

# **Nursing Scholarship**

Deaconess Memorial Medical Center's Mission is to provide Christ's healing mission of compassion to empower us to be for others through quality and excellence. In its pursuit of achieving Magnet designation for excellence in nursing services, providing high quality care, and in keeping with its mission, DMMC supports the growth and development of current and future nurses.

# What is the Memorial Medical Center Foundation Nursing Scholarship?

- The vision of the scholarship program is to identify a selected number of future nursing professionals to promote the profession of nursing and cultivate future nursing leaders within our community.
- The nursing scholarship is funded by the Memorial Medical Center Foundation and payable to the individual recipient. The scholarship allows recipients to utilize the funds at their discretion to support their successful completion of their degree from an accredited school of nursing.
- This is a unique opportunity for nursing students that begins in their final year of nursing education in the fall semester. The scholarship is intended to support future nursing professionals as they achieve their educational objectives, nursing licensure, and career goals in nursing at DMMC.

# What are the requirements of the scholarship program?

- Interested applicants must be entering their final year of nursing education in the fall, and must be in good standing with an accredited school of nursing.
- The scholarship candidate will, at the time of application, have a GPA of 3.2 or higher.
- The scholarship candidate will graduate either December or May and be eligible to take the NCLEX exam.
- Students will apply for a nursing position with DMMC their last semester of school.
- As part of the program, the future nursing professional must sign an agreement to remain employed at DMMC as a Registered Nurse in a direct patient care area full time for a period of two (2) years.
- If separation of employment occurs before the 2-year obligation is met, the entire scholarship amount must be repaid to Memorial Medical Center Foundation. A Student Commitment Agreement is required to be signed by the recipient.

### What are the scholarship benefits?

- An amount of \$5,000.00, granted to each scholarship recipient to assist with successful completion of his/her nursing curriculum.
- Full-time nursing position at DMMC focusing on critical shortage areas.
- Individualized nursing orientation and unit orientation with preceptor.
- Post-employment opportunities for specialty certification and ongoing continuing education.
- Opportunity to participate in the DMMC Nurse Onboarding.



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APPLICATION POSTMARK DEADLINE IS: April 15th

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APPLICANT	La	st Name	First Name	Middle Initial	
DATA					
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	Ci	ty	State	Zip Code	
	Ph	none	E-mail Address		
	Nu	ursing Program/School	Anticipated graduat	ion month and year	
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APPLICATION CHECKLIST		Student Application (this packet must be sub Emailed to: Ashley Bueltmann at ashley.bu			
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	Human Resources - Memorial Medical Center Foundation Nursing Scholarship 800 W. 9 <sup>th</sup> St				
		Jasper, IN 47546			
		Attention: Ashley Bueltmann			
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		Current official transcript (can be mailed or electronically requested).			
		Student Clinical Performance Evaluation (Last page of application, form must be signe		instructor).	

	experience during the past four years. In mber of hours worked each week.	ndicate dates of employment for	each job and
Present or Last Employer	Phone (including area code)		
Address	City	State	Zip
Name While Employed	Job Title	Start Date	End Date
		Supervisor's Name	:
Summary of Duties			
Reason for Leaving			
		Phone (including a	rea code)
Present or Last Employer	City	Phone (including a	rea code) Zip
Present or Last Employer  Address  Name While Employed	City Job Title		

### ACTIVITIES, AWARDS AND HONORS

Reason for Leaving

List all school activities in which you have participated during the past four years (e.g. student government, music, etc.) List all community activities in which you have participated without pay during the past four years (e.g. Boy/Girl Scouts, hospital volunteer). Note all special awards, honors, and offices held. Indicate whether high school or college activities.

Activity	Number of Years Participation	Special Awards, Honors	Offices Held

GOALS AND ASPIRATIONS	Provide a statement or summary of your plans as they relate to your educational and career objectives and long-term goals. (Please attach a separate page if additional space is needed.)		
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DISTINGUISHING QUALITIES	Please describe any characteristics about yourself that you feel distinguish you from your peers. Please do not repeat information that is included elsewhere in this application.		
TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION	An official transcript of grades must be sent with this application.  Mailed Sent Online		
	Must be official, can be mailed or sent online by electronically requesting an eTrancript.		
	Mailed Transcripts should be addressed to:		
	Human Resources - Memorial Medical Center Foundation Nursing Scholarship Attn: Ashley Bueltmann		
	800 W 9 <sup>th</sup> St Jasper, IN 47546		
	Online transcripts must be ordered to be sent to Ashley Bueltmann at <a href="mailto:ashley.bueltmann@deaconess.com">ashley.bueltmann@deaconess.com</a>		
BACKGROUND			
	Have you ever been convicted of a crime, excluding minortraffic violations? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, please list the conviction date, court, location and type of the offense.		

# PLEASE READ AND SIGN

I voluntarily authorize Deaconess Memorial Memorial Center to make a thorough preemployment investigation, including a limited criminal history background check for the purpose of qualifying for a Memorial Medical Center Foundation Nursing Scholarship. I understand that I have the right to obtain a copy of that report at my own expense and to challenge any information that I believe to be inaccurate. I hereby authorize former and present employers and others to provide or verify any information they have regarding my employment or me and release them from any liability for furnishing such information to Deaconess Memorial Medical Center. I understand that scholarship qualification and employment is contingent on satisfactory outcomes of reference and background checks. The information in this document that I have provided is true and complete, and I have met the eligibility requirements of the program as described. False statements on this scholarship application and employment-related documents shall be considered sufficient cause for denial of scholarship qualification. Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted upon discovery of such falsification. If I receive a Memorial Medical Center Foundation Nursing Scholarship and an offer for employment, I agree to have a medical evaluation and understand that any subsequent employment is contingent upon passing that evaluation. As an employee, I agree to take such future medical evaluation as may be lawfully required by DMMC. If I am employed, I understand that I may be required to work weekends, holidays and overtime and hereby agree to do so. I agree to accept a temporary shift or unit change whenever emergency conditions warrant. If employed, I agree to abide by the policies, procedures and rules of DMMC and the department to which I am assigned. I further agree to protect the confidentiality and privacy of any information regarding DMMC and its patients. I acknowledge that decisions of DMMC Hospital and its Selection Committee are final. This application and its attachments become the property of DMMC. (It is recommended that you keep a copy for your files.)

Applicant's Signature for Memorial Medical Center Foundation Nursing Scholarship Program and Employment Application Records Date

## STUDENT AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION

I hereby request and authorize you and your institution to provide the information requested and release you and your institution from any liability resulting therefrom. All information provided to Deaconess Memorial Medical Center will be held in confidence and used for the specific purpose of the Nurse Intern Application process.

Student Name (please print)	
Student Signature	Date
	ENT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION to be completed by nursing faculty)
School of Nursing	Instructor
Please use a scale of 1 to 5 ( $1 = U$ performance criteria:	Insatisfactory, 5 = Excellent) to rate the student on the following
Attendance Initiative Quality of Work Attitude Team Work	<ul> <li>Organizational Skills</li> <li>Integrity</li> <li>Cooperation</li> <li>Relationship with Others</li> <li>Communication Skills</li> </ul>
Comments/Strengths/Areas for In	nprovement:
I would recommend this student Yes No	for the Memorial Medical Center Foundation Nursing Scholarship:
If no, why not:	
Faculty SignatureDate	
Printed Name	

\*Submit this release of information and evaluation form to:

Human Resources, Attn. Ashley Bueltmann Deaconess Memorial Medical Center 800 W Ninth Street Jasper, IN 47546

OR via email to: ashley.bueltmann@deaconess.com

If you have any questions, please contact Human Resources at 812-996-6267.