



RESEARCH DISSEMINATION AWARD SIGMA Nursing Excellence BETA KAPPA CHAPTER

The purpose of this award is to help members pay for travel expenses to conferences when presenting research findings. The award will be given twice annually in the amount of \$500 each time. The member's name, title of abstract, and conference will be published in the Beta Kappa newsletter.

Eligibility

To be eligible for this award the applicant must be a Beta Kappa member, and be presenting research at a regional, national, or international meeting. Individuals will be limited to one Research Dissemination Award within a 2-year period.

Selection Criteria

Applications will be judged on the quality of the research design, the relevance of the research to nursing, and involvement of the member in Beta Kappa activities. Paper presentations will be given priority over poster presentations.

Application Instructions

To apply, members should submit electronically via email, (in PDF format or Microsoft Word document) all of the following in one document:

1. Abstract of presentation
2. Letter of acceptance
3. Copy of the program or call for abstracts, including dates of conference
4. Statement of involvement in Beta Kappa activities

Applications that do not follow these guidelines will not be considered.

DEADLINES: Spring & Fall

Submit applications via email to the Beta Kappa Awards Chair, Richard Ridge at rr2m@virginia.edu.