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**Health Coverage for All, Anywhere**

On 7 April each year, World Health Organisation (WHO) celebrates World Health Day to coincide with its foundation date way back in 1948. The objective is, to enhance awareness about maintaining proper physical and psychological well being of all. Considering that significant populations remain deprived of advances in health care, the theme selected for World Health Day this year is, Universal Health Coverage: Everyone, Everywhere.

The TNAI has always stood by the nurses particularly its members for their interests, and also feels that its membership base must enhance. The TNAI Executive Committee/ Council in its last meeting (in Nov-Dec 2017 during Guntur SNA Conference) took following decisions of interest to the existing and prospective members.

Concession under bulk membership plan: Nurses (non-TNAI members) being enrolled as Life Member under bulk membership plan, viz. with at least 100 members in one go, shall be allowed to pay reduced charges of Rs. 3,000/- (normal charges being Rs. 3,600), thus entailing a discount of Rs. 600/-.

Life Time Achievement Award: Up to 5 (five) awards shall be conferred on the TNAI Members for having made commendable contribution to TNAI. The awardees shall be entitled to a memento, cash of Rs. 50,000/-, both ways travel expenses for commuting to TNAI Hqrs and three days' board & lodging expenses. Felicitating Senior Council Members: Nurses having completed 16 years of service as TNAI Council member shall be honoured with a memento and cash of Rs. 50,000/-, air travel expenses to and from TNAI Hqrs, together with board and lodging for three days.

Benefits to SNA Units: Three cash awards shall be given to three best SNA Units based on their performance during the year. These can be handed out during SNA Conference. All SNA Units shall be provided one set of publications without any charges. These publications can be further passed on to needy students. Also, in future, SNA Units shall be exempted from TNAI Orientation Fee. The fee shall be chargeable only for non-SNA Units. However, the tea/ refreshment during Orientation shall be continued to be served, as per visit time.

The practice of payment of charges by State Branches towards publication of Nomination Sheet or Provisional Ballot Paper or Election Results in TNAI Bulletin (as applicable till now) has also been abolished.

SNA/TNAI members applying for Scholarship shall not have to pay the application money (Rs. 100/- as of now).

Members shall also be exempted from the fee for participating in Exhibition or Essay or any other competition during biennial conference. The Life Membership Fee for Religious Sisters has been cut short from the existing Rs. 1,200/- to Rs. 1,000/-. Further, members participating in programmes of American Heart Association (AHA)-approved International Training Centre at CIN&R premises shall be eligible for concessional rates. As for new TNAI photo Identity cards, these shall be issued in lieu of old Identity cards free of cost. However, those desiring duplicate I-card shall have to pay Rs. 150/-.

We believe you shall be undertaking necessary spade work for participation in activities of International Nurses' Day on 12 May in your purview around the theme, Nurses: A Voice to Lead, Health is a Human Right. Happy Nurses' Day!

**(Evelyn P Kannan)**

Chief Editor &amp; Secretary General, TNAI

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## बच्चे जंक फूड के दीवाने क्यों रहते हैं

भारत, पाकिस्तान और चीन सहित अनेक निम्न और मध्य आय के देशों में यूनिवर्सिटी ऑफ मेरीलैंड द्वारा संचालित एक अध्ययन के अनुसार वे बच्चे पारंपरिक भोजन के एवज में फास्ट फूड लेपड़ रहते हैं जो नामी ब्रांडों के लोगो को झट से पहचान जाते हैं।

उल्लेखनीय है कि घर में पकाए सुपाच्य, स्वास्थ्यवर्धक और सुरक्षित भोजन के बजाए नूडल्स, मोमो, बर्गर आदि बाजार की जायकेदार, स्वादिष्ट आइटमों के नियमित सेवन से बच्चों में मोटापा, ब्लड प्रेशर, शूगर आदि खतरनाम बीमारियों में इजाफा दर्ज हो रहा है। शोधकर्ताओं की राय में फास्ट फूड कंपनियों की मार्किटिंग बहुत दमदार और असरदाई है और बच्चों के स्वास्थ्य के साथ खिलवाड़ करने पर तुली है।

शोधकर्ताओं ने पाया कि ब्राजील, भारत, नाइजीरिया, पाकिस्तान और रूस में खासकर जो बच्चे मैकडोलाल्ड, केएफसी, कोका कोला आदि अंतराष्ट्रीय फास्ट फूड कंपनियों के लोगो तुरंत पहचान जाते हैं और वे उसकी पुरजोर मांग करते हैं। बच्चों में देसी लस्सी के बदले कोका कोला की डिमांड की यही वजह है।

### Lodging at TNAI Headquarters Made Easier

TNAI Hqrs has expanded its capacity to accommodate more of TNAI members visiting Delhi. The TNAI members including students visiting Delhi on official or professional tours can avail the lodging facility, within the TNAI Hqrs premises at reasonable charges. The per day charges are as under:

**TNAI Members: Rs. 600/-**

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However, due to limited beds, interested members may get the booking done in advance.

Secretary-General, TNAI

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## NEWS FROM NURSING INSTITUTIONS

**School of Nursing Science and Research, Sharda University, Greater Noida (UP):** A two-day National Conference on leadership in Nursing on the theme **Transitioning Leadership: A Leading Change** on 16-17 February 2018. The chief guest of the conference was Dr Ratna Prakash, Principal, Pal CON and the guest of honor was Dr Bimla Kapoor, Dean Academics, Berkley Health Education. Eminent nursing luminaries from academics including Dr Harjinderjeet Goyal, Principal RAK CON; Prof Pranati Barua, Principal, Amity University; Dr Prema, Professor, TMU University; Dr Ashiaa Quereshi, Principal, Galgotias University; Dr Ramninder Kalra, Principal, Holy Family CON; Dr Simon, Principal, Noida International University; Prof Yadidya, Principal, Mayo CON; Dr Manju Chhugani, Principal, Jamia Hamdard University; Dr Nagendra Prakash, Academic Advisor, Pal CON; Kh Linda Devi, Associate professor, R Sree Raja Kumar, and Dani Philip, all three Associate Professors at Sharda University addressed various sessions. Prof Pauline Sharmila, Principal, Sharda University was the Organising Chairperson. In the conference, attended by 400 delegates from different universities, 17 scientific papers were presented; 22 delegates participated in rangoli competitions on the theme, Saving Trees and 6 delegates took part in the poster competition on the theme Future Trend in Leadership Development. All the winners were honoured with medals. The feedback of conference was quite encouraging.



### Call for News Items from Nursing Institutions

Schools and Colleges of Nursing are welcome to submit for publication in monthly *TNAI Bulletin*, the news items and write ups about observances of Graduation Ceremony, Annual Day, Seminars, Conferences, important workshops, etc. The charges are Rs 1000 per item including one photograph. The payment should be through a demand draft in favour of **The Trained Nurses' Association of India (TNAI)**, New Delhi. Neatly spaced out handwritten matter, preferably typed in double space on one side of paper with photograph may be sent, along with requisite charges, to the Editor, TNAI Bulletin.

### ATTENTION MEMBERS !

Although we take utmost care in checking the veracity of facts mentioned in the advertisements, yet readers are requested to make appropriate enquiries and satisfy themselves before acting upon any advertisement.

- Chief Editor

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**XXVII TNAI (76<sup>th</sup>) BIENNIAL CONFERENCE**  
**Goa, December 11-16, 2018**

**Invitation for Scientific Papers**

**I. Conference Theme:**

(a) **Main Theme:** “Nursing on a Global Scale: Tomorrow Belongs to us”

(b) **Sub-themes:**

- (i) Nurse Practitioner: A Revolution for Global Nursing
- (ii) Global standards for Nursing Education
- (iii) Developing Leadership for Global Nursing.

**II. Concurrent Interest Sections:**

Scientific Paper can be presented on clinical specialties:

- a) OBG Nursing
- b) Mental Health Nursing
- c) Child Health Nursing
- d) Community Health Nursing
- e) Medical and Surgical Nursing
- f) Nursing Education
- g) Administration and Research.

**III. Scientific Posters**

The Concurrent interest sessions and Scientific Papers can be based on Clinical specialty/ any significant studies (***not necessarily related to theme or sub theme of the conference***)

**Criteria for all the scientific presentations**

(Theme, Sub themes, and Concurrent Interest sessions)

1. All presentations should be based on Research papers.
2. The scientific paper should contain: Introduction, Need and Significance, Problem statement, Objectives, Hypothesis/Assumptions, Conceptual Framework, Review of Literature (two relevant studies), Brief description of Methods and Procedures, discussions, Findings and Interpretation to be placed in one or two tables, Conclusion, Implications, Recommendation and References / Bibliography.
3. One member can present one paper only.
4. Maximum Two authors can present one paper.

**IV. Poster presentation**

All Posters for the presentation should be based on **Research papers** like a visual presentation of the scientific paper on any nursing specialties by individual TNAI member for display; Size of the Poster/ Flex should be approximately 30x40 inches; Ideas depicted in the poster should be relevant to the study; Lettering and design of the poster should be bold and big enough to be seen from a distance; Layout of the picture, if any must be properly balanced to give a correct sense of proportion; Extra fixing of clipping cuttings or any other form on the poster should be avoided.

The poster should depict the following: Introduction, Need and Significance, Problem

statement, Objectives, Review of Literature (two relevant studies), Brief description of Methods and Procedures, Findings and Interpretation to be placed in one or two tables, Conclusion, Implications, Recommendation and References /Bibliography.

Poster should not have any identification (code will be given before display).

The Date and time of displaying the poster will be communicated later through forthcoming journal.

**Please note:**

- The study carried out within three years period are only entertained.
- The researcher / presenters should be a Member of TNAI. The word limit for the scientific paper presentation are 2000. Enclose separate sheet for author / authors name and a paragraph of bio data, complete address, phone number, email, and TNAI number.
- All the presenters should register for the conference. No TA DA will be provided to the presenters.
- The TNAI will be awarding certificate along with the credit hours to the presenters. The delegates / participants will get the participation certificate along with the 16 credit hours purely based on the registration and attendance.

Complete research paper on theme, subthemes, Concurrent Interest session and poster presentation in Soft and hard copy should reach TNAI Hqrs by **August 31, 2018** for scrutiny and selection to the following address: **Scientific Scrutinizing Committee**, C/o The Secretary General, TNAI L-17, Florence Nightingale Lane, Green Park Main, New Delhi - 110016

## Lost and Found

It is for information of all concerned that while travelling by train I, Ms Julima Tandi, D/o Nirod Tandi, I, Julima Tandi, GNM Nursing student, School of Nursing have lost my original Genral (1) Certificate (2012 pass out, bearing Serial No. GNM 5208) and (2) Annual Grade Sheets of 1st Yr, 2nd Yr, 3rd Yr and Internship, of General Nursing and Midwifery, issued by The Mid-India Board of Education of the Nurses' League of the CMAI Nagpur, and the same are not traceable despite many efforts.

**Ms Julima Tandi, D/o Nirod Tandi**  
2266/ 17&18 Service Road Block, Sahakar Nagar, Bangalore - 560 092 (Karnataka). Mob: +91 76839 29597

It is to bring to notice of all concerned that I, Reena Minz (R/o Village & PO Bishakhatanga, PS Mandar, District Ranchi) have lost my original Marks Sheet of 3rd Year General Nursing and Midwifery (passing year 2015, Roll No. 614318) at St Barnabas Hospital, Church Road, Ranchi, where I was doing training in Dr Arnold East School of Nursing. The same is not traceable despite many efforts.

**Ms Reena Minz, GNM Nursing student, School of Nursing, St Barnabas Hospital,**  
Church Road, Ranchi - 834 001 (Jharkhand). Mob: +91 95235 63891

I hereby declare that I, Margaret Kujur (R/o Nawatoli, PO Sosal, PS Chanho, District Ranchi) have actually lost/ misplaced my original Supplementary Marks Sheet of First Year General Nursing and Midwifery (passing year 2015) at St Barnabas Hospital, Church Road, Ranchi, where I was undergoing training in Dr Arnold East School of Nursing. The same has not found inspiteof great efforts.

**Ms Margaret Kujur, GNM Nursing student, School of Nursing,**  
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## UK Nurse Vacancies for IELTS or OET Passed Nurses:

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- Immigration Health Surcharge Paid
- Subsidised Accommodation
- NMC Fee refund\*
- Free Computer Based Test (CBT) Training
- Objective structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) Fee paid & OSCE Support



*(Above subject to individual Clients - Please inquire for full details)*

*\* Fee for CBT (£ 130) and NMC registration (£140) will be paid initially by the candidate(refunded later by employer). TNAI will assist candidate facing issues in the payment online.*

### Minimum Requirements

- GNM/BSC/MSC with 12 months post registration experience.
- IELTS Score of 7 or OET B in each Parameter Have or be eligible for NMC Registration.

For more details, contact:  
The Secretary-General  
The Trained Nurses Association of India  
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## TNAI SCHOLARSHIPS : ACADEMIC YEAR 2017 - 2018

The Trained Nurses' Association of India invites applications for award of scholarship for higher studies in Nursing for the year 2017-18. Scholarships are available for the following courses.

### I. FOR GENERAL NURSES

- a) Post Certificate Diploma course in Nursing Education and Administration, and other speciality courses.
- b) Post-Basic BSc Nursing (Regular).
- c) Students pursuing Post-Basic BSc Nursing through Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) can also apply who have successfully completed the first year (candidates receiving salary or any other financial support will not be eligible).
- d) Master of Nursing.
- e) PhD, MPhil in Nursing.

### II. FOR HEALTH VISITORS AND AUXILIARY NURSE MIDWIVES / MPH (F)

- (a) General Nursing and Midwifery course.
- (b) Any short-term course of not less than three months duration.

All the above mentioned courses should be recognised by Indian Nursing Council.

#### Eligibility criteria

- ◆ The candidates should have at least 3 years' membership of the TNAI.
- ◆ Confidential reports from all the two referees mentioned in your application should be received timely.
- ◆ The application should be recommended by the President or Secretary of the concerned TNAI State Branch.
- ◆ Preference will be given to the candidate's active participation in TNAI activities at National, State, District / Zonal and Unit level.
- ◆ The proof of annual family income of the candidates (who wish to apply for scholarship) should be obtained from competent authority and attached along with the application.
- ◆ The candidate should not be a recipient of any other scholarship or any financial help from any other source.
- ◆ The candidate should not have received TNAI scholarship for at least last 5 years.

#### General Conditions

- (a) The completed application forms should be received in this office by **May 31, 2018**.
- (b) All applications should be signed by / routed through your TNAI State Branch, President/ Secretary.
- (c) Completed applications received after the last date i.e. **May 31, 2018 will not be entertained**.

**APPLICATION FOR TNAI SCHOLARSHIP : 2017-2018 Academic Year**

Note:

- A. Completed Application form should be sent to the Secretary-General, Trained Nurses' Association of India, L-17, Florence Nightingale Lane, Green Park, New Delhi-110016, up to May 31, 2018. Incomplete application will not be accepted.
- B. There is no application fee, as per decision of Executive Council of TNAI in 2017.
- C. Last date of receiving application form is May 31, 2018 after which applications will be rejected.

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1. Full Name: Miss/Mrs./Mr./Sr. \_\_\_\_\_  
(in block letters)
2. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_
4. a) Present Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
b) Permanent Address if different from present address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. Phone Nos. Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ Landline: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Martial Status: Single, Married, Widow, Widower: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Number of children, if any, with age: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Name of the course: \_\_\_\_\_ Year of study: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Date of commencement of course: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of completion of course: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Name and address of the Institution: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
11. TNAI Life Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date of enrollment \_\_\_\_\_
12. Have you ever held any office of TNAI at Unit/District/State level? \_\_\_\_\_
13. Have you ever served on the National Executive Committee/ Council/HOD of TNAI? \_\_\_\_\_
14. Participation in TNAI activities / membership and fund raising campaign - Yes or No? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, give details: \_\_\_\_\_
15. Have you published any articles, if Yes, Journal name & year and month of publication \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
16. Have you applied for any scholarship to any other Agency? If yes, please mention the name of the Agency to which you have applied \_\_\_\_\_



17. Will you be getting any financial help/stipend/scholarship/deputation allowance from any other source/institution? If yes, please give details: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
18. Are you deputed for studies on full/half/without pay (mention how much amount you will be getting) or you have to resign your job to take up the study? Give details: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
19. Please give names and addresses of two references from the Nursing profession (Head of the institution / Hospital / other Organisation etc.)

**Name, designation and full Address (in capital letters) with mobile/ phone Nos./ Email**

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

A. I have attached copies of the Medical fitness certificate (in original) and following certificates attested either by TNAI Council member, Gazetted Officer or a District Magistrate with this application form:

- [a] Certificate of ANM / GNM / BSc / PC BSc / MSc
- [b] Nurses & Midwives Council Registration Certificate
- [c] Certificates of matriculation & higher examination, if passed
- [d] Certificate of annual family income of the candidate from competent authority
- [e] A letter from the Principal, College of Nursing showing admission in the respective institution
- [f] Photocopy of TNAI Life membership card

B. I undertake to refund the whole amount of scholarship paid to me, to the Trained Nurses' Association of India in case I am offered financial help from any other source(s).

C. I hereby certify that the information given in this application form is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Signature of the candidate

**Recommendation**

Recommendation by the State branch President or Secretary keeping in view the merit of the candidate and the eligibility for the TNAI Scholarship

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**  
**President/Secretary State Branch, TNAI**

## CONFIDENTIAL REPORT - TNAI SCHOLARSHIP

Confidential Report of Mr / Mrs / Miss \_\_\_\_\_

1. For how long is the candidate known to you? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Please give your opinion whether you find her / him as:

Intelligent \_\_\_\_\_

Loyal & Dependable \_\_\_\_\_

Efficient \_\_\_\_\_

Considerable & Agreeable \_\_\_\_\_

Self Controlled \_\_\_\_\_

3. Does she/he exercise judgment? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Does she/he work in cooperation with her/his

Seniors \_\_\_\_\_

Colleagues \_\_\_\_\_

5. Do you consider that she/he is a good organiser and manager? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

6. Does she/he possess qualities of leadership? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Does she/he show initiative? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Does she/he bear a good moral character? \_\_\_\_\_

9. Please give the reasons why you feel that she/he is fit to be given TNAI Scholarship. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

10. Any other remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Designation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

# **SNA SCHOLARSHIPS**

## **ACADEMIC YEAR : 2017 - 2018**

The Trained Nurses' Association of India (TNAI) invites applications for award of SNA Scholarships for the academic year beginning 2018.

Scholarships are available for the following courses:

- 1 Multipurpose Health Workers (Female)/Revised ANM Programme.
- 2 Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery.
- 3 Basic BSc Nursing.

### **Minimum Requirements**

1. Successful completion of first three months of preliminary training period.
2. Application forms should be recommended and signed by
  - a) Incharge/Principal, College or School of Nursing and
  - b) President/Secretary/SNA Advisor of the TNAI State Branch.

### **Other Conditions**

1. The applicant should be a bonafide student of a School/College of Nursing (Recognised by Nursing Council).
2. The SNA unit recommending the candidate for the Scholarship should be an active Unit for at least last three years.
3. Preference will be given to the candidate's active participation in SNA activities at National / State / District / Zonal and Unit Level.
4. The applicant should not be receiving any financial support/benefits from any other source by way of stipend/fellowship/scholarship, etc.

### **For Kind Attention of the Principal**

1. Students of academic year 2017-2018 are eligible to apply for the SNA Scholarship.
2. SNA Unit is requested to forward only two applications from each category (i.e. BSc (N), GNM and ANM).
3. Confidential report should be sent by the Class Coordinator / Unit SNA Advisor and the Principal along with the completed application form.

**THE TRAINED NURSES' ASSOCIATION OF INDIA**  
HEADQUARTERS: L-17, FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE LANE,  
GREEN PARK, NEW DELHI - 110016

**APPLICATION FOR SNA SCHOLARSHIP: 2017-2018 Academic Year**

Note:

- A. Completed Application form **duly recommended by Principal of School or College and President/Secretary/ SNA Advisor of the State Branch, TNAI** should be sent to the Secretary-General, Trained Nurses' Association of India, L-17 Green Park, New Delhi-110016 up to **May 31, 2018**.  
**Incomplete applications will be rejected.**
- B. Two passport size photographs should be attached with the application.
- C. **Application received after May 31, 2018 will not be entertained.**

<p>1. Full Name: Miss/Mrs./Mr./Sr./ _____ (in block letters)</p> <p>2. Student Mobile/Contact No./e-mail ID _____</p> <p>3. Nationality _____                      4. Date of Birth _____</p> <p>5. (a) Present Address: _____ _____</p> <p>      (b) Permanent Address, if different from present address: _____ _____</p> <p>6. Name of the course for which SNA Scholarship is required and name and address of the institution:</p> <p>    (a) Course: _____</p> <p>    (b) Name &amp; Address of the Institution: _____ _____</p> <p>    (c) Date of commencement of course: _____</p> <p>    (d) Date of completion of course: _____</p> <p>7. State whether married, single or widow/widower: _____</p> <p>8. If married, number of children, with age/status and employment: _____ _____</p> <p>9. Educational qualification: _____ _____</p> <p>10. Will you be getting any financial help, stipend/scholarship/from other source? If Yes, name the source and give details: _____ _____</p>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100%; height: 100%; display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;">Photograph</div>
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11. Give names, designations, full addresses and email ID of two persons for reference purpose, one of whom should be the Head of Training School or College of Nursing and the other should be a teaching staff of your School or College. Please ensure that the referee sends the recommendation in time.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

A. I have attached Medical certificate (in Original) and copies of following certificates attested by a Principal / Tutor of my School / Gazetted officer or a District Magistrate as listed below with application form.

- [a] Statement of academic performance of first 3-4 months of your training.
- [b] Certificates of any other training/study undertaken.
- [c] Certificate of Higher Secondary or any other Higher Examination passed.
- [d] Certificate of annual family income.

B. I hereby certify that the information given in this Application Form is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. I also undertake to refund the whole amount of scholarship paid to me by the Trained Nurses' Association of India, in case, I am offered any financial help from any other source(s).

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of the Candidate

**Brief statement of SNA Unit :**

- (a) Do you have SNA Unit: \_\_\_\_\_
- (b) Does it pay SNA Subscription fee regularly ? (Tick) Yes / No:
- (c) If yes, mention the last 3 years subscription paid by the unit, indicate only year wise receipt number with date:  
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(d) Did your unit participate in any SNA activities at Unit / State / National level? List them.

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Recommendation by the In-charge/ Principal School of Nursing keeping in view the merit of the candidate and the eligibility for the scholarship. Before forwarding the application, it is to be ensured that the application is complete in all respects.

1. Name of the In-charge / Principal of School /College of Nursing \_\_\_\_\_
2. Signature: \_\_\_\_\_
3. E-mail-ID \_\_\_\_\_
4. Office Phone & Mobile No. \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation by the President/Secretary/State SNA Advisor of the TNAI State Branch.

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**Signature of President/Secretary/State SNA Advisor of the TNAI State Branch**

**Note:** Only completed application forms with all supporting documents, routed through proper channel, submitted on or before **May 31, 2018** will be accepted and entertained.

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**CONFIDENTIAL REPORT - SNA SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**

**Confidential Report of Miss / Mrs / Mr** \_\_\_\_\_

1. How long and in what capacity have you known the candidate? \_\_\_\_\_
  
2. Please give your opinion whether you find her/him as:  
Intelligent \_\_\_\_\_  
Loyal and Dependable \_\_\_\_\_  
Considerate and Agreeable \_\_\_\_\_  
Self Controlled \_\_\_\_\_
  
3. Does she/he work in cooperation with her/his:  
Seniors \_\_\_\_\_  
Colleagues \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. Does she/he show initiative? \_\_\_\_\_
  
5. Does she/he exercise judgement? \_\_\_\_\_
  
6. Does he/she bear a good moral character? \_\_\_\_\_
  
7. Please give the reasons why you feel that she/he is fit to be given SNA Scholarship for her/his studies. \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. Any other remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Designation:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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## EVENTS OF THE MONTH

### **World Health Day: 7 April**

World Health Organisation (WHO), the global health care body, celebrates World Health Day on 7 April, to mark the anniversary of its foundation in 1948. The objective is, to enhance awareness about maintaining proper physical and psychological well being of all. Each year a theme is selected for World Health Day that highlights a priority area of concern for WHO. This year's theme of World Health Day is: Universal health coverage: everyone, everywhere.

World Health Day is a global campaign, inviting everyone – from global leaders to the public in all countries – to focus on a single health challenge with global impact. Focusing on new and emerging health issues, World Health Day provides an opportunity to start collective action to protect people's health and well-being.

The slogan remains, "Health for All", the guiding vision for more than seven decades. It's also the impetus behind the current organization-wide drive to support countries in moving towards Universal Health Coverage (UHC). WHO calls on world leaders to live up to the pledges made when they agreed the Sustainable Development Goals in 2015, and commit to concrete steps to advance the health of all people. There shall be a series of events through 2018, starting on World Health Day on 7 April with global and local conversations about ways to achieve health for all.

The buzzwords are: inspire, motivate and guide. Policy-makers of the member-states need to be inspired to transform the health of their nation, framing the challenge as exciting and ambitious, and inviting them to be part of the change; motivated by sharing examples of how some countries are already progressing towards universal health coverage and guided by equipping them with tools for structured policy dialogue on how to advance universal health coverage.

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### **International Nurses Day: 12 May**

The most enthusiastically awaited day for entire nurse community globally is the International Nurses' Day (IND) on 12 May, in remembrance of the Nurse legend, Florence Nightingale who was born this day in 1820. All healthcare functionaries also participate in the celebrations of the day, as endorsement of the substantial contribution nurses make in saving and improving the lives of the sick, the elderly and others in need. Every year a theme is identified as thrust of activities; the theme for 2018 is, Nurses: A Voice to Lead, Health is a Human Right.

A Candle Lamp service in Westminster Abbey, London is held, a candle lamp is handed over from one nurse to another, symbolic of passing the knowledge from one nurse to another, and finally placed on the High Altar. Next day, on 13 May a grand ceremony is organised at the St Margaret's Church, the burial place of Florence Nightingale. Main highlights of the day are the promotional and educational activities all over the world, to address issues being faced by nurses and appreciate their contribution.

In New Delhi, the President of India confers the Florence Nightingale National awards to select nurse professionals for outstanding services rendered in their respective fields at a function in Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi. The awardees are selected on the basis of rigorous screening of applications received on All-India basis by the Ministry of Health & Family Affairs. TNAI also celebrates the IND befittingly.

Every year, the International Council of Nurses brings out a reference material, the IND Kit. This year's 56-page ICN Toolkit 2018 contains a review of the nursing affairs and makes region-wise recommendations for nurses. The message from ICN President has been reproduced as follows:

## Message from the ICN President, International Council of Nurses

*The International Council of Nurses (ICN) believes that health is a human right. ICN is at the forefront of advocating for access to health and nurses are the key to delivering it. All over the world, there are individuals and communities who are suffering from illness due to a lack of accessible and affordable health care. But we must also remember that the right to health applies to nurses as well! We know that improved quality and safety for patients depends on positive working environments for staff. That means the right to a safe working environment, adequate remuneration, and access to resources, and education. We must add to this the right to be heard and have a voice in decision making and policy development implementation!*

*As the global voice of nursing, ICN will continue to speak up and speak out. In 2018, ICN is doing this louder and stronger than ever before. Following the 2018 IND theme, Nurses: A Voice to Lead, Health is a Human Right, this toolkit presents compelling evidence showing how investment in nursing leads to economic development; and how improving conditions in which people live leads to cohesive societies and productive economies. For nurses, Health is a Human Right means that all humans have the right to access affordable and quality health care at a time when they need it most. And there are nurses working in everyday health care settings and in positions of influence and decision making that are doing this right now!*

*This International Nurses Day, let us join together to share how nurses are transforming health care and health systems so that no person is left behind. Let us join our voices together to be a voice to lead by supporting a people-centred approach to care and health systems, and ensuring our voices are heard in influencing health policy, planning and provision. On behalf of us all at ICN, Happy International Nurses Day!*

- Annette Kennedy

### **Your Updated Mailing Address Required at TNAI HQrs**

Important information to all Members:

You may receive copies of *TNAI Bulletin* only after submitting the complete mailing address afresh!

We have been observing for quite some time that copies of *TNAI Bulletin* are not reaching the proper persons for many reasons, mainly because the address in TNAI records is not got updated by the subscribers with their change of residence. In many instances, the subscribers furnished the Institute's address where they last studied and it was never got changed later. This leads to massive wastages. It has therefore decided not to mail any copies to individuals at Institutional address unless the copies are meant only for the particular Institution.

It has therefore been decided to follow a reverse strategy, by mailing copies of *TNAI Bulletin* only to those members who submit their addresses again. All the members are now requested to kindly furnish their latest address afresh, including the PIN code of the area and also indicate their email ID. Following format may kindly be adopted:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
TNAI Membership No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Complete Address with PIN code: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Mobile / Phone No. : \_\_\_\_\_  
Email ID: \_\_\_\_\_

The above information can also be sent by email to: [membership@tnaionline.org](mailto:membership@tnaionline.org)