

AONL Foundation Financial Aid Committee

Charter

This committee reports to the AONL Foundation board and is responsible for identifying opportunities to distribute financial aid funds held by the AONL Foundation for this purpose. Responsibilities include:

- Develops criteria for financial aid evaluation
- Identifies and prioritizes funding opportunities
- Evaluates financial aid applications received
- Makes funding recommendations to the Board of Directors
- Assists with increasing financial aid applications to nurse leaders



AONL Strategic Alignment

Priority

Objective

Strategic Priority 2: Improving Health Through Advocacy

Transform health care through strategic partnerships focused on unified policy, practice, and education initiatives

Strategic Priority 3: Advance Nursing Leadership

Develop resources that prepare all leadership career pathways for today and tomorrow



Stakeholders



Meeting Cadence

- AONL Board of Directors
- AONL Foundation Board of Directors
- AONL Education Team
- AONL Membership
- Friends of the Foundation
- Industry Partners
- Nurse Leaders Across the Nation
- Rhonda Anderson, Chair
- Brandy Mathews, Vice Chair

- Meeting cadence is based on financial aid application deadlines
- Meetings are scheduled on an ad-hoc basis, but no more than monthly.



Deliverables

Deliverable	Target Date
Award financial aid to eligible leaders for Nurse Manager Institute and Finance and Business Skills Program	10/31/2025 10/31/2026
Award financial aid for eligible leaders for Nurse Manager/Nurse Director Fellowship Program	10/31/2025 10/31/2026
Expand support to nurse leaders by providing financial aid for new AONL education programs	12/31/2026
Ensure 100% participation of committee members in annual financial aid fundraiser	12/31/2026
Increase number of applicants to recurring financial aid opportunities by 10% for each program	12/31/2026