

Carol J. Kenagy Nursing Education Scholarship

OVERVIEW & ELIGIBILITY

PURPOSE

To provide assistance to a Legacy Silverton Medical Center nurse seeking professional development through nursing degree advancement.

SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT

\$ 1,000

ELIGIBILITY FOR SELECTION

- Legacy Silverton Medical Center nurse employed in good standing with no disciplinary action in the prior 12 months.
- OSBN, RN active status without disciplinary action.
- Enrolled or accepted for enrollment in a professional accredited nursing degree program (baccalaureate, graduate) in the US.
- Applicant must complete essay question. (see *application*)
- Scholarship finalists will be interviewed by the Nursing Scholarship Committee.
- Financial need will be considered but this is NOT a “need-based only” scholarship.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Applications are available online at www.legacyhealth.org/scholarships or through the Silverton Health Foundation, 503.413.6955, kkrause@lhs.org.
- Applications and support materials must be received by June 16, 2025.
- Scholarship recipients will be notified by mail a/o email.
- Recipients may be eligible to apply again.

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I wish to apply for financial assistance from the Carol J. Kenagy Nursing Education Scholarship Fund. I understand the scholarship aids Legacy Silverton Medical Center employed nurses continuing or completing a nursing degree above an associate degree. I understand any monetary award will be paid to the school on my behalf.

Full name: _____ Date of birth: _____

Mailing address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Last completed degree _____

Name of educational institution funds are requested for _____

Program Name _____ GPA (if currently enrolled) _____

University Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Student ID #: _____ Term Start Date: _____

When did/will you start this program? _____

When do you expect to complete your degree? _____

Have you been awarded this scholarship before? _____

If yes, in what year(s) and how much funding did you receive? _____

Has LEAP approved your 2025 term coursework? _____

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The following information must be included with your application.

1. An enrollment certificate substantiating your enrollment in a nursing academic program.
2. A 300-500 word essay (*typed*) attesting to your nursing professional goals, academic aspirations and your current and future contribution to nursing practice.
3. Two written references from your peers, other healthcare professionals or instructors familiar with your academic or clinical practice. References must be included with your application and received by the June 16, 2025 deadline. (*Reference request forms are included with this application.*)

Individuals submitting references on your behalf

1. _____
2. _____

I have read, understand and agree to the requirements of the application process.

Applicant Signature/Date

Legacy Silverton Medical Center does not discriminate based on age, race, sex, religion, disability status or sexual preference. All applicants will be considered equally and judged based on the merits of their application and essay. The Silverton Health Foundation Scholarship Committee has complete and total discretion to select scholarship recipients.

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION AND REFERENCES TO:

Mail: Silverton Health Foundation, PO Box 4484, Portland, OR 97208-4484

Inter-Office Mail: Kristine Krause, Philanthropy – SO

E-mail: kkrause@lhs.org

Questions: 503.413.6955

Carol J. Kenagy Nursing Education Scholarship APPLICATION REFERENCE GUIDELINES

Full applicant name: _____

Mailing address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail address: _____

Applicant's submission deadline with references is June 16, 2025.

The person above has requested a written reference to accompany their scholarship application.

The information you contribute is vital to the Nursing Education Scholarship Committee's review. Please address areas that apply specifically to the applicant's nursing acumen and professionalism, plus any other information that might be of benefit to the committee. When finished, please forward the completed form to the applicant for inclusion in their scholarship packet. If you wish, to insure confidentiality, place this form in an envelope, label with the applicant's name, and sign the envelope across the seal.

Thank you for your time and prompt assistance.

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--- OFFICIAL USE ONLY ---

Applicant's full name (please print): _____

- ☐ Completed application and enrollment certificate
- ☐ Essay question
- ☐ References
- ☐ HR file audit
- ☐ OSBN Licensure audit

Amount approved \$: _____

Authorization to release scholarship funds:

Scholarship Committee Chair / Date

Student ID: _____

Check payable to: _____

Mailing address: _____
