

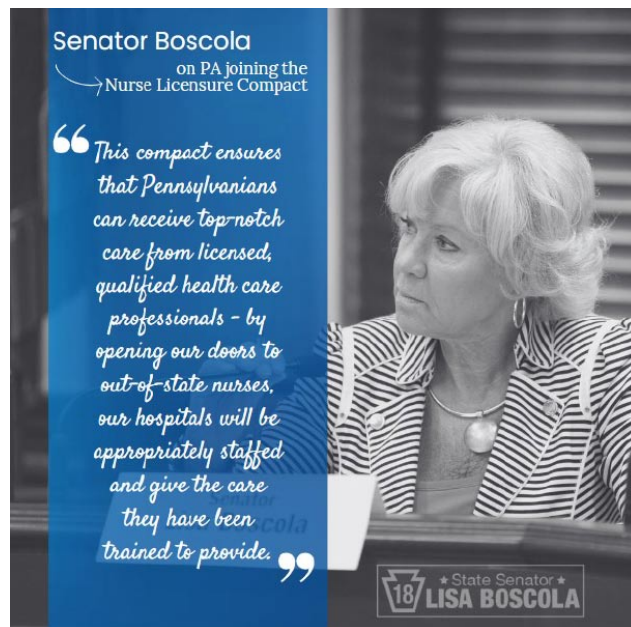
Out-of-State Nurses Can Work in Pennsylvania Starting September 5

By Senator Lisa Boscola

HARRISBURG - The Nurse Licensure Compact is an updated licensure solution for the 21st century that allows nurses to have one multistate license with the ability to practice in all compact states – via telemedicine or in person. The Compact is comprised of 41 states and territories, including Pennsylvania. The Compact offers a flexible and adaptable solution to streamlining care while maintaining the public's protection at the state level. Nurses who practice in a compact state must meet 11 uniform licensure requirements, including state and federal criminal background checks.

Act 68 makes Pennsylvania the 36th state to become a member of the Compact, joining neighboring states Delaware, New Jersey, Maryland and West Virginia. Apart from the pandemic, Boscola added that the state's substantial increase in elderly residents (65 and older) has made the need to recruit more nurses critical today and in the future.

The Commonwealth's implementation of the compact has been a long time coming - beginning in July 2021, when then-governor Tom Wolf signed my legislation in support of joining the compact in light of ongoing nursing shortages. It took more than two years to enact the first phase, which permits out-of-state nurses with a compact license to work here.



Slater Athletics Game Day Information #SlaterNation

Attending the game in-person Admission Fees

Online/Digital ticketing prices via Hometown Tickets (fees included in prices below)

Event	Adult	Students K-12/Sr. Citizen/Military
Varsity Football	\$7.00	\$5.00
JV/V Boys and Girls Basketball	\$7.00	\$5.00
JH/V Wrestling	\$7.00	\$5.00

Cash Tickets- All cash tickets are \$8.00

Options to pay admission

1. Visit <https://slaterathletics.org/main/ticketing/> to purchase tickets prior to game.
2. At the event scan a QR code with your phone to purchase a ticket at the online/digital price.
3. Pay cash at our cash gate, there is only one cash gate for football it's located near Bangor Pool, all cash tickets are \$8.00.

Streaming

Events held at Paul Farnan Field at Bangor Memorial Park (MS-V Football) and events held in William Pensyl Gymnasium (B/G Basketball and Wrestling) will be streamed via HudlTV

<https://fan.hudl.com/usa/pa/bangor/organization/19593/bangor-high-school/video>

Colonial League Scores and Standings

www.colonialleague.org

District XI Scores and Standings

<http://districtxi.gimpsoftware.com/DistrictXISchedulePage.html>



DHS.PA.Gov/SNAP

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- Primarily serves students from households with low-incomes;
- Is operated by a state or local government, or an instrumentality thereof; and,
- Provides the equivalent of at least one allowable activity under SNAP Employment and Training (E&T) criteria

SNAP EXPANSION!
How It Works



Expansion of SNAP Eligibility for College Students

By Senator Lise Boscola

HARRISBURG - Pennsylvania Department of Human Services (DHS) announced that a new flexibility in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) will allow certain college students who meet eligibility requirements to receive SNAP benefits but who traditionally do not qualify because of their status as a student. To qualify for this new flexibility, these students must be enrolled in a qualifying employment and training program. The Shapiro Administration believes no Pennsylvanian should go hungry and wants to connect individuals and families with resources to meet their needs.

SNAP ExpansionAs we all know, our college students are dealing with various expenses while shaping their future and worrying about how they are going to meet the most basic needs should not be something on their minds. I am so pleased to see this new eligibility option that has been added to SNAP and I hope students take advantage of this program.

Generally, college students enrolled at least half time are ineligible for SNAP unless they qualify for existing exemptions from a work requirement. Existing exemptions are based on factors such as college enrollment status, income, caregiver status, age, disability, and more. Under this new flexibility, a student enrolled in certain programs meets the new exemption if that program:

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Is operated by a state or local government, or an instrumentality thereof; and,

Provides the equivalent of at least one allowable activity under SNAP Employment and Training (E&T) criteria.

Colleges can submit a formal request for an employment and training program to be reviewed and approved.

To find out more about SNAP, including eligibility requirements, visit dhs.pa.gov/SNAP. For more details about SNAP benefits for college students, visit SNAP for College Students (pa.gov).

Applications for public assistance programs such as SNAP can be submitted online at dhs.pa.gov/COMPASS or by calling the Consumer Service Center at 1-866-550-4355. Additional information and assistance are also available at local County Assistance Offices.