

P.E.O. (Philanthropic Educational Organization) Program for Continuing Education (PCE) Grant

Applications are due January 15th, 2024 by midnight!

The P.E.O. PCE provides grants (up to \$3,000) to women who are citizens or legal permanent residents of the United States or Canada for use in completing a degree or certification necessary for improving or gaining skills leading to employment.

The money will be used for tuition and expenses the following semester. The local chapter will interview applicants screened for meeting eligibility requirements by the scholarship committee. Interviews will be scheduled during the upcoming semester.

These PCE grants are awarded to **women** who meet the following requirements:

1. Must be a US citizen or permanent resident.
2. Must have had her education interrupted for **24 consecutive months** at any time during the process of pursuing a degree.
3. Must have completed at least one semester of the nursing program by the date of application. Additionally must be planning to attend continuously until graduation.
4. Entering Level 2 or 3 of the Associate Degree Nursing Program.
5. Must be planning **to work full time as an RN upon graduation and passing NCLEX.**
6. Must demonstrate financial need and not receive any tuition support from other organizations, Pell grants, or other scholarships.
7. **You MUST meet ALL of these criteria to be eligible.** You also must agree to answer the phone calls and email from the individual chapters, be interviewed by the members of the chapter, and attend the meeting/luncheon where the award will be given.

The application and all its components and criteria may be found by following the link to PEO Scholarship on the ADN Student Webpage.

<http://sites.austincc.edu/health/rnsg/financial-aid/>

Applications must be submitted electronically to <https://forms.gle/78RyRRxsiNDMLPTWA> no later than January 15th, 2024 by midnight.

Must include application packet, resume, unofficial transcript, a screenshot that shows **current total GPA.**