

**Mississippi LPN Association
Student Nurse Organization
Scholastic Event
Gather Your Supplies** Revised September 2010

Guidelines

1. Each student must be a member of MLPNA and currently enrolled in good standing in a Mississippi LPN Program.
2. Each school is allowed to enter 3 teams. Each team must be composed of 3 members.
3. Each team will have one answer sheet. Team members may confer to determine the answer. One team member will record answer on team answer sheet.
4. In the “**Gather Your Supplies**” event, the student will be asked to identify, capitalize, punctuate and spell correctly 50 nursing and medical supplies. **The answer should be reflected as a single object.** (Such as tongue blade not tongue blades). An additional 20 supplies will be presented for identification and be used for the tiebreaker.
5. Each correct answer will score 1 point. A perfect team score will be 50 points
6. The highest team score will be declared the winner
7. Any answer which is incorrectly spelled, capitalized, or punctuated will be ruled an error, and 1 point will be deducted. No medical abbreviations will be accepted.
8. Each member will be allowed 30 seconds to identify, capitalize, punctuate and correctly spell nursing and medical supplies. The member will legibly print the answer on the provided answer sheet in black ink.
9. Images will be displayed using PowerPoint.
10. In the case of a tie the judges will use items 1-10 of tiebreaker supplies to determine the winner. If there is still a tie then items 11-20 will be used to determine the winner. If a tie still exists then the teams will be asked to verbally identify the proper use of the nursing or medical supply.
11. The decision of the head judge is final.
12. Each team is required to bring two number two black ink pens to the event room.

13. Refer to the list of nursing and medical supplies provided in the PN Standardized curriculum.