

Master of Clinical Practice (Nursing)

Scholarship

Scholarship Regulations

Focus

Nursing

Level of Study

Postgraduate

Purpose

The Master of Clinical Practice (Nursing) Scholarship support students enrol full time in this degree.

Background

The Master of Clinical Practice (Nursing) is an integrated two-year programme of theoretical health/nursing knowledge, applied science, and clinical experiences in collaboration with a range of clinical service providers in home, community and hospital settings.

Consistent with the University Mission Statement and the School of Nursing Strategic Plan, the Massey University learning environment will support students to advance, critique, preserve and respect knowledge through research and scholarship. At the end of Year Two graduates from the Master of Clinical Practice (Nursing) will have successfully mastered the theoretical requirements of the programme and completed a range of clinical learning experiences, which supports the practice of nursing. Graduates will also be eligible to sit the examinations set by the Nursing Council of New Zealand, having demonstrated the clinical competencies required to apply for registration as a nurse.

Value and Tenure

The value of the scholarship will be up to a maximum value of \$8,500.00 for course fees and \$30,000.00 for the stipend.

The scholarship is tenable for one year and begins in semester two of the year of award and finishes at the end of semester one of the following year.

Typical Number on Offer

Up to ten scholarships are on offer

Eligibility

Applicants must be:

- enrolled full time in the Master of Clinical Practice (Nursing) at Massey University
- a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident

Selection Criteria

Selection will be based on:

- the applicant's portfolio of application documents
- academic merit

Hardship may be taken into consideration.

Selection Panel

The scholarship is awarded by the University Scholarships Committee on the recommendation of the Master of Clinical Practice Programme Director.

Conditions of the Scholarship

The scholarship may be held in conjunction with other scholarships, bursaries or awards, so long as these permit co-tenure.

In recommending the award of a scholarship the selection committee may take account of other scholarships and bursaries held by the applicant with a view to achieving a reasonable distribution of available monies among qualifying candidates.

The selection panel may decline to award any scholarships in any year if there are no applicants of sufficient merit to warrant an award.

The stipend payment will be made in 12 equal installments commencing the end of July of the year of award.

The course fees will be credited to the recipients Massey student fees account at the beginning of semester 2, of the year of award, after the official withdraw date without financial penalty.