

OKLAHOMA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

OBU/OKC Partnership Graduate Nursing Scholarship

Applicants must have already applied to the OBU MSN program.
Applications will be accepted until all scholarships are awarded.

Name _____

Permanent Address: _____

Date to begin program: _____ How do you anticipate utilizing your master's degree to facilitate nursing education in Oklahoma? _____

Guidelines

The OBU/OKC Nursing Partnership Scholarships are specifically to assist graduate nursing students who are willing to work in Oklahoma after graduation. Applicants must be admitted to OBU and accepted into the Graduate Nursing Program. The amount of the scholarship is up to \$16,575 (\$425 per credit hour). Should a student not fulfill his/her contract agreement to work in Oklahoma, the scholarship will be considered a loan which must be repaid in a single lump sum. To be considered for an OBU/OKC Partnership Graduate Nursing Scholarship, a graduate student must agree to:

1. Sign below agreeing to work in Oklahoma for two years following graduation.
2. Repay this scholarship if the work commitment in Oklahoma is not fulfilled.

Participation Agreement

I acknowledge that if I receive a OBU/OKC Partnership Graduate Nursing Scholarship, I will fulfill the following obligations:

- I.** I will work as a nurse educator in an academic setting in Oklahoma following graduation for twenty-four months to fulfill my obligation for having received the OBU/OKC Partnership Graduate Nursing Scholarship during the master's program at OBU.
- II.** I agree to repay the scholarship according to the schedule shown below if I fail to fulfill my agreement -
Less than six months of employment in Oklahoma - 100%
Six months but less than twelve months of employment in Oklahoma - 50%
Twelve months but less than twenty-four months of employment in Oklahoma - 25%
- III.** I agree to allow release of personal information including but not limited to name, age, gender, degree, GPA and scholarship amount received as it relates to my participation in this scholarship program. I understand that in compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974, the donor Foundation will keep all personal information of students confidential.

Date

Applicant's Signature

Mail or fax to the OBU International Graduate School, 111 Harrison Avenue, Oklahoma City, OK, 73104, (405) 272-1656 (FAX). Notification of award amount will be sent via mail.