



Putting Nurses First

AAMN Scholarship
for an ASN or BSN Degree



Application Submission Deadline: March 31, 2008

The *Putting Nurses First* American Assembly for Men in Nursing Scholarship is open to all members of the AAMN.

Putting Nurses First is a community outreach program designed to assist busy adults in achieving their ASN or BSN degree. As the country's largest provider of independent learning systems for nurses, Rue Education has served nearly 70,000 students across the nation. Rue's program provides nurses with learning systems designed and developed by Ph.D. and Master's-degreed professors. The learning systems prepare licensed healthcare professionals to successfully pass nationally accepted proficiency examinations for general education and nursing courses. Rue Education is committed to helping AAMN Members who are seeking a fully-accredited associate's or bachelor's degree in nursing.

In addition to the Rue Total Learning Systems, Rue Education will provide the AAMN Scholarship recipient with Rue's NCLEX-RN Preparation Package and Rue's Interactive Clinical DVD Series when applicable. The qualified AAMN scholarship recipient will have full access to all value added services from Rue Education, including but not limited to, the Rue online forum *Mentor Connection*, Academic Advisors, Student Academic Advisors and Content Experts.

- Award amount is \$7,856-\$12,338, depending on courses required by recipient.
- Recipient will have up to a total of four (4) years to complete the nursing degree from the day the scholarship is awarded.
- Rue Education will reimburse exam fees to the scholarship winner when proof has been provided that an exam/assessment was successfully completed and college level credits were earned.
- Other college fees such as assessment, enrollment, clinical assessment and graduation fees will be reimbursed when Rue Education has received proof of successful completion.
- Excelsior College will be the learning institution that will confer the ASN or BSN nursing degree for the qualified AAMN Scholarship Recipient.
- Licensure, degree and state residency requirements will need to be met for eligibility:
 - For ASN degree:
 - LPNs/LVNs eligible in all states except CA, IL, MD, ND, KS, and VT
 - For BSN degree:
 - Must have ASN degree and RN licensure