



Children's Hospital of Wisconsin®

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Main Campus and Fox Valley

SWIFT Program

Internal Application: Confidential

Application Deadlines: Children Hospital of Wisconsin March 1, 2007.
UWM March 1, 2007.

Instructions: Acceptance into the State of Wisconsin Initiative to Fast Track Nurse Educators (SWIFT) at Children's Hospital of Wisconsin (CHW) is a **two-step** process. First, applicants must complete an internal selection process at Children's Hospital of Wisconsin. Second, applicants must also complete an application to the College of Nursing at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

CHW Selection Process: Completion of this form will begin the internal selection process. There will be a screening process based on several criteria, and those successfully completing the screening process will be forwarded to a selection committee for interview.

Criteria:

- Full time employment status (0.9 FTE or above)
- Strong performance as a staff RN or nurse leader at Children's Hospital of Wisconsin
- Grade point average of 3.0 or greater

CHW application includes:

- Completion of internal application
- Two or more letters of reference. One must be from the person you directly report to
- Completion of interview with selection committee

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In order for us to track applications, please complete the demographic information below:

Name _____ Position: _____

Department or Unit where you work _____

Work Status: Scheduled Full Time _____ Scheduled Part Time _____

Home address: _____

Telephone: Work: _____ Home: _____ Cell: _____

Your email address: _____

Registered Nurse State of Wisconsin Identification Number: _____

I am a graduate of:

An accredited school of nursing: Yes _____ No _____

An Associate Degree (ADN) Program: Yes _____ No _____

School: _____

Grade Point Average: _____

A Bachelor's Degree (BSN) Program: Yes____ No____

School: _____

Grade Point Average: _____

Race or ethnic background: _____

I prefer to attend graduate school at:

_____ University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

_____ University of Wisconsin-Madison

_____ University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh

Information about the SWIFT program has been provided to me. If selected, I understand that I will be eligible for \$5,000 of tuition assistance per year and 16 hours of paid-time per pay period while classes are in session as long as I continue to work in a .9 – 1.0 FTE position. I understand my pay for these 16 hours will not include differentials or accumulate hours towards special bonus program I may be eligible for as a staff nurse. I further understand that after completion of the Master's degree, I will enter a signed agreement with Children's Hospital of Wisconsin, to provide clinical instruction for a period of 3 years to one of the area colleges of nursing while being continually employed by Children's Hospital of Wisconsin.

Your personal information will be secured and filed by Shelly Malin, PhD, RN, Director, Advanced Practice Nursing and Research Department. This application will be reviewed by the selection committee, and will remain on file in Patient Care Services Administration.

Name: _____ Date: _____