

Carilion Clinic Nursing Scholarship Fund Application

The Carilion Clinic Foundation is offering scholarship opportunities for Carilion Clinic employees working toward a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing through an accredited university.

- The Doris and Lynn Morris Scholarship is designated for those who struggle financially to further their nursing education (up to \$3,000 per semester for one year).
- The Babe and Sydney Louis Hyatt Scholarship is designated for those in nursing who have a sincere interest in becoming a R.N. (up to \$2,500 per semester for one year).
- The Carrie Seay Scholarship will award two scholarships of \$1,000 towards a B.S.N. degree.
- The JoAnn Brinkman Nursing Scholarship will give one deserving applicant \$250 towards their education.

Scholarships will be awarded for the Fall semester.

Information and the application can be found at carilionfoundation.org/scholarships. Please email any questions to foundation@carilionclinic.org.

The deadline to apply is **April 15, 2026**. Successful candidates will be notified at the beginning of June.

Eligibility

- Recipient must be a Carilion employee who has been employed for at least 6 months and is currently working towards a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree through an accredited college or university.
- Preference will be given to those who are currently employed as a licensed tech, LPN or NA.
- Recipient must be enrolled at least part time, maintain a B average, and must be in good performance standing with Carilion. Employees with Performance Improvement or Disciplinary Actions in the last 24 months will not be considered.
- Recipients will be required to work for Carilion Clinic in a full time RN direct patient care role for two years post Nursing School graduation.
- Applicants will be selected based on their leader recommendations, personal statements, and performance history with Carilion Clinic.
- Employees receiving other scholarship awards from Carilion Clinic will not be eligible for these scholarship.

Requirements

- The complete package must be submitted with all documents at the time of application.
- Scholarships will be awarded for the Fall semester.
- The recipient must use the funds for the academic year that the funds are given or forfeit the award.
- The recipient must maintain eligibility requirements and sign an agreement with Carilion Clinic Foundation regarding these requirements and use of funds.

- If an applicant is starting a program, a letter of acceptance to the program must be included in the application package.
- The applicant's name must be on the personal statement page.
- Scholarship awards will be paid directly to the named academic institution for use by the student and will be awarded based on the actual tuition balance.
- All sections of the application must be completed.
- Applications must be typed. Handwritten applications will not be accepted.

Completed applications include:

- Answers to all questions
- A Personal Statement essay
- Two letters of recommendation
- A copy of current unofficial transcript
- If starting first year of program, please include the acceptance letter.
- Submission of all materials by April 15, 2026 to foundation@carilionclinic.org

*** Please do not leave any sections blank. Incomplete applications will be disqualified.**

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Name _____

Home Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Email address _____

Mobile number _____

Current position with Carilion _____

Length of employment with Carilion _____

Name of college where you are currently enrolled _____

Student identification number _____

Name of program _____

Year of program you will be this fall _____

Part-time student ☐ Full-time student ☐

Date of anticipated graduation _____

Current GPA _____

Professional or non-professional honors or awards

Current community services

Other extracurricular activities

Financial information

Anticipated cost of tuition for the 2026-2027 school year: _____

Amount expected from personal sources (yourself, relatives etc.): _____

Amount expected from grants and financial aid sources: _____

Will you be working during the school year? _____

If so, what is your expected annual income? _____

What is your current tuition balance? _____

Personal statement

Please include a personal statement of no more than one typed page, explaining what has inspired you to go into your chosen field of healthcare and sharing your career goals and objectives. Please include an explanation of your financial need and how you plan to meet your school expenses.

Two letters of recommendation

A letter of recommendation is required as part of this application. This may be from a teacher, professor or other school official, or from a current or former work supervisor. The recommendations may be emailed to foundation@carilionclinic.org

Unofficial transcript

Please include your most recent transcript from your college or university with your application package. If you are just beginning your program/degree, please include the final transcript from your most recent degree. This may be emailed to foundation@carilionclinic.org

All applications and supporting documents must be completed and emailed/faxed on or before Tuesday, April 15, 2026 to foundation@carilionclinic.org