



NURSING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Office use only
Received by: _____
Date: _____

Application deadline March 15th

Print Name: _____ **GSW ID:** _____
Last First Middle

Current Mailing Address: _____

City County State Zip

Birth City, State, and County: _____

Email Address (Primary): _____

Phone Number (Primary): _____

Nursing Program Track (check one):

- Traditional BSN (includes GAP)
- LPN-RN
- 2nd Degree BSN
- RN-BSN
- MSN

Citizenship Status:

- U.S. Citizen
- Permanent Resident (*individuals holding a green card*)
- Other

Have you ever received a needs based scholarship? Yes No

Have you ever received a School of Nursing scholarship? Yes No

Reference all scholarships and/or other monetary supplements that you are currently receiving or have received within the past (one) academic year.

Scholarship(s) received: _____ Academic year _____
 _____ Academic year _____
 _____ Academic year _____

Other monetary supplements: _____ Academic year _____
 _____ Academic year _____
 _____ Academic year _____

Please check the Scholarships for which you would like to be considered:

(Reference the attached descriptive list of scholarships to determine criteria for eligibility. Please note, scholarships will be allocated based on available funding)

- Frances Patrick Scholarship-** Available to nursing students in good standing.
- Shannon Peavy Knopes Scholarship-** Available to second year nursing student with preference given to Houston County residents.
- Loveda Powell McNair Memorial Scholarship-** Available to SON students who are a resident of Georgia.
- J. Emory Rylander Scholarship-** Must be full time nursing student with high academic standards and demonstrate commitment and good moral character at GSW and in the community.
- Herschel A. Smith Scholarship-** Must have a minimum of 3.0 GPA and a non-traditional student.
- Joan Smith Scholarship** – Must have minimum 3.0 GPA, enrolled in 6 semester hours, activities and leadership qualities considered as well as financial need.
- Ard Watson Scholarship-** Must have a minimum 2.85 GPA and be a resident of Sumter county.
- Parker/Wheeler Scholarship-** Must meet admission criteria of the SON and have financial need. Scholarship shared with School of Business.
- Nell Holt Holman Nursing Scholarship-** Available to undergraduate or graduate nursing students. Must be a resident of Sumter county or surrounding area on the basis of financial need.
- BeBe Gibson Nursing Scholarship-** Must have minimum 3.0 GPA, financial need, with verifiable residency in Sumter, Lee, and Clay counties, or non-traditional student.
- Lillie Josey Dudley Academic Nursing Scholarship-** Highest GPA upon acceptance to SON, must have completed all core courses at GSW.
- Americus Sumter Hospital Authority-** recipient must agree in writing to work at Phoebe Medical-Sumter County for a period of not less than two years upon graduation from or within the first three months of completion of the GSW nursing program.
- Rebecca McNeil Scholarship-** Must be a US Citizen, Science or Nursing major with at least a 2.8 GPA.
- Margaret P. Rush Scholarship-** Must have a minimum of 3.0 GPA pursuing an undergraduate nursing degree.
- Patricia Ann Griffith Scholarship-** Must be a Senior in Nursing; must have a GPA of 3.5 or higher and demonstrate financial need.

The Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregiving Scholarship is Awarded by RCI Scholarship Committee (contact the RCI at 229-928-1234 or visit their website to obtain an application.)

Required supporting documents to be included with the completed application:

- Personal Statement (one page in length –longer essays may impact negatively on application) Please be sure to include the following in your essay:**
 - *unique characteristics and abilities of self*
 - *personal interest and involvement in healthcare,*
 - *any personal life events that have prompted interest in a nursing career*
 - *describe evidence of how you have experienced socioeconomic adversity*
- Updated Personal Resume**
Detail any recent volunteer, community, or academically orientated activities.

The Scholarship Form and the required supporting document(s) must be received by the School of Nursing published application deadline via Email nursing@gsw.edu, mail, or personal delivery:

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Georgia Southwestern State University
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Americus, GA 31709