Public Health Service March

The Mission of our service
Is known the world around

In research and in treatment
No equal can be found

In the silent war against disease
No truce is ever seen

We serve on the land and the sea
For humanity
The Public Health Service Team

Sponsored by the
USPHS Nursing Professional Advisory Committee
Commissioned Officers Foundation and Carruth Wagner Foundation
72nd year Cadet Nurse Corps Recognition

Honoring their Legacy to Nursing

Schedule of Events

Registration  10:00 to 10:45 AM
Atrium

Guest seating and VIP entrance  10:45 to 11:00 AM
Salon A-D

**Presentation of Colors**  11:00 to 11:15 AM
**The National Anthem and USPHS March**

Invocation
CAPT Janice Adams-King, CRNP
USPHS

Welcome  11:15 to 11:20 AM
CAPT Susan Orsega, CRNP, FAANP
Chair, Cadet Nurse Corps USPHS Planning Committee

Introduction  11:20 to 11:30 AM
RADM Sylvia Trent-Adams, PhD, RN, FAAN
Assistant Surgeon General
Chief Nurse Officer, USPHS

Opening Remarks,  11:30 to 11:45 AM
RADM Boris Lushniak, MD, MPH
Deputy Surgeon General, USPHS

Luncheon  11:45 to 1:15 PM

***Cadet Nurse Reflections***

Keynote Address “State of Nursing”  1:15 to 1:45 PM
RADM (Ret. USPHS) Carol A. Romano, PhD, RN, FAAN
USPHS Chief Nurse Officer, 2005-2009
Dean, Graduate School of Nursing, Uniformed Services University

Cadet Nurse Corps Panel  1:45 to 2:45 PM
Moderator: RADM Deborah Parham Hopson, PhD, RN, FAAN
USPHS, Senior Advisor for HIV/AIDS Policy, Health Resources & Services
Speaker Panel: Thelma Robinson, RN
Caroline Bradford, RN
Minnie B. Carter, RN
Elizabeth Yeznach, RN

Presentation of Cadet Nurse Corps Recognition  2:45 to 3:00 PM

Closing Remarks
RADM Sylvia Trent-Adams, PhD, RN, FAAN
Assistant Surgeon General
Chief Nurse Officer, USPHS
CADET NURSE CORPS PLEDGE

At this moment of my induction into the United States Cadet Nurse Corps of the United States Public Health Service:

I am solemnly aware of the obligations I assume toward my country and toward my chosen profession;

I will follow faithfully the teachings of my instructors and the guidance of the physicians with whom I work;

I will hold in trust the finest traditions of nursing and the spirit of the Corps;

I will keep my body strong, my mind alert, and my heart steadfast;

I will be kind, tolerant, and understanding;

Above all, I will dedicate myself now and forever to the triumph of life over death.

As a Cadet Nurse, I pledge to my country my service in essential nursing for the duration of the war.