

Kentucky Nurses Foundation Scholarship Application Form

Name _____
Address _____ _____
Home Telephone # _____ Daytime # _____
Email Address _____

Nursing Program Information

School Name _____
Program of Nursing Chair _____
School Address _____ _____
School Telephone # _____
Type of Nursing Program <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Baccalaureate <input type="checkbox"/> MSN <input type="checkbox"/> FNP <input type="checkbox"/> DNP/ PhD
Date of Enrollment in the Nursing Program _____
Expected Date of Completion _____ GPA _____

Certification and Release of Information

I affirm that the information provided is complete, accurate, and true to the best of my knowledge. I authorize school officials to release the requested academic information to the Kentucky Nurses Foundation for the purpose of determining scholarship eligibility.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Kentucky Nurses Foundation (KNF) Scholarship Application Criteria and Process

Scholarship Application Criteria

To be eligible for a KNF Scholarship, an applicant enrolled in a pre-licensure program (ADN or BSN), must have successfully completed 1 semester of nursing coursework.

To be eligible for a KNF Scholarship, an applicant enrolled in a post-licensure program (MSN, NP, DNP etc.) must show evidence of acceptance in the program of advance study.

Scholarship Application Process and Timeline

1) Complete the application cover form.

2) Submit the application form and accompanying information to the Kentucky Nurses Foundation Research and Scholarship Committee by 5:00 p.m. September 15, 2011. Applications received after that date will not be considered by the review committee.

3) The accompanying information must include:

- A one page written description of why you are applying, and what receiving the KNF Scholarship would mean to you.**
- Letters of support of the application by two (2) members of the program of nursing faculty**
- A signed/dated agreement statement that commits the scholarship recipient to participate in 1 of 2 options for informing individuals / groups about the KNF Scholarship program between October 2011 and October 2012.**
- The 2011 KNF Scholarship Awards will be presented to the recipients on Friday, September 23, 2010 during the Kentucky Nurses Association Healthcare Summit (Morehead Conference Center, Morehead, Kentucky). The recipients and the program of nursing chairpersons will be notified in advance in order to arrange for attendance at the awards ceremony.**

4) Mail the completed application and attachments to:

**The Kentucky Nurses Foundation Research and Scholarship Committee
200 Whittington Parkway
Suite 101
Louisville, KY 40222-4900**

KNF Scholarship Award Communication Agreement
(Circle the option of your choice)

1. **Submission of an article for publication in the *Kentucky Nurse*. This article can be a 100 – 200 word essay on why you chose nursing as your career choice or, your opinion about some aspect of nursing practice or health care.**

2. **Preparation of a poster session for display at either a KNA District meeting or, the 2012 Kentucky Nurses Association Convention. The poster presentation may be done in PowerPoint format.**

I affirm that if I am a selected recipient of a 2011 Kentucky Nurses Foundation Scholarship, I will participate in the process of informing others about the scholarship program and process by completing the option I have circled above before October 30, 2012.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____