Intermountain Healthcare Scholarship for Diversity in Nursing

It is open to ASN and BSN students. The Nursing department does not give out this award; it all goes through the UVU scholarship office. Showing diversity in nursing, according to #4 in the criteria not only includes cultural backgrounds but bilingual skills, and foreign language fluency. Any experiences you might have had that you feel help contribute to diversity in nursing put in the essay and apply!

SELECTION CRITERIA HIGHLIGHTS & NOTES:

The Scholarship will be awarded to students that have been accepted into the UVU Nursing Program (RN and BSN). The Scholarship is renewed with the following conditions:

1. Recipient must maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA and be enrolled in at least nine credit hours each Fall and Spring semester.
2. Recipient is encouraged to participate in UVU’s outreach program to junior high and high school students for the purpose of encouraging culturally diverse individuals to enter the nursing profession.
3. Recipient must demonstrate financial need.
4. Preference will be given to applicants with culturally diverse backgrounds, bilingual skills, and foreign language fluency.

Applicants must submit a personal statement describing his or her cultural diversity. The scholarship will be awarded through the UVU scholarship office. The essay is part of applying for UVU scholarships.

HOW TO APPLY:

Nursing students need to complete the online comprehensive scholarship application located at [www.uvu.edu/financialaid/scholarships](http://www.uvu.edu/financialaid/scholarships). You will click the “Apply Now” box. This prompts you to enter your UV ID# and password after entering this information it will take you into the application. You will want to mark Academic Program Based in PART II on the application. This will prompt you to do an essay. The essay requests that they write about the following: 1) State your career goals. 2) How you will use your degree. 3) Your involvement in community service. and 4) Your financial need. **And don’t forget to include the requirements in #4 above.**

Any questions about this should be directed to the financial aid/scholarship office.