

DATE: December 9, 2020
TO: Board of Regents
FROM: Jane Karas, Ph.D., President, Flathead Valley Community College
RE: Campus Report for the January 4-5, 2021 Board of Regents' Meeting

- Each of the 2020 graduates of FVCC's Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA) Program passed the National Physical Therapist Assistant Exam (NPTE-PTA) on the first attempt. FVCC's PTA program's overall pass rate is 100%, with a first-time pass rate of 98% since 2012.
- The 2020 Medical Laboratory Technology class achieved a 100% pass rate on the American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP) national Medical Laboratory Technologist (MLT) board certification exam.
- Eight students completed graduation requirements for FVCC's Associate of Science in Nursing program in November and are prepared to sit for the NCLEX-RN national licensing exam.
- FVCC elementary education student Mara Hanks was honored by the Montana Campus Compact for the Montana Student Volunteer Award for her work with multiple community organizations.
- The annual FVCC President's Report will be distributed in January featuring successes from 2020 and an overview of how the college adapted to the circumstances of the COVID-19 health crisis to "Rise Above."
- In celebration of the holidays, FVCC participated in several community service programs, including the annual United Way Campaign, Toys for Tots drive, and CASA Tree of Giving. The Student Engagement Office also collected socks and slippers for residents of local nursing homes.
- The Student Food Pantry distributed Thanksgiving turkeys and dinner ingredients to 23 students in need this year and residents of Founders Hall who spent Thanksgiving on campus received a homemade turkey feast from FVCC's Dining Services to enjoy in their student apartments.
- FVCC's Career Services hosted an employer panel for business students to introduce them to companies in the Flathead and discuss opportunities in light of COVID-19.