

Grants and Incentives for Nurses

There are a number of grants and incentives available to support the recruitment and retention of nurses in Manitoba through the **Nurses Recruitment and Retention Fund (NRRF)**.

NRRF was established in 1999 to assist with the recruitment and retention of Registered Nurses (RNs), Registered Psychiatric Nurses (RPNs), Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs), and Nurse Practitioners (NPs) in Manitoba.

Note: Submission deadlines, EFT requirements, and eligibility criteria vary by grant.

\$8,000

for bridging from LPN to RN/RPN
(retroactive to January 1, 2024)

\$5,000

for relocation assistance
to work in Manitoba

\$4,000

for new grads who relocate to a
rural or northern community

\$4,000

for northern obstetrics nurses
(per eligible year)

\$4,000

for nurses newly hired to an
eligible personal care home

\$3,000

for nurses newly hired to a position
with a bilingual/French requirement

\$2,000

for nurse refresher and
nurse re-entry programs

\$1,000

for new nurse referrals

**Funding also available for continuing education,
books, and stipends through your Regional NRRF
Continuing Education Committees**

for more information, including specific eligibility requirements and grant applications, scan or visit healthcareersmanitoba.ca/nurses/grants

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