

# Illinois College of Nursing Scholarship Application

The Illinois College of Nursing is an institution that strives for academic and nursing excellence. To promote its mission, the College believes in recognizing individuals that are passionate about advancing the nursing profession through research, innovation or a commitment to quality health care by offering a scholarship for prospective students.

## **The Illinois College of Nursing Rising Scholars Award**

The Rising Scholars Award offers prospective students an opportunity to reach their academic and professional goals by awarding scholarships to individuals who are committed to improving the current standards of healthcare and contributing to the professions current body of knowledge.

## **Scholarship Committee**

To ensure a fair and efficient process, ICON has developed a Scholarship committee whose main duties will be to review all submissions and award scholarships based on eligibility requirements.

## **Scholarship Guidelines**

To be considered, applicants must submit a short 2-3 minute video explaining or demonstrating their scholarly goals and how the Illinois College of Nursing will help them in achieving their mission.

## **Rules:**

Scholarship applications must be submitted within the first 2 weeks of the students starting their first nursing course.

Awards will be granted by the Scholarship committee based on meeting the scholarship guidelines and scholarship budget available for that fiscal year.

Based on the current budget, the total scholarship amount available is \$5,500 and this amount is valid for the current time period of 06/2022 and 09/2022.

Students beginning the practical nursing program in courses A&P I, A&P II or NUR 101, will be eligible for full scholarship amount available. If a student begins the practical nursing program in course NUR 102 or after, student will be eligible for 50% of scholarship amount available.

Students will be notified of decision and award amount, if any, within 1 week of application submission.

## **Submitting Your Scholarship:**

Please upload your scholarship video to our Dropbox location below.

<https://www.dropbox.com/request/CN40tk9drwPpaUij3ZRy>

All students are encouraged to apply.