

## **College of Emergency Nurses New Zealand-NZNO Education Grant - Postgraduate Study**

### **"Advancing practice for Emergency Nurses in New Zealand"**

This fund is available to all full CENNZ members, to provide financial support for CENNZ - NZNO members to participate in post graduate study, be it for Postgraduate Certificate, Postgraduate diploma, Masters or towards a PhD.

#### Inclusion criteria.

- Applicants must be a full and current CENNZ-NZNO member for the past 2 financial years consecutively.
- Relevance to Emergency Nursing.

#### Exclusion criteria.

- Funding will not be provided if the applicant has received a CENNZ-NZNO grant within the previous financial year.

#### Specifics of the fund:

- The decision to accept or decline an application, and whether the amount requested is paid in part or in full, is made by the CENNZ-NZNO National committee. The decision of the committee is final.
- Closing date is 31st January for February meeting.
- Applications will be discussed at the quarterly CENNZ-NZNO national committee meetings (normally February, May, August, November).
- Retrospective applications: members may apply for courses attended within the current financial year. You must provide original receipts.
- All recipients will be listed in the subsequent journal and on the website.

#### Terms and Conditions for successful applicants.

Depositing of any funds by the college member denotes acceptance of the following terms and conditions.

- Any funding given by CENNZ-NZNO to the applicant will be used strictly for the purpose for which it was granted.
- If the applicant does not undertake the course for which funding was granted for, he/she will refund the full amount to CENNZ-NZNO: this includes failure to attend due to sickness, redundancy or any other unforeseen circumstances.
- CENNZ would appreciate the award recipient disseminating new knowledge to their nursing colleagues with acknowledgement that funding was received from CENNZ-NZNO.

Application:

Please include the following information:

- Current CV.
- Covering letter outlining learning outcomes, rational for applying, how the study will contribute to your nursing practice.
- Name of institution, i.e. University or Polytechnic.
- Name and number of the course/paper.
- Proof of enrolment.
- Month and year you start.
- Any other funding you have received for the course.
- Costs being claimed – course fees.

Grant application form can be found on the website at:

[https://www.nzno.org.nz/groups/colleges\\_sections/colleges/college\\_of\\_emergency\\_nurses/grants\\_awards](https://www.nzno.org.nz/groups/colleges_sections/colleges/college_of_emergency_nurses/grants_awards)

Send application form along with other documentation to:

[cennzsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:cennzsecretary@gmail.com)

On receipt of your application, the CENNZ secretary will inform you via email.

If you do not hear back within 14 days please contact Sharyne Gordon at NZNO office: [SharyneG@nzno.org.nz](mailto:SharyneG@nzno.org.nz)