

2019-2020 APRN Student Scholarship Application

Application Deadline: April 1, 2019

The New England Gerontologic Advanced Practice Nurses Association (NE GAPNA) will recognize an outstanding advanced practice nursing student who is committed to improving nursing care of older adults. NE GAPNA is accepting applications for a scholarship award for students currently enrolled in an advanced practice nursing program at an accredited school. The NE GAPNA Scholarship is available in the amount of $1500.

**Requirements/Eligibility for Candidates.**

1. The Candidate must be matriculated or matriculating into an accredited, degree granting Doctorate, Masters, or Post Masters Certificate nursing program with an emphasis on gerontology such as:
* Adult/Gerontological Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
* Adult/Gerontological Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
* Adult/Gerontologic Clinical Nurse Specialist
* Family Nurse Practitioner

for the 2019-2020 academic school year at a School of Nursing in a New England state. (MA, CT, RI, NH, VT, ME). Proof of acceptance or enrollment in a degree program in good standing must be submitted.

1. The candidate must plan to continue in the field of nursing with a career interest in working with older adults upon completion of degree program. A written statement addressing career and education goals must be submitted (500 word maximum).
2. The candidate must have an active Registered Nurse (RN) license.
3. The candidate must complete the NE GAPNA Scholarship Award application and submit it to NE GAPNA prior to the deadline of April 1, 2019
4. The candidate agrees that any scholarship award monies will be used to defer the cost of tuition and other school-related fees.
5. The candidate grants NE GAPNA the right to publish a picture and biography on the website and announcement at NE GAPNA meetings if awarded a scholarship.
6. Curriculum Vitae**.** A complete curriculum vitae (CV) must be included with this application. The items included in the CV should be: work experience, educational history, honors and awards, published works, presentations/lectures, and community service.
7. (1) Letter of recommendation from faculty or preceptor in current nursing program

**Deadlines and Decisions:**

April 1, 2019 is the deadline for NE GAPNA to receive your completed application. An Awards/Scholarship Committee will conduct a blind review of all completed applications. Decisions will be made and the scholarship winner will be notified by April 15, 2019 announced on the NE GAPNA website and at the annual conference. It is highly recommended that the scholarship recipient attend the annual conference.

**Application Checklist:**

Completed APRN Student Scholarship Award Application 2019-2020(Attached)

Proof of acceptance/enrollment in degree program.

Written statement of career goals. (500-word maximum)

Completed scholarship application.

Curriculum Vitae.

Letter of recommendation.

A recent photograph for NE GAPNA website and annual conference.

Brief personal biographic sketch.

**Applications must be completed fully to be considered for this scholarship**

Only completed applications and materials will be considered when received on or before April 1, 2019. Please review the eligibility criteria to be sure all items are completed. The applicant understands that all information provided to NE GAPNA as part of this application will not be returned.

Please contact Monica Dube at NEGAPNA@gmail.com with any questions.

New England Chapter of GAPNA

APRN Student Scholarship Award Application 2018-2019

**Name:**

**Home Address:**

**Email:**

**Cell Phone:**

**RN License Number: RN expiration date:**

**Education:**
*Please list the school and degree program in which you are currently enrolled or will be enrolled with date of completion*.

**School:**

**Degree:**

**Anticipated Date of Completion:**

**Signature:**

My signature below indicates that all the information in my application is factually correct and honestly presented.

Signature: Date: