

PHILIPPINE NURSES ASSOCIATION OF MICHIGAN

Policy and Procedure

Scholarship Award

I. PURPOSE:

To provide scholarships to students with Filipino-American heritage currently enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate nursing program.

II. POLICY:

- A. The Scholarship grant in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) dollars taken from the PNAM Scholarship Fund account will be awarded to each of the two awardees, one (1) undergraduate, and one (1) graduate.
- B. The award must be paid directly to the educational institution.
- C. The applicant must provide the most current official transcript directly mailed to PNAM for the proof of current academic standing and GPA.
- D. Completed scholarship application must meet the deadline as specified by PNAM.
- E. The PNAM Scholarship winner(s) will be presented at the PNAM Inaugural Ball.
- F. The awardee (s) must be present to receive the scholarship award. If the award recipient(s) is unable to attend the PNAM Inaugural Ball, the Award money will be returned to the PNAM Scholarship Fund account.
- G. The awardee (s) must agree to become a member of PNAM for at least two years after receiving the award, as a regular member (for the graduate) or as a student member (for the undergraduate).
- H. PNAM may choose more than one award recipient from either categories if One of the categories does not have a qualified applicant.
- I. All the criteria set forth must be met by the applicants.

III. PROCEDURE:

- A. Applicants for the PNAM Scholarship award must meet the criteria set forth for each category.

IV. CRITERIA:

A. UNDERGRADUATE

1. Must be of Filipino-American heritage.
2. Current grade point average of at least 3.0, or B or better.
3. Must be enrolled in an accredited Nursing Program.
4. Evidence of school and community involvement.
5. Resident of Michigan.
6. One letter of recommendation from the student's professor or teacher.
7. Must submit a written composition of at least 300 words on "Why I want to become a nurse."

B. GRADUATE CANDIDATE

1. Must be a resident of Michigan.
2. Current grade point average of 3.0 or better.
3. Must be enrolled in an accredited Graduate Nursing Program.
4. Evidence of school and community involvement.
5. One letter of recommendation from the student's professor.
6. Must submit a written composition of at least 300 words on "Why I want to pursue an advance degree in nursing."

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