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Dear Friends...

It is with honor that we write to you about the American Nurses Foundation (ANF). As a 501(c)3 organization, ANF gives nurses opportunities to explore warning signs of stress-related high blood pressure; discover how diabetes can be monitored improving the life of someone who has diabetes; delve into the stages of infant development; examine alternatives to ending the obesity trend; enhance skills to communicate with populations from babies, to the elderly; teach prevention of foodborne illnesses; and test new methods to handle addictions, such as smoking.

But, that is not all. ANF also gives nurses the opportunity to uncover the value of caring; understand the effects of lifestyle habits on the human body; reach out to assist our own; improve quality of nursing care; and realize dreams in the nursing profession!

As the philanthropic arm of the American Nurses Association (ANA), ANF has given nurses opportunities to advance the profession, enhance the public health, and become nurse leaders, since 1955. Close to 1,000 nurses have taken that opportunity through our flagship program, the Nursing Research Grants Program. ANF is principally known for providing seed money to beginning nurse researchers, enabling them to begin their research careers and go on to receive national funding. ANF has awarded nearly $4 million to beginning and experienced nurse researchers over the past 54 years. The findings of these nurse researchers have made a substantial positive impact on the lives that surround us. Many of the ANF Scholars have gone on to be leaders in nursing research who advance the scientific foundation for practice, leaders in nursing, and leaders in their communities. That is why we thank all of our donors for supporting the Annual Fund and mission of ANF!

Financial commitment to ANF opens doors not only for nurse researchers, but for those nurses who dream of impacting lives by conducting their own studies that may lead to change in health care policies and procedures. Just think of the lives that have been impacted by the work of ANF Scholars. Pamela Mitchell, PhD, RN, FAAN, conducted original work on the effect of nurses’ activities on intracranial pressure that led to a program of research on neurological responses and neurobiology. Barbara F. Piper, DNSc, RN, AOCN, FAAN, a leading expert on fatigue and pain management, received her original ANF funding for research on the effect of exercise on fatigue and mood states in women with breast cancer. She is a co-investigator on a $3.7 million study designed to translate the National Comprehensive Cancer Network’s pain and evidence-based guidelines into practice through innovative ways to improve care for patients with cancer. (Her instrument, the Piper Fatigue Scale was selected for use in a 10-site cancer clinical trial by Sigma - Tau Pharmaceuticals, Inc). Susan B. Meister, PhD, RN, FAAN, who has devoted her career to child health policy, worked on innovations in the care of children with serious chronic illnesses and examined the contributions of cost-effectiveness analysis, decision analysis, and technology assessment in policy analysis.

ANF scholars such as these have created a legacy of leadership and have paved the way for a new generation of nurse researchers and leaders. All tax-deductible contributions to the ANF Annual Fund, whether from individuals or corporations, acknowledge the work of nurse researchers today, and those who will follow in their footsteps tomorrow.

We thank our many donors who support ANF’s mission and ensure that nurses always have the opportunity to personify the value of compassion; develop more competencies to advance the profession; improve communications to promote the public health and better serve patients; and learn techniques to aid the healing process. We ask everyone to grow or begin your financial support to the significant work of ANF today.
ANF is the charitable and philanthropic arm of ANA, supporting ANA and its work to promote the welfare and well being of nurses, and advance the nursing profession, thereby enhancing the health of the public.
Your Impact on Lives
Donations@Work

Contributions made to ANF impact lives daily through the research and results of the ANF Scholars and through grant partnerships.

Marla J. Weston, PhD, RN, ANF Scholar

“The ANF grant aided in my examination of variables that enable or constrain control over nursing practice. My subsequent work has focused on concept analysis and review of instrumentation related to autonomy and control over nursing practice.” Weston’s current research is a qualitative study examining the process for increasing nurse satisfaction and professional practice.

Weston’s nursing research career has led her to a career in nurse leadership exemplified by her commitment to advancing the nursing profession. In 2009, Dr. Weston will begin her tenure as chief executive officer of ANA/ANF. Prior to joining the enterprise, Weston served in leadership positions including deputy chief officer of the Workforce Management and Consulting Office at the Department of Veterans Affairs in Washington, D.C.; program director, workforce development, Office of Nursing Services, at the Department of Veterans Affairs, where she was responsible for improving the overall work environment for VA nurses, retaining and rewarding a skilled workforce, and improving the image of nursing while promoting nursing as an attractive career choice through collaboration with external partners; and executive director at the Arizona Nurses Association, a constituent member association of ANA.

Vicki Hines-Martin, PhD, CNS, RN, FAAN, ANF Scholar

“The grant not only provided essential support for my doctoral dissertation, it also validated the importance of understanding cultural perspectives on how clients and their families view health. Being an ANF grant recipient functioned as a foundation for my program of research supported by such entities as NINR and NIDDK, my teaching with graduates and undergraduate students, publications and the development of my multicultural health information web site, www.colorofhealth.org.”

Dr. Hines-Martin is pleased to see her career come full circle by supporting future researchers through her service on the Nursing Research Grants Reviewer committee (NRGR).
M. Katherine Hutchinson, PhD, RN, FAAN, ANF Scholar

“One of my first research awards was a $3,500 grant from ANF for my study, ‘Sexual Risk Perceptions and Protective Strategies of Hispanic/Latina Young Women.’ That early funding was critical in launching my research trajectory and developing the track record needed for federal funding.”

“Beyond my early ANF funding, it has been a privilege to be involved with ANF for a 3-year term as a NRRC member and to be able to play a role in promoting the development of the next generation of nurse researchers.”

Kathy Hutchinson’s research focuses on family influences of adolescent sexual risk and other risk behaviors and family-based risk reduction interventions. She is currently testing a mother-daughter HIV risk reduction intervention in Kingston, Jamaica.

Graham J. McDougall, Jr., PhD, APRN-BC, FAAN, ANF Scholar

“The American Nurses Foundation has been an instrumental component of both funding and recognition for my 20-year program of cognitive aging research. My program of research is inextricably bound to ANF and NIH. Funding through these entities provide crucial sources of funding at critical points of development for serious research in the nursing profession.”

In 1990, McDougall’s doctoral proposal, “Metamemory Knowledge as a Cue to Act in Older Adults”, received the Lucille Joel Fund Scholar award. In 1991, as an assistant professor at Case Western Reserve University’s Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing, NIMH awarded him three years of additional funding to continue his research program.

At the beginning of his intervention research in 1996, the Germaine S. Krysan, RN, Scholar funded his study “Mnemonic Training to Improve Self-Efficacy in Cognitively Impaired Older Adults.” NINR continued to support his research as he developed the Cognitive Behavior Model of Everyday Memory. After moving to The University of Texas at Austin, the NIA funded a five-year R01 at $2.4 million to test the intervention model in a large scale randomized clinical trial from 2001-2006.

McDougall also proudly serves on the ANF Nursing Research Review Committee (NRRC).

Patricia Flannery Pearce, MPH, PhD, FNP-BC

ANF Scholar

“Receiving an ANF grant during my PhD studies was a powerful experience. Knowing the reviewers thought my proposed study had merit boosted my confidence as a PhD student to do the research. And the funding was sufficient to complete my initial study in exploring middle school adolescents understanding of physical activity and working with the adolescents to design the Children’s Computerized Physical Activity Reporter (CCPAR). This foundational research catapulted me into successful intramural and extramural funding, which established psychometrics for the CCPAR, and furthered our understanding of physical activity. Currently I am developing interventional research related to physical activity and underserved middle-school adolescents, and am utilizing the CCPAR within that research.”

Pearce is honored to serve on the Nursing Research Review Committee (NRRC).
Your Impact on Lives

Mary Evans, PhD, RN, FAAN

“The Scholar-in-Residence position is an exceptional opportunity to learn about the IOM and to be involved with various projects that are underway there, as well as to conduct original research related to the mission of the IOM. It is also a great way to learn more about health policy and the challenges of health care reform.”

Evans is a child mental health services researcher. Her position at the University of South Florida is Distinguished University Health Professor and Associate Dean for Research and Doctoral Programs in the College of Nursing. During 2008-2009 Evans was the American Nurses Foundation (ANF)/American Academy of Nursing (AAN) Scholar-in-Residence at the Institute of Medicine (IOM) where she had the opportunity to receive orientation with the Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Fellows and work with the Board on Children, Youth, and Families. While at the IOM, Evans conducted a research project on the barriers and facilitators to implementation of the recommendations from an IOM report on prevention of mental, emotional, and behavioral disorders in youth.

IOM/ANF/AAN Scholar-in-Residence Program

This Scholar-in-Residence program provides a year-long leadership opportunity in health policy at the Institute of Medicine (IOM). The American Nurses Foundation (ANF) and the American Academy of Nursing (AAN), in partnership with the IOM, support this program. It is designed as an immersion experience to facilitate nurse leaders engaging in a prominent role in health policy development at the national level.

Most Recent IOM/ANF/AAN Scholars

- Mary E. Evans, PhD, RN, FAAN (2008)
  - Mental health

- Carolyn Williams, PhD, RN, FAAN (2007)
  - Collaboration among health care professionals

- Ada Sue Hinshaw, PhD, RN, FAAN (2006)
  - Nursing research impact on policy

- Jackie Campbell, PhD, RN, FAAN (2005)
  - Violence against women

- Veronica Feeg, PhD, RN, FAAN (2004)
  - Child health

- Angela Barron McBride, PhD, RN, FAAN (2003)
  - Technology

- Bonnie Mowinski Jennings, DNSc, RN, FAAN (2002)
  - Quality and health care
Your Impact on Lives

Through tax-deductible donations...

You can lead a life that impacts lives by making a tax-deductible donation to the general fund of ANF! Donations to the general fund ensure ANF’s ability to expand and increase our impact on lives!

ANF accepts general donations by check and credit card by mail, online, or by phone. Any gift may be made in memory or in honor of a family member or other loved one. ANF staff would be glad to assist you in choosing an appropriate commemoration for your gift in memory of someone, or in honor of an event such as a birthday, anniversary, or graduation.

Honor a Nurse Recognition Program

Whether making a donation by cash, check or credit card - consider the ANF Honor a Nurse Recognition Program, too. For a minimal donation of $100 you can give the gift of public recognition for that special nurse in your life - contact ANF staff for current recognition announcements!

Workplace Gifts

Do you participate in workplace giving campaigns such as the United Way or the Combined Federal Campaign (CFC)? Then, you can support ANF through payroll deduction by designating number 10550. Please contact your workplace to see when you can participate.

Matching Gifts

Many companies will match their employees tax-deductible donations one to one - your donation could have twice as much impact! Contact your human resources office to find out if your company has a matching gift program that could increase your support to ANF!

Online Donations

Go to ANFonline.org to make your tax-deductible donation by Visa, MasterCard, or American Express. It is quick and easy!

Stocks and Securities

Stocks and publicly traded securities are easy to give and offer great tax advantages. You can transfer the stock to ANF easily through your broker or mail. Contact ANF at 301-628-5227 for more information or to inform us of your stock gift.
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ANF offers free, convenient service for converting that extra car, truck, boat, airplanes, or RV into a tax deductible donation benefiting ANF. You can donate your vehicle online or call 866-332-1778 to make your donation. Don't donate your car or truck to a charity that you have never heard of. Our trusted service makes sure your vehicle is properly handled so that you get your tax deduction and your charity, American Nurses Foundation, gets the benefit of your donation.

**Nurses Rock the Foundation Campaign**

Nurses Rock at ANF! The Rock the Foundation ANF Endowment operates as a permanent savings account, providing a reliable source of income and allowing ANF to continue to offer nurses opportunities through research and education.

ANF gives nurses opportunities to conduct valuable research relating to areas such as the following:

- stress-related high blood pressure
- how diabetes can be monitored to improve the life of someone with diabetes
- stages of infant development
- alternatives to the obesity trend

Endowment contributions ensure ANF's future and benefit the foundation forever, while gifts to the Annual Fund allow ANF to focus on meeting our annual needs.

**ANF Legacy Wall**

Housed at the ANA Headquarters in Silver Spring, Maryland, the ANF Legacy Wall will be viewed by nurses from around the world who are attending meetings and conferences or, who are visiting the Washington, DC, area. This inspiring display will recognize ANF donors whose contributions to the ANF Annual Fund over the course of his or her lifetime are $10,000 or more.

Our legacy is to ensure that nurses always have the opportunity to personify the value of compassion; develop more skills to advance the profession; improve communications to promote the public health and better serve patients; and learn techniques to aid the healing process supporting the mission and work of ANF.

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Pledge plans are available, contact us at 301-628-5227 or 301-628-5228.
ANF Scholars Impacting Lives

2008 ANF Nursing Research Grants Scholars

ANF celebrates the recipients of the 2008 Nursing Research Grants (NRG). The work of these respected scholars is at the heart ANF’s mission in our pursuit of research and education that promotes the public health. ANF is grateful for the generosity of supporters who have made it possible to award more than $3.5 million to over 975 beginning and experienced nurse researchers for more than 50 years.

Patricia A. Adler, PhD, RN, CNS
Use of Mindful Movement in Acute Care for Older Adults
Cleveland Clinic
Virginia Stone, PhD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Nancy M. Albert, PhD, RN
Fat Storage (waist or hips) and Knowledge, Activity, and Sodium and Fat Intakes in Patients
Cleveland Clinic
Virginia Stone, PhD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Gloria J. Duke, PhD, RN
Transcultural Perspectives of End-of-Life Care
The University of Texas at Tyler
Dorothy A. Cornelius, BSN, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Joyce Katherarine Edmonds, MPH, RN
Social Networks and Use of Skilled Birth Attendants to Prevent Maternal Mortality
Emory University
Virginia Kelley, CRNA/ANF Scholar

Anna Gawinski, D Sc, ACNP, CS, RN, FAAN
Comparison of High Frequency Chest Wall Oscillation versus Chest Physiotherapy on Patients Pain, Dyspnea, and Preference While Maintaining Lung Function among Post-Lung Transplant Patients
University of California, Los Angeles
Nurses Charitable Trust/AORN/ANF Scholar

Stephanie Gilbertson-White, MS, RN
Symptom Clusters in Patients with Advanced Cancer
University of California, San Francisco
Jean E. Johnson, PhD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Jennifer Gray, PhD, RN
Initial Psychometric Evaluation of the Nurse International Retention and Transition Questionnaire (NIR TQ)
University of Texas at Arlington
Anne Zimmerman, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Katherine E. Gregory, PhD, RN
Urinary Biomarkers Predicting Neronotising Enterocolitis in Preterm Infants
Boston College
Council for Advancement of Nursing Science (CANNS)/ANF Scholar

Laura M. Hays, PhD, RN
Objective Measurement of Physical Activity Among Adults with Prediabetes
Indiana University
Martha E. Brill, RN, ANF Scholar

Ronald L. Hickman, Jr. PhD, RN, ACNP-BC
Decision Regret in Respondents of Automatic Internal Cardiac Defibrillators
Case Western Reserve University
Eleanor Lambersen, EdD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Coretta Jenerette, PhD, RN
Successful Aging with Sickle Cell Disease
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Virginia Stone, PhD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Jill Kilanowski, PhD, RN, CPNP
Preferred Methods of Nutrition Education: Focus Groups with Migrant Farmworker Mothers
Case Western Reserve University
Gloria Smith, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Paula Klemm, PhD, RN, OCN
Online Support for Informal Caregivers: Psychosocial Outcomes
University of Delaware
Hildegarde E. Peplau, EdD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Christine Koulouglioti, PhD, RN
Improving Young Children's Essential Routines: Test of an Intervention
University of Rochester
Sigma Theta Tau International (STTI)/ANF

Sharon L. Kozachik, PhD, MSN, RN
The Effects of Sleep Deprivation on Paclitaxel-Induced Mechanical Hypersensitivity in Rats
Johns Hopkins University
Lucille V. Lukens, RN, ANF Scholar

Leanne Leifer, PhD, ACNS-BC, APN
Exploring Self-perceived Cardiac Risk in Older Black and White Women
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences
Little Rock
Virginia Stone, PhD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Li-Chen Lin, MSN, RN
A Grounded Theory of Filipino Nurses’ Role Performance in U.S. Hospitals
University of Texas at Austin
CGFNS, International/ANF Scholar

Katherine G. Ling, MN, FNP-BC
Stepping Forward: Perimeters and People with ClassII/II Obesity
Medical University of South Carolina
Southern Nursing Research Society (SNRS)/ANF Scholar

Victoria Wochina Loerzel, PhD, RN, OCN
Older Women Surviving Breast Cancer
University of Central Florida
Virginia Stone, PhD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Joy Longo, DNS, MS, BSN, RN, C
Instrument Development and Psychometric Testing of a Horizontal Violence Measure
Florida Atlantic University
Julia Hardy, RN, ANF Scholar

Brenda Luther, MS, RN
Prevention of Overweight for Children with Physical Disabilities
University of Utah
Sanofi Pasteur/ANF Scholar

Anne Chevalier McKechnie, BS, RN, IBCLC
Parenting After Infant Congenital Heart Disease Diagnosis
University of Wisconsin–Madison
Rita K. Chow & Yaye Togasaki-Breitenbach/ANF Scholar

Frances Nelson, MSN, RN
Frequency, Severity & Distress of Dialysis-related Symptoms reported by Patients on Hemodialysis
University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston
Martha Z. Bachand Carnegie, DPA, MA, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Cynthia L. Renn, PhD, RN
A New Model of Paclitaxel-Induced Allodynia in Mice with Solid Tumor Cancer
University of Maryland
Southern Nursing Research Society (SNRS)/ANF Scholar

Martha M. Scheckel, PhD, RN
Understanding the Experiences of Patient Education in Rural Hospitals: A Phenomenological Study
Winston Salem State University
Julia Hardy, RN, ANF Scholar

Valmi D. Sousa, PhD, APRN, BC
An Instrument to Measure Perceived Risk Factors for T2DM
University of Kansas Medical Center
M Indest, Nursing Research Society (M NRS)/ANF Scholar

Jaynell Stichler, D Sc, RN, F ACH E
Understanding Workplace Stress Experience by Nurse Managers
San Diego State University
Sayre Memorial Fund/ANF Scholar

Elizabeth A. Swanson, PhD, RN
Comparison of Selected Outcomes Based on Teaching Strategies that Promote Active Learning
University of Iowa
Dorothy E. Relly, EdD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Noreen Thompson, MSN, RN, ARNP, BC
Non-Epileptic Seizure Support and Education at the Time of Diagnostic Disclosure
University of Kansas Hospital
Center Corporation/ANF Scholar

Roxanne Vandermause, MS, RN
Women and Methamphetamine Portraits of Addiction and Recovery
Washington State University
ANA Presidential/ANF Scholar

Barbara Mann Wall, PhD, MA, MS, BS
When Disaster Strikes: Nurses on the Front Lines 1900-2001
University of Pennsylvania
Midwest Nursing Research Society (MNRS)/ANF Scholar

Allison R. Weibel, BSN, RN
Testing a Peer-based Symptom Management Intervention in Women with HIV/AIDS
University of California at San Francisco
Western Institute of Nursing/ANF Scholar

Wendy L. Woldt, PhD, RN
Health Care Workers’ Knowledge of Tuberculosis and Infection Control in Russia
Emonite College of Nursing at Illinois State University
Virginia S. Kildead, PhD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar
Completed 2008 Grants

Congratulating ANF Nursing Research Scholars

Upon completion of research, ANF Scholars are required to submit an abstract along with a final narrative report outlining the results of the research. We are proud to list below the recipients, and titles of the research grants completed in 2008. All abstracts are available for review.

Adjeoke B. Ayooola, RN, MSc
Timing of Pregnancy Recognition as a Predictor of Prenatal Care Initiation and Birth Outcomes
Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI
Midwestern Nursing Research Society (MNR/S) ANF Scholar

Jo Azzarelo, PhD, MS
Problem Solving Skills and Strategies for Glycemic Control
University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center, Oklahoma City, OK
Southern Nursing Research Society (SNRS)/ANF Scholar

Susan A. Barnason, PhD, RN
Piloting of a Medication Education & Decision-Making (MED) Intervention for Elderly Heart Failure Home Health Care Patients
University of Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, NE
Virginia Stone, PhD, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Bonnie L. Callen, PhD, RN
Nutritional Risk Factors of Predictors of Weight Loss in Dementia for Elders
The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN
Southern Nursing Research Society (SNRS)/ANF Scholar

Cathy L. Campbell, PhD, APRN-BC
Factors influencing end of life decision making by Elderly African-Americans
University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA
Lucille V. Lukens, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Maureen Campesino, PhD, RN, PsyNP
Exploring Perceived Racial/Ethnic Discrimination in Cancer Care Delivery among Elderly Mexican Americans
Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ
American Nurses Association (ANA) Presidential/ANF Scholar

Bashira A. Charles, MSc, RN
Genes Implicated in Type 2 Diabetes and Status of Diabetic Retinopathy
University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA
Eastern Nursing Research Society (ENRS)/ANF Scholar

Maren J. Coffman, PhD, RN
Development and Testing of the Nutritional Literacy Scale
University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Charlotte, NC
American Nurses Association (ANA) Presidential/ANF Scholar

Phillips J. Craig, PhD, LLM, ARNP, RN, PMHCNS-BC, ACRN
Social Factors Influencing ART Adherence among HIV+ Black Men
Florida International University, Oakland Park, FL
Gloria Smith, RN/ANF Scholar

Martha Driesnak, PhD, PNP
Exploring what Children Know about Genetics
University of Iowa City, Iowa City, IA
Western Institute of Nursing (WIN)/ANF Scholar

Tracey A. Evanson, PhD, PHCN-CS-B
Domestic Violence Victims’ Perspectives of Community Health Nurses
University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND
Virginia Kelley, CRNA/ANF Scholar

Anne Fitzpatrick, PhD, RN, CPNP
Glutathione Homeostasis in Children with Severe Asthma
Emory University, Atlanta, GA
Lucille V. Lukens, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Cynthia Fritschi, PhD, RN, CDE
Fatigue, Exercise and Diabetes
University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL
Anne Fitzpatrick, PhD, RN, CPNP
Virgnia Kelley, CRNA/ANF Scholar

Carmen Giurgescu, PhD, RN, WHNP
Comparison of Prenatal Coping Strategies, Cortisol and Cytokines between high and high-risk pregnant African American Women
University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL
Rita Chow & Yaye Togasaki-Breitenbach/ANF Scholar

Hsueh-Fen (Sabrina) Kao, PhD, RN
Family Caregiving for Mexican American Older Adults
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC
Bashira A. Charles, MSc, RN, FAAN/ANF Scholar

Peggy Kerr, PhD, RN
Risk Factors Associated with Patient Outcomes of Older Adults
The University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA
MChaela Nizet, RN/ANF Scholar

M. Cynthia Logsdon, DNS, ARNP
Role Functioning in Adolescents with Postpartum Depression
University of Louisville, Louisville, KY
Hildegard E. Peplau, RN/ANF Scholar

Leigh McGraw, MSN, BSN
Comparison of Cardiovascular Risk Factors in Deployed Military Personnel
University of California at San Francisco
San Francisco
Sayre M. Mapham Fund/ANF Scholar

Mary Kay Mortimer, PhD, RN
A Brief Intervention to Improve Illness Perception and Medication Adherence in Hypertensive Older Black Females
Texas A & M University Corpus Christi
Corpus Christi, TX
Gloria Smith, RN/ANF Scholar

Kathleen A. Mussatto, MSN, RN
Family Stress, Coping and Outcomes Following the Diagnosis of H pylori in a Newborn
Children’s Hospital of Wisconsin
Milwaukee, WI
Dorothy Cornelius, RN/ANF Scholar

Leli W. Pedro, DSc, RN
Health Related Quality of Life Rural Cancer Survivors The Colorado Experience
University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center Denver, CO
Western Institute of Nursing (WIN)/ANF Scholar

Cecelia L. Roscigno, MN, PHC, RN, CNRN
Children’s Experiences Following Traumatic Brain Injury
University of Washington
Seattle, WA
Martha E. Brill, RN/ANF Scholar

Susan Tullai-McGinness, PhD, MSN, MBA, BSN, AD
Characteristics of Work Environments in Quality of Care for Home Health Care Agencies
Case Western Reserve University
Cleveland, OH
Julia Hardy, RN/ANF Scholar

Lichuan Ye, PhD, RN
Gender Differences in Baseline Functional Status and Response to Continuous Positive Airway Pressure in Older Obstructive Sleep Apnea Patients
The University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, PA
Eleanor Lambertston, RN/ANF Scholar
In 2008, the ANF Nursing Research Review Committee (NRRC) held its second successful two-day conference call. As in the past, the NRRC reviewed the applications and awarded 27 grants to beginning and experienced nurse researchers. ANF applauds the members of the NRRC who made this process seamless. Their expertise adds to the prestige of the ANF Scholarship.

Patricia Liehr, PhD, RN, Chair
Linda Chlan, PhD, RN, Vice Chair
Mara M. Baun, DNP, RN, FAAN
Anne Turner-Henson, DSN, RN
M. Katherine Hutchinson, PhD, RN, FAAN
Katherine Jones, PhD, RN, FAAN

Zhen Lin, PhD, MS, RN
Graham J. McDougall, Jr., PhD, APRN,BC, FAAN
Patricia Flannery Pearce, PhD, M PH, FN P-BC
Rita Pickler, PhD, RN, PNP, FAAN
Kathleen M. Russell, DNS, RN
Julie Zerwic, PhD, RN, FAAN

The Nursing Research Grants (NRG) Program's expanded committee of reviewers gives ANF the opportunity to have each application reviewed by three experts in all areas nursing research. ANF thanks the NRGR members who have added depth to the NRG process.

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Lisa Bernardo, PhD, M PH, RN, HFI
Judith Berg, PhD, RN, C WHN, FAAN, FAAN P
Carol Boswell, EdD, RN, CNE, ANEF
Jeanne Cimiotti, DNSc, CRNP
Catherine S. Cole, PhD, ACN S-BC
Linda L. Costa, PhD, RN, CN AA,BC
Neva L. Crogan, PhD, GCNS-BC, GNP-BC, FNGNA
Jacqueline Dienemann, PhD, RN, CN AA,FAAN
Heidi Donovan, PhD, RN
Susan G. Dorsey, PhD, RN
Jeri Dunkin, PhD, RN
Joellen B. Edwards, PhD, RN
Jennifer Elder, PhD, RN, FAAN
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Lorraine Frazier, PhD, M S, RN
Robin D. Froman, PhD, RN, MA, M S N, FAAN
Jeanne Geiger Brown, PhD, RN
Elizabeth Gonzalez, PhD, APRN-BC
Janice Goodman, PhD, PMHCNS-BC
Tracie Harrison, PhD, RN

Carrie Harvey, PhD, ACNP-BC
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Vicki Hines-Martin, PhD, RN, FAAN
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