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Overview: The NJLN Scholarship Program is designed to aid with the nursing education of our members. This supports our organization's goal to promote nursing excellence through continuing education. Our scholarship program is constructed to meet the diverse needs of our members to provide the opportunity for support and to recognize the commitment and importance of education at all levels.

Scholarship Eligibility:

- The applicant must:
 - Be a legal resident of the United States.
 - Be a permanent in-state resident of New Jersey.
 - Be enrolled in an accredited nursing program.
 - Have completed one of the following:
 - Acceptance into a practical nursing program and provide proof of registration
 - One clinical course in a nursing program that prepares graduates for practice as a registered nurse (Diploma, ADN, BSN)
 - One semester in an accredited nursing program. (MSN, Doctorate)
 - Applicant must be a current member of the New Jersey League for Nursing. Visit <u>www.njln.org</u> for membership details, or <u>join now - click here</u>.
- Evidence of academic ability:
 - Transcripts from the institution currently enrolled (must include the most recent semester completed).
 - Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or greater.
- Complete the required New Jersey League for Nursing (NJLN) 2022 Scholarship Application form.
- Provide one written character reference from a current or previous nursing instructor/professor.
- Submit an essay explaining how you plan to advance the health of the patients, families, or communities where you will be practicing.
- You are **not** eligible to apply if you have previously been awarded a scholarship from the NJLN Scholarship Program within the past 3 years.
 - Note: Applicants may apply for a scholarship after the 3-year period if it is in pursuit of a different degree. It cannot for the same degree you were awarded a scholarship for from the NJLN previously.

How do I apply?

To apply for a scholarship, you must be an active member of the New Jersey League for Nursing (NJLN) and meet all of the <u>criteria</u>, and submit all of the required information and documents to be considered.

The 2022 Scholarships available will be in the amount of \$1,000 each.

In November 2022 we will proudly present the following scholarship awards:

Dr. Barbara Chamberlain Transition Scholarship

 Specific to those who are a non-traditional student, transitioning from a community (ADN) college program to a BSN program

Ellen Thomas and William Frank Memorial Scholarship

Specific to those pursuing their LPN Diploma or LPN to RN Degree

Friends of Nursing Scholarship

Open to all levels of nursing education

Gialanella Scholarship

Specific to those pursuing a BSN Degree

Jack Robertson Memorial Scholarship

Open to all levels of nursing education

Mary Ann Sharkey RN Memorial Scholarship

Open to all levels of nursing education

NurseThink.com Scholarship

Specific to those pursuing their MSN, DNP, PhD in nursing education with the intent to be a nurse educator

Raymond J. Santee Memorial Scholarship

Open to all levels of nursing education

Stanley Gallagher Memorial Scholarship

Open to all levels of nursing education

New Jersey League for Nursing (NJLN) Scholarships (Multiple Awards)

Open to all levels of nursing education

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Application Submission

- <u>All applications and supporting **documents much be received by the New Jersey**</u> <u>League for Nursing by Tuesday, September 20, 2022.</u>
- All documents are requested to be submitted electronically to <u>njlnscholarship@gmail.com</u>, and it must be received by Tuesday, September 20, 2022, to be considered.
- For questions with your submission, please email: <u>info@njln.org</u> or call the NJLN office, 908-789-3398.

Note: All applicants will be notified of the status of their submission. If selected, the Scholarship recipient must be available to participate in the 2022 NJLN Nurse Recognition and Scholarship Awards Program on November 4, 2022 at the Pines Manor, Edison, New Jersey. We anticipate hosting our awards program in person in 2022, however, in the event the pandemic prohibits our ability to safely hold this event we will host a virtual program.

Ready to apply! Please be sure to review the <u>Criteria and Application</u> in its entirety to verify eligibility before submitting for one of the available scholarships. <u>ALL</u> required documents must be provided by the September 20, 2022 deadline to be eligible for consideration by our Scholarship Review Committee.

Thank you for your interest in the NJLN Scholarship Program. If you have questions, please email: <u>info@njln.org</u> or call our NJLN Office: 908-789-3398. We wish you the best on your nursing education journey.