



## Montana Nurses Association Foundation (MNAF) Scholarship Application

### Description of Fund:

The Montana Nurses Association Foundation (MNAF) is the charitable and philanthropic branch of the Montana Nurses Association (MNA), with the mission to preserve the history of nursing in Montana and contribute, support, and empower the professional nurse in Montana.

MNAF has decided to offer four scholarships in Nursing: Four scholarships at \$2,500 per scholarship. Two for undergraduate (Bachelor) and two for higher education (Master, Doctorate).

### Eligibility/Requirements for the Scholarships:

#### I. Undergraduate-RN to BSN

1. Applicant must be a member in good standing with the MNA association for at least one (1) year.
2. Applicants must be enrolled in a Montana approved nursing program (RN to BSN).
3. Applicant must have successfully completed at least one quarter/trimester/semester in nursing curriculum.
4. Cumulative grade point average (GPA) in nursing (not pre-nursing) of 3.0 or greater is required and OFFICIAL transcripts of all college coursework must be provided.
5. Selection of the awardees will be based on following criteria:
  - Leadership skills and experience (25pts)
  - Career plans in nursing (25pts)
  - Demonstrated need (25pts)
  - References, must include 3 (25pts) {[access reference form here](#)}
6. Submit the [application](#) using the instruction in each section.

#### II. Advanced Degree-Master or Doctorate

1. Applicant must be a member in good standing with the MNA Association for at least one year.
2. Applicant must be in a program accepted by the Montana Board of Nursing to fulfill the requirements toward a master or doctorate degree. (any advanced degree in nursing).
3. Selection of the awardee is based on
  - Leadership skills and experience (25pts)
  - Career plans in nursing (25pts)
  - Demonstrated need (25pts)
  - References, must include 3 (25pts) {[access reference form here](#)}
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