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The White Coat Convocation is a symbolic rite of passage for students of the healing arts. For the clinical laboratory sciences student, it signifies a professional relationship with other colleagues who provide health-care services.

This ceremony reaffirms the medical community's support of the educational process that prepares future health providers for practice. On this day, students pledge their commitment to the clinical laboratory sciences profession and the health of the patients they serve.

Contributing to the care and healing of others is a privilege and a responsibility. The white coat worn by each clinical laboratory sciences student is more than a familiar lab coat; it is a cloak of caring, compassion, and service.

Pledge to the Profession

As a clinical laboratory sciences professional, I strive to

• maintain and promote standards of excellence in performing and advancing the art and science of my profession.
• preserve the dignity and privacy of others.
• uphold and maintain the dignity and respect of our profession.
• seek to establish cooperative and respectful working relationships with other health professionals.
• contribute to the general well-being of the community.
• actively demonstrate my commitment to these responsibilities throughout my professional life.

I will do all in my power to live up to and to improve the highest traditions of my profession.

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Welcome
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 Invocation
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Introduction of Preceptor of the Year
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