

MNAF Scholarships and Research Grants

MNAF SCHOLARSHIPS – DEADLINE JUNE 1 OF EACH YEAR

CRITERIA FOR ALL SCHOLARSHIPS:

- Must be a member or associate member in good standing of Minnesota Nurses Association (MNA). For membership information contact MNA at 1-800-536-4662, 651-414-2800 or mnnurses@mnnurses.org.
- GPA must be 3.0 or higher.
- Must be enrolled in or accepted to a nursing program that is accredited by Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) or Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE).
- Additional criteria for specific scholarship listed in chart below.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS	<input type="checkbox"/> MNAF Baccalaureate (\$2,000)
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You may apply for one scholarship per year. An applicant is eligible to receive a maximum of two MNAF scholarships as an undergraduate student, and two scholarships as a graduate student.

MNA LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP – DEADLINE JUNE 1 OF EACH YEAR

MNA LEGACY CRITERIA

- Must be a dependent of a MNA member in good standing.
- Must have completed one (1) semester of undergraduate college study.
- Open to all majors and degrees.
- College GPA must be 2.5 or higher.
- Must be enrolled at least part-time in an undergraduate program (at this time, scholarships are not open to graduate study).

MNA LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP FUNDING

- Recipients will be selected for a \$2,000 scholarship.
- Applicant can apply yearly however can only receive scholarship once.

MNAF RESEARCH GRANTS – QUARTERLY DEADLINE DATES

GRANT APPLICATION QUARTERLY DEADLINE DATES: January 1, April 1, June 1, October 1

- Katherine Densford Dreves Research Grant** - up to \$10,000 or **MNAF Research Grant** - up to \$5,000
 Qualifications: Principal investigator must be an MNA member in good standing; must hold a master's degree or be enrolled in master's or other graduate degree program; must demonstrate research completion within 2 years of funding date.
- Clinical Practice Project in Memory of Linda Knauff** - up to \$2,000
 Qualifications: Principal investigator must be an MNA member or MNA associate member in good standing and be engaged in direct patient care, must demonstrate research completion within 2 years of funding date.

Application forms available at <http://mnnurses.org/resources/mnaf/> or by contacting MNAF at 1-800-536-4662, ext. 122, 651-414-2822 or linda.owens@mnnurses.org