

# ADVENTIST HEALTHCARE CRITICAL CARE NURSING EXCELLENCE PRIZE

## Purpose of the Prize

The prize recognises an excellent consistent performance in nursing practice by a student during clinical placements across critical care nursing fields in the Bachelor of Nursing course.

## Selection Criteria

Avondale Bachelor of Nursing students are reviewed on the following criteria.

- Academic achievements in Critical Care Unit in upper range of class
- On the *Clinical and Professional Practice Appraisal* form used to review student performance across the course, a high standard is recorded on a majority of appraisals throughout the course and there are no areas of unsatisfactory performance during the course.
- Excellent academic and clinical performance in the following subjects:
  - NURS33303 Clinical Nursing Elective
  - NURS33305 Nursing Practice 5
  - NURS33306 Nursing Practice 6

## Administration of the Prize

The School of Nursing & Health at Avondale University will coordinate the administration of the prize in consultation with academic staff. Following the clinical placements in the first 5 semesters of the course candidates are reviewed and a suitable student selected by the School Committee. Avondale Nursing staff will meet in August/September to review students who meet the selection criteria.

## Sponsorship

Adventist HealthCare

## Presentation of Prize

A certificate and voucher of \$500 are awarded to the selected student. The prize will be presented at the Friday evening Graduation Lamp Lighting Ceremony at the Sydney Campus, or other opportunity deemed agreeable.

## Citation

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