

## STATE NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

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As the population grows, so does the need for nurses. Nursing is as much a life commitment as a career. It takes special people to become nurses. As we all get older, we will be needing the help of nurses more and more. We will need them during doctor visits, hospital stays, or maybe just to help when the doctor is too busy. We, as Ladies Auxiliary members can show them our appreciation for what they do for us and our families.

Our Ladies Auxiliaries have been generous over the years, so we are able to give Nursing Scholarships. Again, the year we will be awarding three scholarships. First place will receive \$2000.00, second place will receive \$1500.00, and third place will receive \$1000.00. The winners will be invited to attend our Department Convention to receive the scholarships and be introduced to the Great Ladies of Texas for making this possible through your donations.

You need to contact the directors of all accredited nursing education schools and provide them with all the details and requirements. I will ask them to make all the information available to all Junior Nursing Students. Application forms will be available for all needing them. If you know a student, give them a packet. Tell them you are proud of them.

### **Statewide Project: Honor Nurses Program**

We need to honor our nurses. Nurses are in a high stress job with little appreciation. Honor nurses in your community in special ways. Remember: One day you will need them!

## STATE NURSING SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

1. Plaque to Ladies Auxiliary in each membership division with the "Best Honor Nurses Program".  
Certificate to runner-up

Ladies Auxiliary Department of Texas

P. O. BOX 15285  
AUSTIN, TX 78761



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

American Citizen? Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Next of Kin: \_\_\_\_\_

High School & Location: \_\_\_\_\_

College or University: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Attending Now) (Current Transcript w/ GPA Included)

Dean of Nursing School: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name)

Seeking Degree: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Associate, BSN, Master, Other)

Clinical Instructors Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you belong to any Nursing Association? If Yes, which one(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Were you encouraged by the Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars  
to enter this Scholarship Competition? Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_

If Yes, Auxiliary Number: \_\_\_\_\_ By Who: \_\_\_\_\_

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- Application
- 2 Letters of Recommendation
  - 1 from Dean of Nursing School
  - 1 from Current Clinical Instructor
- Current Transcript (GPA Included)
- 300-Word Essay type double-spaced
- Topic: "Why A Nursing Career"

MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MAY 1st  
LATE APPLICATION CANNOT BE ACCEPTED

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First Place	\$2000.00
Second Place	\$1500.00
Third Place	\$1000.00

1. Nursing Student who will be accepted as a Nursing Senior for the Fall of 2015 Academic Session.
2. Must be attending a Texas College or University and Must be an American Citizen to Qualify: GPA must be 3.0 or better (Verification needed, current transcript accepted)
3. Double-spaced Typewritten 300 words or less Essay on "Why a Nursing Career?"
4. Application forms and instructions are in the program book or may be obtained from:

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**NOTE: ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE DELIVERED NOT POSTMARKED BY MAY 1, 2015.**

**LATE ENTRIES WILL BE DISQUALIFIED, NO EXCEPTIONS!**