The Nursing Research Fellowship is an opportunity for RNs to develop advanced research competencies and skills.

2013 Application Deadline: May 6th

Please review eligibility requirements listed on this flyer. To apply, email an application packet that includes the following:

- A resume or CV
- A letter of support from your supervisor
- A letter of support from your Chief Nurse Executive or Chief Administrative Officer with commitment to implement the study after completion of the Fellowship
- A statement of intent (approximately 500 words) that includes the proposed nursing problem you wish to investigate
- If enrolled in a nursing doctoral program, and the Fellowship topic is related to an academic program, a letter of support from your chair that reflects awareness of Fellowship timeline and deliverables

Email complete packet to: Nursing.Research@kp.org
Overview
The Nursing Research Fellowship Program is designed to develop advanced research competencies and skills as they apply to nursing practice. This is an opportunity to work independently and with Nurse Scientists in the development of a research proposal.

Expected Deliverables by the end of the Fellowship:
- A completed investigator’s brochure, or the first three chapters of a doctoral proposal, and
- A completed IRB application

Time Commitment: Participation in the Fellowship program involves one 8 hour day per week at regional offices (Walnut Center) in Pasadena. Start date is June 10, 2013, with an end date of December 6, 2013. This is a job-sharing program with your current KP nursing role and the nursing Fellowship.

RN Eligibility Requirements:
- Employed full time or part time by Kaiser Permanente for at least 1 year
- Completion of a master’s degree from an accredited institution
- Self-directed and also works well with teams
- Completion of at least one graduate level research course
- If candidate is also pursuing a doctoral degree, and the Fellowship topic is related to an academic program, the candidate must be enrolled in a nursing PhD, DNP, or EdD program

Eligibility of Research Topic:
- Topic is related to nursing practice
- The study will involve at least one Kaiser Permanente clinical site

Evaluation Criteria:
- Reflects interest and understanding of nursing and nursing research
- Presents a focused research idea and process
- Completes and submits required application documents online by the due date
- Discusses completed research course work and/or previous research activity involvement within the application packet
- Presents evidence of ability to be self-directed through letters of support and/or the statement of intent
- Demonstrates proficiency in Microsoft Word
- After a review of the on-line application, the selection process may include an in-person or phone interview

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