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2026-2027 Nursing Student Loan (NSL) APPLICATION

The Nursing Student Loan (NSL) is a low-interest, long-term federal loan administered by the Department of Health and Human Services (not the Department of Education). It is a need-based award available to students enrolled in eligible health profession majors. **The loan requires a valid completed FAFSA be on file for the student and that all verification requirements have been completed.**

Loan Terms: The interest rate on the NSL is 5%. The borrower will not be responsible for any interest until the start of the repayment period. Repayment begins 12 months after program completion or termination of full-time enrollment. The amount awarded will be determined by fund availability and number of qualified applicants.

To Apply:

- Submit the 2026-2027 FAFSA online.
- If you are an independent students submit this NSL Application to the ULM Financial Aid Office, including signed copies of your (and your spouse’s, if applicable) 2024 Federal Income Tax Returns. If you are a dependent student submit this NSL Application to the ULM Financial Aid Office, including signed copies of both your 2024 Federal Income Tax Return and your parent(s)’ 2024 Federal Income Tax Returns.

Incomplete applications will not be considered. Applicants are not necessarily notified of incomplete application status.

STUDENT: _____ **CWID:** _____ **PHONE:** _____

STEP ONE – Student Household Information

List all people that you (and your spouse, if applicable) will support between July 1, 2026 and June 30, 2027. Include yourself, your spouse, and your dependent children (if you provide at least 50% of their financial support). The only other people you may include are those that live with you and receive at least 50% of your financial support. *Attach additional sheet if necessary.*

Full Name	Age	Relationship to you	Name of College/Degree Program (Enrolled at least half-time during 2026-2027)
		Self	ULM/ _____

STEP TWO – Student Income & Asset Information

I used the Retrieval Tool on the FAFSA to import my (and my spouse’s, if applicable) income data.

I am attaching my (and my spouse’s, if applicable) signed 2024 Federal Income Tax Returns.

I am not required to file a 2024 Federal Income Tax Return. My 2024 earnings were: \$ _____.

Cash/Savings/Checking balances \$ _____

Net worth of investments \$ _____

Net worth of business \$ _____

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STEP THREE – Parent Household Information

List all people that your parent(s) (and/or stepparent(s), if applicable) will support between July 1, 2026 and June 30, 2027. Include your parent, their spouse, and their dependent children (if they provide at least 50% of the child’s financial support).

Full Name	Age	Relationship to you	Name of College/Degree Program (enrolled at least half-time during 2026-2027)
<i>Attach additional sheet if necessary</i>			

STEP FOUR – Parent Income & Asset Information

My parent(s) used the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on the FAFSA to import income data.

I am attaching my parent(s)’ signed 2024 Federal Income Tax Returns.

My parent(s) were not required to file a 2024 Federal Income Tax Return. Their 2024 earnings were:

\$_____.

Cash/Savings/Checking balances \$ _____

Net worth of investments \$ _____

Net worth of business \$ _____

Note: If corrections to your FAFSA are necessary, the ULM Financial Aid Office will electronically send the corrections to the federal processor, who will then send you an updated 2026-2027 Student Aid Report (SAR) for your records.

STEP FIVE – CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE

By signing this worksheet, I/we certify that all the information provided on this form and any accompanying documentation is complete and correct to the best of my/our knowledge. I/We understand that purposely giving false or misleading information will result in forfeiture of NSL eligibility, and may be subject to a \$20,000 fine, imprisonment, or both.

Student Signature (no e-signature)

Date

Parent Signature (no e-signature)

Date

OFFICE USE ONLY

- Stu info complete
 - Par info complete
 - Death certificates?
 - FAFSA corrections complete?
- Approved Denied Initials: _____ Date: _____

Additional Notes:
