



Alpha Tau Chapter

Alpha Tau Chapter, Rutgers School of Nursing

Research/Evidence-Based Practice (EBP) Grant Award

Purpose

The purpose of the Research/EBP Grant Award is to encourage nursing research/EBP (PhD research for PhD and translational/EBP DNP project for DNP)) that will advance nursing knowledge/practice.

Research/EBP Grant Fund

The amount of funds requested, the number of requests, and the availability of monies in the chapter fund will determine the amount of a research award grant. The amounts of the awards typically range from \$500-\$1000. The number awards this year will be two awards of \$500 each.

There will be a competitive basis for fund allocation reviewing the following criteria:

1. The significance of the problem, innovation and quality of the research approach and methods.
2. Qualifications of the applicant.
3. Annotated budget and prior funding from Alpha Tau Chapter.

Research grants will be awarded at the annual induction ceremony

Expectations

Research Grant recipients are expected to maintain in good standing membership within the Alpha Tau Chapter and to present the findings of the research/EBP project at an Alpha Tau educational program following the completion of the study.

Eligibility

1. Must be a member of good standing in the Alpha Tau Chapter of STTI.
2. Must have a minimum educational preparation of a Bachelors' degree in nursing.
3. Doctoral students who are applying for funding for dissertation research or DNP project must have an approved proposal at the time of application or a letter from their committee chairperson stating that the dissertation/project will be completed prior to the awarding of the grant at the induction ceremony.

1. A copy of the signed PhD dissertation/DNP project project proposal approval form or letter should be included as an appendix. If a grant is awarded and the proposal is not approved prior to the date of the induction, the award will be voided.

Application Guidelines

1. Research/EBP project proposals are limited to five pages.
2. Qualitative/quantitative research designs (PhD) and translational research/EBP projects (DNP) will be

considered.

3. Please use only the attached research proposal guidelines, application forms and agreement forms.
4. The deadline to submit the completed research grant award applications is April 15th.
5. Incomplete and late applications will not be reviewed.
6. Decision of the Awards Committee will be final.

If you have any questions, please contact the Awards Committee @ sttialphatau@gmail.com

Completed applications should be emailed as a single packet as a PDF file to:

Awards Committee

Alpha Tau Chapter, STTI

Rutgers University School of Nursing

sttialphatau@gmail.com