

Application for School of Nursing Undergraduate Scholarships For the 2007 – 2008 Academic Year



THE UNIVERSITY of NORTH CAROLINA
GREENSBORO
School of Nursing

Please read and follow all instructions so that your application may be considered.

1. When you submit this application it is for *all School of Nursing undergraduate scholarships available for the next academic year*. In addition, on the back of this sheet, there is a single external scholarship for BSN students (pre-licensure and RN to BSN) for which applicants may also apply. Be sure the read the entire application.
2. **Submission information.** Completed Scholarship applications must be received in the School of Nursing by 5:00 p.m. on **March 1, 2007**, or mailed with a **postmark of no later than March 1, 2007**. Faxed copies are not acceptable. You should apply by the deadline even if you are unsure if you have been admitted to the program. Submit completed applications to room 116 in the Moore Building or mail to: Scholarship Committee, School of Nursing, UNCG, P.O. Box 26170, Greensboro, NC 27402-6170.
3. **Supplementary materials.** You must file a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) by priority deadline of March 1, 2007 in order to be considered for any scholarships based on financial need. FAFSAs are available from the Financial Aid Office or on the web at <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov>. NOTE: NOT ALL SCHOLARSHIPS REQUIRE FINANCIAL NEED.
4. **Instructions for completing this application.** Fill out all the information requested on this cover sheet. Answer the questions (1-8) on no more than two (2) additional single-sided sheets of paper. Type your responses. Put your name at the top of each additional page. Attach your response sheets to this completed cover sheet.
5. **Please note.** This application for scholarships is for the **2007-2008** academic year only. **You must reapply for School of Nursing scholarships each year.**

Full Name _____ ID #: _____

Complete Mailing Address in June 2007: _____

Phone Number () _____ County (*not country*) of Permanent Residence _____

Current Status (check one):

- applicant to upper division (generic BSN)
- current BSN junior
- RN to BSN student

If MSN, post-MSN or PhD, please contact the School of Nursing for the application for Graduate Fellowships in the School of Nursing

Are you considered a North Carolina resident for tuition purposes? yes no

Are you a member of the Association of Nursing Students (ANS)? yes no

One scholarship stipulates that recipients must be non-smokers:
Do you smoke? yes no

Clinical Area of Interest _____

Please answer the following questions on additional sheets of paper (as noted in #4 above):

1. Make a brief statement describing your career goals and personal attributes.
2. If you are currently working, briefly describe your job and identify how many hours you work each week.
3. Describe any health care related work you have done (for pay or as a volunteer).
4. List any scholarships you currently have. Do these continue next year?
5. List any honors or achievements.
6. List membership in campus or professional organizations and any offices held.
7. Describe circumstances that make your financial need special.
8. List any other information you would like to share with the Scholarship Committee.

On the **back of this sheet** is information about an additional scholarship opportunity for pre-licensure BSN and RN to BSN students.

For all scholarships: There are not sufficient scholarship funds to award all applicants. Take time to make sure your application is thorough, neat, complete, and succinct, in order to help increase the chances that you are one of the recipients.

The Moses Cone ~ Wesley Long Community Health Foundation

The **Vic Nussbaum Nursing Scholarship** was established in 2002 by the Moses Cone ~ Wesley Long Community Health Foundation. The Foundation will award \$2500 to one pre-licensure BSN student and \$1250 to one RN to BSN student. If you wish to be considered for this outside scholarship there are some additional requirements, which are outlined below. To make it easier for you to apply for this Community Health Foundation Scholarship we will be happy to forward to them a copy of this application, but we need your permission to do so. If you wish to have your School of Nursing scholarship application sent to the Foundation, and give your permission to us to send this information to the Foundation, please sign and date this application:

Name

Date

General Requirements for the Vic Nussbaum Scholarship:

- Must be admitted to a Nursing Program
- Must be a full-time student taking no less than 12 hours per semester (pre-licensure) or 9 (RN to BSN).
- Must have a minimum of a 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) grade point average to receive scholarship and continue scholarship funding for the second semester
- Financial need should be demonstrated through the student's personal statement that should include school-related expenses, general expenses, and sources of funding.
- Verification of enrollment and end of term performance results. (Need a letter from school and a copy of grades) are required.
- Personal attributes that will be expected of applicants include passion for nursing, leadership traits, and demonstrated initiative or motivation to succeed.

Specific Requirements:

- In addition to the general requirements of the UNCG School of Nursing Scholarships, applicants for the Vic Nussbaum Nursing Scholarship must complete a personal statement detailing both their financial need and their personal attributes as noted in the bulleted items above. Please be sure to highlight specific life experiences. This is your opportunity to demonstrate why you should be chosen to receive this prestigious scholarship. Please limit your personal statement to 300 words.
- Applicants must submit the names, telephone numbers, and mailing addresses of two academic references who will be contacted prior to approval of a scholarship award.
- Please read the General and Specific requirements and make certain that all points are covered in the materials you submit to the School of Nursing. The School of Nursing items (1 – 8 on the previous page) should be limited in length to 2 pages. If you are submitting additional information or responses for the Vic Nussbaum scholarship you may attach additional sheets.

Application Deadline for this year: March 1, 2007

Decisions will be made and applicants notified by June 1 for School of Nursing Scholarships. The recipients of the Vic Nussbaum Nursing Scholarship will be notified directly by the Moses Cone ~ Wesley Long Community Health Foundation.

For questions about the Vic Nussbaum Nursing Scholarship, call Antonia Monk Reaves at the Foundation at (336) 832-9555.

Address of the Foundation:
Moses Cone ~ Wesley Long
Community Health Foundation
PO Box 4426
Greensboro, NC 27404-4426
Telephone: (336) 832-9555
FAX: (336) 832-9559

Address of the School of Nursing:
Virginia Karb
UNCG School of Nursing
PO Box 26170
Greensboro, NC 27402-6170
Telephone (336) 334-5282
FAX: (336) 334-3628



Application for the UNCG School of Nursing William F. and JoAnn F. Black RN to BSN Scholarship For the 2007 – 2008 Academic Year

Please read and follow all instructions so that your application may be considered.

6. Be sure the read the entire application.
7. **Submission information.** Completed Scholarship applications must be received in the School of Nursing by 5:00 p.m. on **March 1, 2007** or mailed with a **postmark of no later than March 1, 2007**. Faxed copies are not acceptable. You should apply by the deadline even if you are unsure if you have been admitted to the program. Submit completed applications to room 116 in the Moore Building or mail to: Scholarship Committee, School of Nursing, UNCG, P.O. Box 26170, Greensboro, NC 27402-6170.
8. **Instructions for completing this application.** Fill out all the information requested on the reverse side of this cover sheet. Answer the questions (1-7) on no more than two (2) additional single-sided sheets of paper. Type your responses. Put your name at the top of each additional page. Attach your response sheets to this completed cover sheet.
9. **Please note.** This application for scholarships is for the **2007-2008** academic year only. **You must reapply for The William F. and JoAnn F. Black RN to BSN Scholarship each year.**

The **William F. and JoAnn F. Black RN to BSN Scholarships** were established in 2004 by Mr. William F. Black in recognition of the value of the BSN degree and to support registered nurses employed either full-time or part-time by the Moses Cone Health System who seek a Bachelor of Science in Nursing at The University of North Carolina at Greensboro School of Nursing. The scholarships are administered by the UNCG School of Nursing Scholarship Committee. Five scholarships are available annually:

- Two \$3,000 scholarships for students enrolled in a minimum of 9 semester hours per semester at UNCG.
- Three \$2,000 scholarships for students enrolled in a minimum of 6 semester hours per semester at UNCG.

General Requirements for the William F. and JoAnn F. Black RN to BSN Scholarships:

- Must be admitted to the UNCG School of Nursing RN to BSN Program.
- Must commit to being enrolled in a minimum of 9 semester hours or 6 semester hours per semester at UNCG.
- Personal attributes that will be expected of applicants include
 - commitment to and passion for the profession and advancement of nursing
 - demonstrated initiative and motivation to succeed academically and professionally

Specific Requirements:

- In addition to the general requirements of the UNCG School of Nursing Scholarship as described on the reverse side, applicants for the William F. and JoAnn F. Black RN to BSN Scholarships must complete a personal statement detailing their personal attributes as noted in the bulleted items above. Please be sure to highlight specific life experiences. This is your opportunity to demonstrate why you should be chosen to receive this prestigious scholarship. Please limit your personal statement to 300 words.
- Applicant must have a letter of recommendation submitted by her/his immediate supervisor at the Moses Cone Health System verifying the following:
 - Commitment to the nursing profession
 - Commitment to her/his quality of nursing care at the Moses Cone Health System
- Applicant must have a letter of recommendation submitted by the Chief Nurse Executive of the Moses Cone Health System or her/his designee.

Please read the General and Specific requirements and make certain that all points are covered in the materials you submit to the UNCG School of Nursing. The School of Nursing required items (1-7) below should be limited in length to two pages.

Full Name _____ ID #: _____

Complete Mailing Address in June 2007: _____

Phone Number (____) _____ County (*not country*) of Permanent Residence _____

Current Status (check one):

- applicant to the RN to BSN Program
- RN to BSN student

Are you considered a North Carolina resident for tuition purposes? yes no

Clinical Area of Interest _____

Please answer the following questions on no more than two additional sheets of paper :

9. Make a brief statement describing your career goals and personal attributes.
10. Briefly describe your job and identify how many hours you work each week.
11. Describe any other health care related work you have done (for pay or as a volunteer).
12. List any scholarships you currently have. Do these continue next year?
13. List any honors or achievements.
14. List membership in campus or professional organizations and any offices held.
15. List any other information you would like to share with the Scholarship Committee.

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