



ANNA
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2027 Awards, Scholarships, & Grants



Each year ANNA provides awards, scholarships, and grants to members and chapters to recognize and reward outstanding achievements and to support scholarships and research. The below 2027 awards, scholarships, and grants are available and will be disbursed in April 2027.

Plan now to apply or to nominate one of your colleagues for a special award. Application and details for all awards, scholarships, and grants are available on the ANNA Website, www.annanurse.org.

Award, Scholarship, & Grant Application Deadline ~ November 15, 2026 (Awards Distributed in 2027)

| AWARD, SCHOLARSHIP, OR GRANT | CODE | PURPOSE | AWARD |
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| AWARDS | | | |
| Outstanding Contribution to ANNA Award | 101 | Recognize a nephrology nurse who has made outstanding contributions to the goals of ANNA. | \$2,000 Lifetime Member, Plaque, & ANNA Pin |
| Ron Brady Memorial Award for Excellence in Volunteer Leadership <i>(Sponsored by Anthony J. Jannetti, Inc.)</i> | 102 | Recognize a nephrology nurse who has demonstrated outstanding volunteer leadership in contributing to the mission of ANNA. | \$1,000 & Plaque |
| Clinical Practice Award <i>(Sponsored by Anthony J. Jannetti, Inc.)</i> | 103 | Recognize excellence in clinical nephrology nurse practice. | \$1,000 & Plaque |
| Nephrology Nurse Educator Award | 104 | Recognize outstanding contributions to professional and/or patient education. | \$2,000 & Plaque |
| Excellence in Nephrology Nursing Management Award | 105 | Recognize a qualified ANNA member for managerial excellence in the advancement of nephrology nursing. | \$1,000 & Plaque |
| Nephrology Nurse Researcher Award | 106 | Recognize an outstanding nephrology nurse researcher. | \$1,000 & Plaque |
| Quality Care Award <i>(Sponsored by Church & Dwight Co., Inc.)</i> | 108 | Recognize a nurse or technician who, through clinical excellence and exceptional human compassion, has provided care to hemodialysis patients that is above and beyond the requirements of his/her position. | \$2,000 & Plaque |
| Outstanding Chapter Recognition Award | 111 | Recognize one (1) ANNA chapter annually that has demonstrated exceptional contributions and outstanding achievements while actively supporting the goals and philosophy of ANNA. | \$1,500 & Certificate |
| Board of Directors' Award | 116 | Recognize a grassroots member for the advancement of the goals and objectives of ANNA. | Plaque, ANNA Pin, & Symposium Registration |
| Research Abstract Award | 118 | Recognize an ANNA member for an outstanding research abstract for presentation at the National Symposium. | \$500 & Certificate |
| <i>Nephrology Nursing Journal Writing Awards</i> | 119 | Recognize new authors and excellence in nephrology nursing leadership in writing for publication in the areas of clinical practice, education, and research. | <i>Specific Focus Areas</i> \$500 Each (3 Awards) <i>New Author</i> (1 Award) \$500 Value ANNA Pub. All Receive a Certificate |
| Research Sharing Award | 122 | Award an individual or group who has made a major contribution to the dissemination of research to nurses for use in clinical nephrology nursing practice, education, and/or administration. | \$350 & Certificate |
| The Helen Feigenbaum Award for the Promotion of Excellence in Nephrology Nursing <i>(Sponsored by the Feigenbaum Family)</i> | 126 | Recognize one (1) qualified nurse each year who demonstrates the commitment to excellence in nursing that Helen Feigenbaum embodied in her approach to clinical practice and quality care, leadership, collaboration, education, and research. | \$1,000 & Plaque |

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* Value of grants is up to this amount pending reports of actual expenses. / ** Pending corporate support.

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| New to Nephrology Practice Award | 127 | Recognize outstanding excellence displayed by an ANNA member who is new to nephrology nursing practice [more than one (1) year but less than five (5) years]. | Comp Symposium Reg. (within 2 yrs); Reimburse Expenses up to \$1,500 |
| Patient Safety Award | 129 | Recognize excellence in contributing to patient safety. | \$2,000 & Plaque |
| SPNing is Winning Award | 130 | Recognize outstanding achievements by three (3) SPNs each year by awarding points for projects and accomplishments ~ Leaders & All Advisors (Certificate). SPN with a) Highest Point Total, b) 2nd Highest Point Total, and c) 3rd Highest Point Total Symp Reg (\$2,600); (Summit Reg) (\$2,200); Pub of Choice (\$400) | 1st – Symp Reg 2nd – NN Summit Reg 3rd – ANNA Publication of Choice |
| Home Nurse Champion Award (Sponsored by NxStage) | 135 | Recognize two (2) Home Nurse Champion nurses who, through clinical excellence, have provided care to patients receiving frequent home hemodialysis that is above and beyond the requirements of their position. Award 1 ~ Home Hemodialysis / Award 2 ~ Peritoneal Dialysis | \$1,000/Each & Certificate |
| SCHOLARSHIPS | | | |
| ANNA Career Mobility Scholarships | 201-205 | Support five (5) qualified ANNA members in pursuit of either a BSN or an advanced degree in nursing. | \$2,000 Each (5 Awards) |
| Janel Parker Career Mobility Scholarship (Sponsored by Anthony J. Jannetti, Inc.) | 209 | Support a qualified ANNA member in the pursuit of either a BSN or an advanced degree in nursing. | \$2,500 |
| NNCC Career Mobility Scholarships | 210-212 | Support three (3) ANNA members who are certified through the NNCC in pursuit of a BSN or advanced degree in nursing. | \$3,000 each (3 Awards) |
| Dare to Soar Career Mobility Scholarship (Sponsored by Rowena W. Elliott, ANNA President 2011-12, and Chapters) | 214 | Support a qualified ANNA member in the pursuit of either a BSN or an advanced degree in nursing. | \$1,000 & Certificate |
| Fresenius Medical Care Career Mobility Scholarships ** | 215-216 | Support two (2) qualified ANNA members in pursuit of either a BSN or an advanced degree in nursing. | \$2,500 Each (2 Awards) |
| Nephrology Nursing Certification Scholarship | 221 | To improve patient outcomes through specialized skills and encourage RNs and APNs to excel through lifelong learning, professional growth, and achievement of professional distinction through knowledge and competencies. | CNN-NP - \$425 CNN - \$400 CDN - \$400 |
| JMS & ANNA CMS for Hemodialysis (Sponsored by JMS and ANNA) | 222 | Awarded annually in support of LPN, LVN, PCT, or Medical Assistant in pursuit of their RN degree (ADN, Diploma, or BSN). | \$1,000 |
| GRANTS | | | |
| Clinical Practice Grants | 304 | Fund up to three (3) clinical practice projects that will directly benefit staff, patients, and/or families. | \$2,500 Each (3 Awards) |
| Research Grant | 310 | Provide funds to one (1) qualified member for research in support of developing evidence-based nephrology nursing practice and demonstrating the value of nephrology nursing in improving patient outcomes. | \$15,000 * & Symposium Registration |
| Evidence-Based Practice Projects Grants | 311-313 | To fund up to three (3) grants for qualified nephrology nurses' work to translate research into practice in support of developing evidence-based nephrology nursing practice and demonstrating the value of nephrology nursing in improving patient outcomes. | \$5,000 * Each & Symposium Registration (3 Grants) |
| Barbara F. Prowant Research Grant (Sponsored by the Nephrology Nursing Certification Commission) | 317 | To fund qualified nephrology nursing research for ANNA full members who are certified by NNCC and who are in graduate school. | \$5,000 * |
| Satellite Healthcare Applied Pragmatic Clinical Research Grant (Sponsored by Satellite Healthcare) | 318 | To fund qualified nephrology nursing applied pragmatic clinical research for ANNA members. | \$5,000 * |
| TOTAL AWARDS AVAILABLE | | 48 AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS, & GRANTS | \$ 107,375 |