

GOOD SAMARITAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Print and complete the **Application Form** and return by **MAIL** along with the following supporting documents:

1. A **LETTER** answering all of the following questions:
 - a. ***Why do you want to be a nurse?*** How did you originally become interested in nursing as a career?
 - b. ***What kind of nursing work do you plan on doing?*** Where do you plan to practice nursing (i.e., where and what kind of facility)?
 - c. ***What specialized field have you chosen? PLEASE BE VERY SPECIFIC.***
 - d. ***Why do you need scholarship assistance?***
 - e. ***Have you applied or been granted other scholarships?*** If so, please answer the following:
 - *Name of scholarship and/or grant*
 - *Amount you will receive*
 - *Which semesters?*
 - *Will these scholarships / grants pay for books & tuition only?*
 - f. ***EVERYONE MUST ANSWER: Are you a U.S. Citizen?*** If you are not a U.S. Citizen, what Nation/Country is your citizenship?
 - **Attention: If you are NOT a U.S. citizen, you MUST INCLUDE a copy of your Green Card/Work Permit along with your application. To qualify for a Good Samaritan scholarship, you must be eligible to work in the U.S.**
2. A **LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION** on school or institution letterhead from a current or past instructor, counselor, or dean. If letterhead stationery is not available, please ask them to provide a business card to accompany the letter of recommendation. We require that letters of recommendation to come from someone who knows your academic record. **It is your responsibility to get the letter of recommendation to us.**
3. A **COPY** of your most recent **TRANSCRIPT** or note as to why you cannot send one. An unofficial Transcript is acceptable.
4. A **COPY** of your most recent **IRS W-2 FORM** (***NOT your Tax return***) **and** the W-2 of anyone who claims you as a dependent, (i.e. spouse, parent, etc), or a brief note as to why you cannot send a copy of the W-2 form. *Note - the W-2 is the form your employer sends at the end of the year showing your yearly wages.*
5. A **SMALL COLOR PHOTOGRAPH** or snapshot of yourself. A **Color Scan or photocopy** of driver's license is acceptable.
6. A current copy of your professional **RESUME**.

After you have assembled your application packet to mail to us, be sure to look over this list to verify that you have included ALL of the required documents. We also recommend that you make a copy of your complete application packet for your own file. Only complete application packets will be considered, so please make sure you have included all of the supporting documents mentioned above.

