



College of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences

FALL 2026 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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Public-Facing & Internal Community Events | August-December 2026

Date	Event	Department / Unit	Location	Time	Notes
Aug. 13-14	PA New Student Orientation	Physician Assistant	CNAHS / Louise Stokes Health Sciences Library	Varies	New student orientation
Aug. 17	Fall Classes Begin	CNAHS / Occupational Therapy	Howard University		Academic milestone
Aug. 24	MHA Fireside Chat	Health Management	Zoom	7:00-8:00 p.m. ET	Virtual
Aug. 26-27	PA Student Capstone Research Days	Physician Assistant	CNAHS, 4th Floor	12:00-2:00 p.m.	Clinical student presentations
Sept. 8	General OT Student Body Meeting	Occupational Therapy			Student engagement
Sept. 14	MHA Alumni Panel	Health Management	Zoom	7:00-8:00 p.m. ET	Virtual
Sept. 16	Backpack Awareness Day	Occupational Therapy			Awareness event
Sept. 18	Howard University Convocation	University / CNAHS	Main Campus		University event
Sept. 21-22	CNAHS Interdisciplinary Fall Prevention Clinic	CNAHS	TBD	TBD	SAVE THE DATE
Sept. 22	Fall Prevention Day	Occupational Therapy			Awareness event
Sept. 24	AOTA Capitol Hill Day	Occupational Therapy	Washington, DC		Professional engagement
Sept. 28	MHA Fireside Chat	Health Management	Zoom	7:00-8:00 p.m. ET	Virtual
Sept. 30	CNAHS Town Hall with Dean Christopher Lance Coleman*	Office of the Dean	Hybrid Location / link to follow	5:00-6:30 p.m.	College-wide Town Hall
Oct. 2-4	USCAIH & CNAHS 2026 Conference	Nursing	Main Campus	7:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Conference
Oct. 6-10	National PA Week	Physician Assistant			Student activity
Oct. 9	PAs on the Plaza	Physician Assistant	New York, NY	All day	Student activity
Oct. 12	Mental Health Day	Occupational Therapy			Awareness event

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Oct. 15	Homecoming Open House	Occupational Therapy / CNAHS			Homecoming
Oct. 20	International Diversity Celebration Day	Occupational Therapy			Community event
Oct. 26	MHA Fireside Chat	Health Management	Zoom	7:00-8:00 p.m. ET	Virtual
Nov. 4	MHA Virtual Information Session	Health Management	Zoom	12:00 p.m. ET	Prospective students
Nov. 18	MHA Virtual Information Session	Health Management	Zoom	12:00 p.m. ET	Prospective students
Nov. 18	OTD Preliminary Proposals	Occupational Therapy			Academic event
Nov. 23	MHA Virtual Information Session	Health Management	Zoom	6:00 p.m. ET	Prospective students
Nov. 23	MHA Fireside Chat	Health Management	Zoom	7:00-8:00 p.m. ET	Virtual
Dec. 4	PA White Coat Ceremony	Physician Assistant	Blackburn Ballroom	1:00-4:00 p.m.	Graduation / ceremony
Dec. 7-11	Older Driver Safety Awareness Week	Occupational Therapy			Awareness week

CALENDAR NOTES

Dates, locations, and times are subject to change. ***Town Hall details are confirmed as of publication but remain subject to change.** Events marked "TBD" should not be posted publicly until confirmed.