



## **Dr. Stephen J. Swartz Nursing Scholarship**

The Dr. Stephen J. Swartz Nursing Scholarship was established in 2021 through a generous donor to recognize Dr. Stephen J. Swartz for his exceptional contributions to patient care. For many years, Dr. Stephen J. Swartz has served on the medical staff at Riverview Medical Center and has built a reputation for his exceptional clinical care. Dr. Swartz has forged a special bond with the nursing staff on almost every unit of the hospital. This prestigious award signifies his strong commitment to nursing and to the promotion of excellence in patient care.

The Dr. Stephen J. Swartz Nursing Scholarship will be presented to registered nurses/nursing students who on a daily basis exhibit excellence in the delivery of patient care and are enrolled in Certificate, Bachelors, Masters, or Doctoral programs.

### **Award Criteria:**

1. The applicant must be a registered nurse/nursing student enrolled in a Certificate program, Bachelors (Pre-Licensure to BSN) or (RN to BSN), Masters in Nursing, Masters in Business Administration or Nursing Doctorate program.
2. The applicant must currently be employed by Hackensack Meridian *Health* (HMH) and be in good standing.
3. Preference will be given to candidates applying from RMC, then from Central Region hospitals, then HMH network wide.
4. Scholarship's recipients may be awarded funds in multiple years.

**DEADLINE FOR Application: July 15, 2021**

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**2021 Nomination Form**

Nominee's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Employee ID \_\_\_\_\_

Home Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Campus \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Nurse Manager \_\_\_\_\_

National Certification \_\_\_\_\_ CAP Level: \_\_\_\_\_

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Scholarships will be awarded in the following categories, please indicate the program you are enrolled in:

**Certificate Program**

School and type of Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

**Bachelor's** Pre-licensure to BSN \_\_\_\_\_ or RN to BSN \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

**Master's** MSN \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ MBA \_\_\_\_\_

School and Specialty \_\_\_\_\_

**Doctoral** PhD \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ DNP \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Attach the following:

1. Narrative Statement not to exceed 2 pages *addressing how* the nominee exhibits a commitment to excellence in patient care
2. Evidence of enrollment
3. Any additional documentation to support the application (optional) and may include letters of support, thank you letters from patients, award nominations, etc...

Return by mail to: Hackensack Meridian *Health* Ann May Center  
2020 Sixth Avenue, Neptune NJ 07753

**Or**

Preferred Option: Scan/Email to [AnnMayCenter@HMHN.org](mailto:AnnMayCenter@HMHN.org) in one complete document

For more information, call the Ann May Center at 732.481.8570

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: July 15, 2021**

Please do not use staples.

**KEEP A COPY OF THIS APPLICATION FOR YOU RECORDS**