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## **Kathleen Pagana, PhD, RN**

*Travels from:* Pennsylvania

*Fee Range:* \$2,500 - \$5,000

Kathleen D. Pagana has been a leader in healthcare for more than 35 years, with experiences including college teaching, administration, clinical practice, business management, writing, and professional speaking.

She has written more than 75 articles. Among the 27 books she has written, she has co-authored the number one best-selling book on healthcare diagnostic and laboratory testing. This book has sold more than 1 million copies and has been translated into five languages. She is the author of *The Nurse's Etiquette Advantage: How Professional Etiquette Can Advance Your Nursing Career*. She is also a contributor to the second edition of *Chicken Soup for the Nurse's Soul*.

She began her professional career in the Army Nurse Corps, where she rose to the rank of Captain and combined military protocol with clinical expertise, leadership, teamwork and patient care. She received her PhD from the University of Pennsylvania in Nursing Research, where she focused on how individuals respond to stress. She created a research instrument that is still in use around the world today. Following completion of her PhD, she became a full professor in the Department of Nursing at Lycoming College and also held positions as Department Chair, Faculty Chair and Academic Dean. As the Academic Dean, her leadership style was often described as the combination of a broad knowledge base and strong management skills with excellent interpersonal communications.

Today she continues to serve Lycoming College as Professor Emeritus, the highest rank awarded to faculty who have advanced the college mission through meritorious teaching, scholarship and service. Her most prestigious awards include the Army Commendation Medal, a Faculty Award for Teaching Excellence and numerous accolades recognizing her articles and books.

Working today as an independent author and speaker, her presentations, seminars and retreats help businesses and not-for-profit organizations address the challenges of leadership. Her new book, *The Nurse's Communication Advantage: How Business-Savvy Communication Can Advance Your Nursing Career*, is hot off the press.

### ***Most Requested Programs...***

- Momentum Leadership: How to Increase Momentum by Capitalizing on Hidden Opportunities
- The Pursuit of Happiness: Generating Momentum to Reach Personal and Professional Goals
- The Nurse's Etiquette Advantage: How Professional Etiquette Can Advance Your Nursing Career
- Reinvesting in Your Potential: A Game Plan for Life and Work
- Celebrating the Pride and Passion of Nursing
- Balancing Your Life by Managing Your Time: How to Use Your Time Best...Every Moment...Every Day