

AAG Bursary

Description of Bursary:

Caring for older adults, in a diversity of settings, is an increasingly large part of health and human service provision in Alberta. Numerous team members bring their expertise and skills to their work with older adults. This bursary recognizes the desire of workers to “upgrade” their knowledge and skills.

Eligibility:

- Health or human care worker in the province of Alberta.
- Minimum of two years full time work in health care or human services in Alberta.

Guidelines:

- Bursary will be announced in the AAG newsletter and on the website.
- Applications will be accepted within the general scholarship call of the AAG.
- All applications will be reviewed by members of the AAG scholarship committee.
- The AAG scholarship committee will make a recommendation to the Board of the AAG.
- The final decision for the bursary will be made by the Board of the AAG.
- Priority is given to applicants who are or will be enrolling in a recognized academic program.
- Maximum award is \$1,000.00.
- Awards are presented at the discretion of the AAG Board and available funds.

Please email one copy of your entire application no later than **March 10th, 2020**

AAG Bursary Application Form

Important: Before completing this application form, you must read the Information and eligibility document available on our website <https://www.albertaaging.ca/>

Please ensure that you complete all relevant sections in full. We are unable to process your application if details are missing. Please note:

- **Applications should be typed and sent electronically.**
- **Please ensure that you spell out in full any abbreviations used.**

Section 1: Your details

Surname:	First Name:	Title:	
Home address:	Preferred phone number:		
	Email for correspondence:		
Are you a member of the AAG?		YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Please note that you do not have to be a member to apply for a bursary.			
Job Title (current employment):	Start date (month and year):	F or PT?	
Name and Address of Employer:			
Brief description of present role:			
Previous Posts: (Please list, starting with the most recent.)			
Employer Name and Address	Job Title	Date start	Date finished

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SECTION 2: Details of educational activity for which funding is sought

Title of the proposed activity/course for which you are seeking funding (25 words max)	
Brief summary of the activity/course and professional outcomes (100 words max)	
Start date (month and year)	Duration
Have you been accepted?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 3: Details of costs of proposed activity

(a) Have you obtained funding from your employer?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
If YES, please provide details.	

(c) Please provide a detailed budget breakdown Be as accurate and detailed as possible. Include clarification of costing in 'notes' section. If successful, you will need to provide evidence of costs in order to be reimbursed.

(d) Have you previously received a scholarship from AAG?

YES **NO**

If yes, please state amount, date, and which scholarship you received:

SECTION 4: Statement by applicant in support of request for funds

Please provide responses to the six questions below.

(Please answer each question in turn against its respective number. Maximum of 1,500 words in total for this section please)

1. What are your professional goals and how will the activity contribute to your career development?

2. How will you share your learning and development with colleagues?

SECTION 5: Supporting Reference

6a. Reference from your Manager (Please ask your Manager, or if you are not working, are self employed or are seeking funding for a career change, an alternative appropriate professional referee such as a past tutor, to complete and sign this section). It may also be in the form of a reference letter.

Please comment on how the proposed study would fit in with the applicant's role and professional development and how this activity and its implementation will be supported, e.g. with mentoring or opportunities to influence practice.

Manager's Name:

Job Title:

Email address:

Telephone number:

Signature:

Date:

If you are successful, the AAG may wish to publicise your success and/or your work to the media.

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