

# 2017 Student Nursing Scholarships Overview and Eligibility Requirements Application Form

### LOUISE FINN NURSING SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Louise Finn Nursing Scholarship will be awarded to a child of a current Cooley Dickinson Health Care employee who is pursuing a career in nursing and is either currently accepted or enrolled in an accredited school of nursing (preferably located in the surrounding area), working to complete an associate's degree, a three-year diploma, a bachelor's degree, or a master's degree in nursing.

Award: \$500

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This scholarship is named in recognition of Louise Finn, a maternal and infant care nurse at Cooley Dickinson Hospital for more than 54 years.

## CDH SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP

In its thirteenth award year, the 2017 Cooley Dickinson School of Nursing Alumni Association Scholarship will once again be awarded to a deserving senior attending either Northampton High School or Smith Vocational and Agricultural High School who is pursuing a career in nursing.

### **HOW TO APPLY**

If interested and qualified, you are invited to complete an application and write a 750-word essay.

**Required Essay:** In 750 words or less, discuss the following:

- Why you have chosen to begin/advance your professional education in the nursing/medical field
- How your goals demonstrate your commitment to health care and the community
- Why you would like to be the recipient of the Scholarship
- What professional relationship you might have with Cooley Dickinson

Your completed application and essay should be received no later than **Friday**, **April 7**, **2017** and should be submitted via e-mail to <u>development@cooley-dickinson.org</u> or mailed to the address below:

Cooley Dickinson Hospital Development Office P.O. Box 329 Northampton, MA 01061-0329

Scholarship decisions will be made by June 9, 2017. Anyone with questions should call the Cooley Dickinson Development Office at (413) 582-2255 or e-mail development@cooley-dickinson.org.

Thank you for your interest in Cooley Dickinson Hospital Nursing Scholarships!



Honors and Awards:

Service to the Community, Outside Activities and Interests:

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ELIGIBILITY STATUS -- I am both eligible and interested in applying for the following scholarship funding opportunities: The Cooley Dickinson Nursing Alumni Scholarship (I am a senior attending a Northampton Public High School) The Louise Finn Nursing Scholarship (I am a high school senior and a child of a Cooley Dickinson Health Care employee) Today's Date:\_\_ **Applicant Name:** Age: Attending High School name: Graduating Class Year: Local Address (Street, City/Town, State Zip Code E-mail: Phone#: Name(s) of parents or legal guardian: **Education** Accredited U.S. College/University You Plan to Attend (if not confirmed, list first choice): **College Application Status: Intended Major: Biographical Information** Current Employment, including assigned work unit and employment status (mandatory): Nursing/Medical Field/Caring Experience