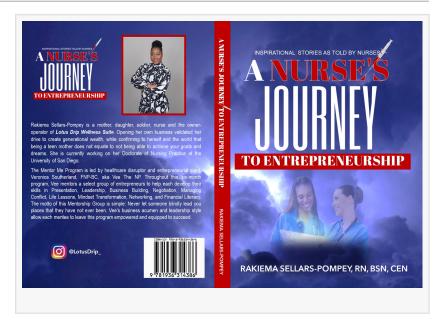


San Diego's Leader in Nurse Entrepreneurship Launches New Book

Local serial entrepreneur and veteran launches a new book on nurse leadership where she and her co-authors give insights into their stories

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, UNITED STATES, September 19, 2022 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Rakiema Sellars-Pompey, RN, along with her mentor Veronica Southerland, FNP-BC and 17 other nurses announce their newest project A Nurse's Journey To Entrepreneurship. Pompey-Sellers is the owner of San Diego's own Lotus Drip Wellness Suite, Lotus Wellness



Screening & Diagnostics, and Rakiema Sellers Consulting.

This book is a culmination of decades of work within the nursing industry – from growing up with dreams of nursing to overcoming adversities such as racial disparities, teen pregnancies, and language barriers to see their childhood dreams become a reality. This book will be available for purchase starting September 25, 2022, On Vee The NP Day in Atlanta, Georgia.

In January of 2022, these 18 nurses joined Southerland, also known as Vee The NP, for a sixmonth intensive business builder program. Throughout this program, these nurses learned high-level business practices plus day-to-day growth tactics. They each are now healthcare business owners in states across the country.

"Creating a business-focused mentorship program for nurses is easy for me, almost a nobrainer," Southerland said. "I'm a serial entrepreneur with quite a few successful businesses in my portfolio. But to me, that doesn't mean much if I'm not teaching my fellow nurses who want options in addition to their bedside role. I've learned A LOT of lessons in my decades of being in business. My calling is to pour out all I've learned."

"I believe in the power of healthcare within our community," Sellars-Pompey said. "As a veteran, I

know the importance of service. As a multiple business owner, I know the value of hard work. What I got to learn through the process of writing and publishing this book is that every step I've taken to get to this place has been worth it. Readers will see the time and energy, heart and soul, we nurses put into our craft. I'm thrilled to share my part of the larger nursing story."

A Nurse's Journey To Entrepreneurship launch serves as a pinnacle for these nursing professionals. Each of them wrote their own story and allowed it to be woven into the fabric of the story of nurse entrepreneurship.

BOOK LAUNCH WEEKEND

These nurses will convene on Atlanta September 23-25, 2022. September 23, they will present to the Health Occupations Students of America program at South Atlanta High School. Community service projects will be hosted Saturday.

The Book Launch Business Bestie Lunch will take place Sunday, Sept. 25, on Atlanta's Vee The NP Day from 1-4 pm. at Le Meridien Perimeter Atlanta, 111 Perimeter Center W, Atlanta, GA 30346 and tickets are available by clicking here. Former reality star turned entrepreneur and now current Mentor Me student, Crystana "Duchess" Lattimore, will join Southerland on the couch for a girlfriend chat about being a woman in business.

There are only 50 tickets available so attendees will have the opportunity to get their pressing business questions answered.

NURSES WHOSE STORIES ARE INCLUDED:

- Adriane M. Brown, MHA, BSN, RN Washington
- Adrienne Cox, RN, BSN Florida
- Alisha Cruz, ADN, RN Delaware
- Brenda Parks DNP, APRN, MPH Florida
- Christella Medozile MSN, LNC, APRN, FNP-BC New York
- Cynthia Ambroise, RN, MSN, AGPCNP-BC North Carolina
- Delana Newcoste Charles, RN, MLD-C Louisiana
- Khadijah Fife Latham, BSN, RN New York
- Kierra Ward, BSN, RN Georgia
- LaTesha Dennard, RN, BSN, FNP(s) Georgia
- Mirabelle Beck, MSN, FNP, NP-C New York
- Novia Markes, MSN, APRN, FNP-C Florida
- Paige Munk, ADN, RN Missouri
- Qiana Brost, MSN, RN Maryland
- Rakiema Sellars-Pompey, RN, BSN, CEN California
- Sabrina Willis, MBA-HCA, BSN, RN CCPS, CPHQ North Carolina
- Shaynae Smith, RN Texas
- Sherry Williams, B.Ed, RN Texas
- Veronica Southerland, RN, MSN, FNP-BC, DNP(s) North Carolina

This book is now available for purchase on Amazon.

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