourn the passing of Jacksonville University Chancellor Emerita Dr. Frances Bartlett Kinne, who passed away on May 10, 2020, at the age of 102. Known for her unquenchable optimism, her joy for life and her selfless service to others, Dr. Kinne was a guiding star for us at the University. Throughout her tenure and until her final days, Dr. Kinne was most proud of her connection with students, hundreds of whom she counseled and inspired year after year. She will be missed.

Dr. Kinne began her Jacksonville University career in 1958 as a humanities professor, became founding dean of JU's College of Fine Arts in 1961, and served in that capacity until being named president in 1979. Kinne served as JU's president for 10 years, followed by her time as Chancellor from 1989 to 1994 and Chancellor Emerita since 1994. Having established what is now the Davis College of Business, the Keigwin School of Nursing and

Auditorium at Mayo Clinic Jacksonville, and the Kinne Alumni Center at Drake University.

[Leave a Tribute for Dr. Kinne](#)

[Hire a DolphiNurse!](#)

One of the important objectives of the DolphiNurse Alumni Network is to help recent grads and students achieve their career

opportunities can be sent to Keigwin School of Nursing professor [Amber Santos '98/'06](mailto:asantos1@ju.edu) at asantos1@ju.edu.

Virtual Information Session for Nursing Graduate Programs

Are you interested in becoming a double (or triple!) Dolphin? Coming back to your alma mater for a graduate degree has never been easier and admission deposits are waived for Jacksonville alumni. [Attend the upcoming information session on June 30 to learn more.](#)

Connect with DolphiNurses Online

DolphiNurses are connecting and supporting one another, and sharing their stories on the DolphiNurse Affinity Network Facebook group. The group has grown by over 220 members since March! DolphiNurse Alumni Network leadership will be continuing the momentum by adding more news and ways to get involved on social media. Make sure you do not miss out by joining the [Facebook group](#) and following the network on [Instagram](#).

DolphiNurse Spotlights

[Karen McKenzie '18](#) works in a neurosurgical unit, with patients from infants to geriatric.

[Logan Andrews '16](#) and [Austin Davey '17](#) are currently deployed with EMF-Mike to Baton Rouge, Louisiana working on the front lines at Baton Rouge General Mid City in response to COVID-19.

[Logan Andrews '16](#) is the Director of Nursing at Tri-County Nursing & Rehabilitation Center in Trenton, Florida.

[Austin Davey '17](#) works in a Neuro Trauma ICU unit in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

[Erin Mazel, MSN '17](#) completed her JU degree online and says "JU enabled me to complete the coursework for my master's degree in the midst of a busy life of raising four children and serving as a military spouse." Mazel now works with nursing students in Pensacola.

[Submit your own DolphiNurse spotlight!](#)

Noteworthy News

[New Healthcare Quality and Safety Programs point towards safer tomorrow](#)

[US HHS Secretary acknowledges success, potential of Dolphin Pointe FL Governor announces partnership with University partner Dolphin Pointe Health Care](#)

[Keigwin School of Nursing celebrates its recent graduates](#)

Nominate a DolphiNurse for a Distinguished Alumni of Excellence Award

Our world has been undeniably altered by COVID-19. As we remain #JUStrong together, it is important to keep looking forward, and celebrating the exceptional Dolphins that continue to inspire us, change the world and demonstrate the value of a degree from Jacksonville University every day. The Office of Alumni Engagement invites you to take some time to nominate a fellow DolphiNurse for one of our [Distinguished Alumni of Excellence Awards](#). Help us recognize our most extraordinary alumni and members of the Dolphin family!

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