NLN Research in Nursing Education Grant Program

Doctoral Research Grant Award Guidelines

• Research grant awards are formally announced at the NLN Education Summit held annually in September. Grantees are strongly encouraged to attend.
• Grantees will typically receive a letter informing them of their award by July 1. Research grant awards are typically disbursed by Sept 1 either directly to the Grantee or to the school where the researcher is enrolled for doctoral study or employed as faculty, depending on the specific award. If applicable, documentation of IRB/human subject protection approval must be received before check is mailed.
• Grantee must confirm the anticipated research study end date upon notification of award.
• Upon completion of the research project, all Grantees are strongly encouraged to submit an abstract for a poster/podium presentation at the next available NLN Education Summit or the NLN Nursing Education Research Conference (NERC).
  1. NLN Summit and NLN NERC submission information will be available on the NLN website.
• Upon completion of the research study, all Grantees must submit a Final Abstract (no more than 250 words).
  1. Describe the focus of your study, its significance to nursing education, study results or findings and conclusions, and the NLN research priority with which it is most closely aligned; this abstract will be used in announcing your research grant to NLN members, e.g. in NLN newsletters, press releases or on the NLN website.
  2. Please submit to the NLN Nursing Education Research Grants Program at research@nln.org by the due date designated by NLN Staff. Please type Final Abstract_<last name of PI> in the subject line. Questions related to this report should be directed to research@nln.org.
• The NLN retains first right of refusal for publication resulting from the funded research project by encouraging the Grantee to submit a manuscript to Nursing Education Perspectives for peer review and possible publication.
• The Grantee will acknowledge NLN support of their research study in all public forums, including all publications, abstracts, and presentations.
• A one year, NLN student membership will be arranged for Grantees who are doctoral students, if not already a member.