Nursing Undergraduate Association

Faculty Association Membership Fee Proposal
Presentation Overview

- FAMF Proposal
- Key points of NUA’s message to Faculty of Nursing students
- Proposed allocation of reintroduced FAMF funding
- CNSA information for Faculty of Nursing students
- Proposal for consultation of Faculty of Nursing students
We propose to change our NUA fee to $0.00 to $2.50. Our CNSA membership fee will be $11.00 for full time students and $7.50 for part time students. This will result in an annual fee of $13.50 for full time students and $10.00 for part time students.

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<tr>
<th>Student Type</th>
<th>Canadian Nursing Student Association Membership Fee</th>
<th>Nursing Undergraduate Association Membership Fee</th>
<th>Total Fee Amount (Annually)</th>
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<td>Part Time Student Student</td>
<td>$7.50</td>
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<td>Full Time Student Student</td>
<td>$11.00</td>
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FAMF Proposal (con’t)

**Amount and timeline:**

The ‘amount’ of the ‘Fee’ shall be increased from $0.00 annually for all Nursing Undergraduate Association full time members to $13.50 and from $0.00 for part time students to $10.00 starting in Fall, 2022 and continuing until the maximum of 4 years have elapsed.

**Scope:**

A Nursing student is anyone enrolled in the Faculty of Nursing and is a member of the NUA as per the NUA bylaws.
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Allocation:

The money received from the ‘Fee’ will be prioritized for disbursement based on the following criteria for breakdown:

- Academically benefiting programs for students (Slide 8)
- CNSA Conference opportunities (Slide 9)
- Scholarships (Slide 10)
- Donations to worthy philanthropic initiatives

Eligibility:

Any member of the NUA as dictated by its bylaws, is eligible to attend the educational sessions, and apply for conferences and scholarships.

Fee Refund Mechanism:

The ‘Fee’ or any individual’s portion of it may be refunded upon student request. Refunds will only be provided upon student request. The student will be required to complete a form by stating that they have received a refund and all refunds will be tracked in order to ensure that double refunds are not granted.
NUA Membership/FAMF Opt-Out Form:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/198F9_I3PnTQeLhO1Cz49kV5un58jLxswz2uLHI7e_-g/edit?usp=sharing

FAMF Consultation Form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScanswQIGL_bu_lSZkYDdOqwYcFU530MsfUSkiZBKRbC87vgJQ/viewform
December 2022 Initial FAMF Consultation results:

Result: in favour of CNSA fee renewal

Should the CNSA membership be renewed? (CNSA fees: $11.00 for full-time and $7.50 for part-time students)
64 responses

- Yes: 62.5%
- No: 37.5%

Result: in favour of NUA fee reinstatement

Should the NUA fee be reinstated? ($2.50 for both full-time and part-time students)
62 responses

- Yes: 69.4%
- No: 30.6%
Academically-benefitting programs

As a faculty association we believe it is important to support students academically in a variety of ways. As our mentorship program has become much larger we will need the necessary financial support to provide more opportunities for mentors and mentees to meet as well as to fund our annual kick off every year.

NUA hopes to have more funds to arrange educational sessions with speakers from areas nursing students in that year wish to learn more of. For example, we could have a few sessions on sexual health, harm reduction, and Indigenous Health in Canada, so that students can learn more about an area if they want more information not offered in class already.

We also hope to run tutoring sessions for NURS 106, 116, 216A, and 216B with potential of payment for tutors. This is in works with our Faculty of Nursing to ensure appropriate tutors are recruited with adequate credentials.
Conference Funding

We wish to have more funds for students to attend CNSA Regional and National Conferences as this is a great way to develop student’s outside of a classroom or clinical setting. Conferences provide students with the chance to build networking skills, present research, meet other inspirational student leaders and learn more about nursing! We propose $500.00 funding to a student that is not apart of the NUA who shows a strong commitment to nursing. All receipts for travel etc. would be necessary for reimbursement.
Scholarships

Leadership Scholarships

The Nursing Undergraduate Leadership Scholarships (totalling amount proposed, $1000.00 per academic year) would go towards nursing students who are active and instrumental in the campus and greater Edmonton community regarding nursing and leadership.

Extracurricular Activity Scholarship

The Nursing Undergraduate Extracurricular Activity Scholarship (total amount proposed, $500 per academic year) will be awarded to students who show passion towards a particular art, hobby, or activity outside of nursing.
Proposed allocation of FAMF funding

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<th>Program of Student</th>
<th>Part Time</th>
<th>Full Time</th>
<th>Total Student Number</th>
<th>Total Fee Amount allocated towards NUA with no increase in fee ($2.50 per student annually)</th>
<th>Total Fee amount with increase in fee allocated towards NUA ($2.50 per student annually)</th>
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<td>Collaborative Students</td>
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<td>Collaborative-Honors</td>
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<td>After Degree</td>
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<td>TOTAL</td>
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<td>1,421</td>
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The amount increased ($2.50) will go towards NUA’s proposed initiatives based on student’s requests. We received 64 responses from students on December 11-12th, 2022 during an initial FAMF consultation.

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<th>Suggested NUA Initiatives from Responses</th>
<th>% of responses out of 64</th>
<th>Ongoing NUA initiatives for 2022/2023 year</th>
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<td>Scholarships/Funding</td>
<td>34.4%</td>
<td>Leadership Scholarship $1000</td>
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<td>Extracurricular Scholarship $500</td>
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<td>Clothing/Nursing Merch</td>
<td>18.8%</td>
<td>Faculty of Nursing Crewnecks +</td>
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<td>other clothing launching 2023***</td>
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<td>Tutoring services</td>
<td>15.6%</td>
<td>VP Academic working with</td>
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<td>Faculty of Nursing to obtain qualified tutors**</td>
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<td>Events/Peer Mentorship</td>
<td>17.1%</td>
<td>Budget for NUA events $1000</td>
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<td>Budget for CNSA events (funding from CNSA)****</td>
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<td>Blank or N/A</td>
<td>39%*</td>
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CNSA Membership

Is CNSA mandatory?

As a University of Alberta student you are a member, as we are a current Chapter Member of CNSA. If you attend one of the Chapter Member schools then you are a member of CNSA.

What do CNSA fees go to?

- Many resources as mentioned below as well as in the past has been used to help sponsor national nursing student week at each chapter university.
- A scholarship for one student to attend national conference
- Regional achievement award
- Donation to a regional charity
FAMF Consultation Proposal: Part 1

- CNSA membership vote via Google form and virtual December 9th to 12th
- FAMF Consultation Survey Sent out January 1st open till January 21st, 2022
- Instagram campaign on FAMF information and how to vote starting January 1st
  (continuing with FAMF updates as semester progresses)
- FAMF Tabling Sessions hosted by VP Finance and other NUA members in ECHA
  - Week 1 January 23rd-27th, 2022 ECHA tabling
  - Week 2 February 6th-10th, 2022 virtual drop-in FAMF information sessions
  - Week 3 February 13th-17th, 2022 voting advertisements go out and FAMF voting
    Google form shared with student body
  - Week 4 Compile results once voting is open for 2 weeks starting February 17th, 2022
FAMF Consultation Proposal: Part 2

- Prepare voting results for presentation to student body by March 3rd, 2022
- Complete FAMF information Instagram campaign March 1st - initiate FAMF voting results Instagram campaign
- Send feedback survey on how FAMF was presented, accepted/denied, and voting results obtained by March 6th, 2022
- Prepare presentation for student union Spring follow up
- Launch advertisement on NUA Instagram and Website for details regarding FAMF budget (if FAMF passed successfully) and complete question polls.
- Host final Annual General Meeting for all nursing students and host a final information/feedback session with those in attendance
Questions or comments?
Email the NUA’s VP Finance below:

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