

Kimberly-Clark ACORN Perioperative Scholarship Information

You could win
a **\$5,000**
scholarship

You or another member of your perioperative team could be awarded \$5,000 to submit a Research Paper investigating "Protection and Safety of Staff & Patients in the Perioperative Environment".

The Kimberly-Clark Perioperative Scholarship has been developed in conjunction with the Australian College of Operating Room Nurses (ACORN).

ACORN members are eligible for the Scholarship. Send an outline of your Research Proposal by the due date to:

Kimberly-Clark Perioperative Scholarship
c/o ACORN Secretariat
111A Main South Road, O'Halloran Hill SA 5158
Phone: (08) 8387 9666

Scholarship applications can be downloaded from www.acorn.org.au



 **Kimberly-Clark**

*Trusted Clinical Solutions**

© Registered Trademark Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. Kimberly-Clark reserves the right to utilise any results and information gained from the research for its own purposes.



Kimberly-Clark Perioperative Scholarship

The Kimberly-Clark Perioperative Scholarship has been developed in conjunction with the Australian College of Operating Room Nurses (ACORN).



One of ACORN's aims is to contribute to the highest standard of patient care and professional competency in perioperative environments.

In keeping with these aims, Perioperative team members are invited to submit a Research Paper investigating "Protection and Safety of Staff and Patients in the Perioperative Environment". The completed paper must be of publishable standard, no longer than 2,500 words and submitted by the due date.

What can you win?

*Kimberly-Clark will allocate the Scholarship in 2 instalments of \$2,500 each. The first instalment will be provided within 30 days of the announcement of the Scholarship winner and upon receipt of all necessary approvals, and the second instalment will be paid on receipt of the completed and accepted Research Paper.

The Scholarship winner will present their Research Paper at the National ACORN Meeting, and/or State Meetings.

The research paper will also be published in the Australian ACORN Journal.

Who is able to apply?

All nurses who are full members of their ACORN Association and are employed in the Perioperative environment as scrub staff, clinical educators or infection control managers.

What will you submit?

- A detailed Research Proposal identifying key milestones and resources
- Certified copies of relevant professional certificates and memberships
- References from 2 independent sources.

How will it be assessed?

Research must focus on investigating the protection and safety of both staff and patients in the Perioperative setting.

How can you apply?

Simply complete the accompanying Application Form and mail it to:

Kimberly-Clark Perioperative Scholarship
c/o ACORN Secretariat
111A Main South Road
O'Halloran Hill SA 5158
Phone: (08) 8387 9666

www.kca.com.au/HealthCare
www.acorn.org.au

 **Kimberly-Clark**

*Trusted Clinical Solutions**

Kimberly-Clark reserves the right to utilise any results and information gained from the research for its own purposes.

© Registered Trademark Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc.