



POST BACCALAUREATE NURSE RESIDENCY PROGRAM

The Kansas City VAMC Post Baccalaureate Nurse Residency (PBNR) Program is now accepting applications for a twelve-month postgraduate nurse residency program. The program offers the opportunity to strengthen clinical and scholarly skills as a newly licensed nurse. Nurse residents will attend didactics, work on a quality improvement project, and provide care for veterans using a whole health approach.



ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- ★ Citizen of the United States
- ★ A current, active and unrestricted registered nurse license in a state or territory of the United States
- ★ Graduate of baccalaureate or master's level entry to practice programs accredited By Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education or the Accreditation commission For Education in Nursing
- ★ Current BLS certification
- ★ Must be serving in his or her first nursing role. No longer than one year shall elapse from the time of graduation from the prelicensure nursing program to admission into the residency program.

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July 2020 – July 2021
DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: April 30, 2020

PERSONAL DATA INFORMATION FORM

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

U. S. CITIZEN: YES NO
U.S. MILITARY STATUS: Active Reserve Branch Veteran N/A

CERTIFICATION:

List your current certifications (if applicable):

LICENSURE:

RN LICENSE #: _____ STATE: _____ Exp. Date: _____

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Please ask three individuals to send a letter of recommendation commenting on your clinical competence, educational background, achievements, and potential. At least one letter must be from a clinical preceptor. Please ask the individuals writing on your behalf to e-mail or mail letters directly to the program using the address below. Please provide the name and e-mail address of the individuals selected below.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

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APPLICATION PACKET CHECKLIST:

- _____ Personal Data Information Form
- _____ Responses to the Application Questions
- _____ Present and Future Interests Essay
- _____ A Copy of Current Resume
- _____ Three Letters of Recommendation
- _____ Original transcripts from College and Graduate School(s)
- _____ List of Publications/Quality Improvement Projects (if applicable)

I attest that I hold an active, unencumbered license to practice as a registered nurse, and am in good standing and have no current disciplinary action pending in any jurisdiction. I attest that the information given on all submitted forms is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date:

Signature of the Applicant

Thank for applying to the Kansas City VA Post Baccalaureate Nurse Residency Program. We look forward to reviewing your application.

Sharon Shade, MA, RN
PBNR Residency Program Director

Please complete the accompanied checklist and return contents by **April 30, 2020** to:

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Kansas City, MO 64128
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Website: <https://www.kansascity.va.gov/careers/index.asp>