**Nursing 2018 Welcome Week Rep!**Returning Rep Application

You already know that Welcome Week is the most wonderful time of the year. You’ve already had the opportunity to promote our collaborative McMaster nursing program to first year students of all sites and streams. You’ve already proven your dedication, your enthusiasm, your optimism and your teamwork as a previous NWWR.

**And we want YOU to be a Nursing Welcome Week Representative (NWWR) again!!!**

With your help, we can create a spirited Welcome Week for all incoming first year nursing students! Let’s remind McMaster University how wonderful us nurses really are. You are re-applying to be part of a unique team that provides you the opportunity to interact with nursing students from all sites, years and streams. You already understand how great it is to be directly involved in creating positive experiences for first year students and building friendships amongst the NWWR team. What an excellent life choice you’ve made in re-applying!

Please submit your completed application by **Wednesday, February 21st 2018 @ 2359** to be considered for an interview.  **Late applications will NOT be accepted!**

**Submit application to:** [macnursing.ww@gmail.com](mailto:macnursing.ww@gmail.com)

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| **Last Name** | **First Name** |
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| **Site (McMaster, Conestoga, Mohawk)** | **Current Level/Stream (1, 2, 3, Accelerated, RPN-BScN)** |
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| **Current Phone** | **Current Address** |
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| Are you able to receive text messages at this number? Yes / No | |
| **Summer Phone** | **Summer Address** |
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| Are you able to receive text messages at this number? Yes / No | |
| **McMaster Email Address and Student ID** | |
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| **Preferred E-Mail Address** | |
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| **Communication as a rep is mandatory! Will you have Internet access throughout the entire summer?** | |
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| **Are you traveling this summer?**  **If so, when and how long?** | |
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| **Previous or current leadership experience at McMaster** | |
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| **Previous or current leadership outside of McMaster (high school, extra curricular)** | |
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| **Do you have any other commitments during Welcome Week (volunteer, work, etc.)? Please note: you are not allowed to double rep (ex. Residence, Maroons, IRC).**  YES    NO  **If yes, please state your other commitments:** | |
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| **Previous involvement as a yellow suit?  Any specific roles / defining characteristics?  How many previous years as a rep?** | |
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**Questions   
(Please answer in under 250 words)**

1. **What do you think is the most valuable contribution that you could make towards a new nursing student’s first year experience?**
2. **You have already had at least one opportunity to be a NWWR.  In saying that, why should you be selected over someone who has not yet had this opportunity?**
3. **Reflecting on previous years of experience, identify one area in need of self-improvement.  How will you demonstrate growth in this area?**
4. **Do you have any improvements or suggestions in regards to what you would like to see happen this upcoming Welcome Week?**
5. **Please list one idea you have to fundraise for Shinerama BEFORE Welcome Week?**
6. **How will you exemplify teamwork as a returning rep and how do you plan on welcoming the new reps to our team?**

**Important Dates to Note:**

* **February 21st** NWWR Applications Due (via email @ 2359)
* **March 10-11th** NWWR Mohawk – McMaster Interviews
* **March 17th** NWWR Conestoga Interviews
* **March 24th** Planning Committee (NWWPC) Applications released
* **April 7th** NWWPC Applications Due (via email @ 2359)
* **April 7th MANDATORY** McMaster Rep Training
* **Early April (TBD)** NWWPC Interviews(via Skype)
* **Early May (TBD) MANDATORY** May at Mac
* **Late August (TBD) MANDATORY** Rep Training with McMaster
* **Late August (TBD) tMANDATORY** NWWR Meeting *(Final Date To be Announced)*
* **Please Note: There will be social events for all NWWRs each month leading up to Welcome Week.**

Please specify in the space below if you require special accommodations, and include the times you are unavailable with a reason why.

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| I have read, understood, and will be availablefor the dates provided. | **Please highlight:**  **Yes**  **No** |

Thank you for your application!   We will contact you via the preferred email address provided in regards to your interview no later than Monday, February 26th 2018. If you have any questions please feel free to contact us through [macnursing.ww@gmail.com](mailto:macnursing.ww@gmail.com). **Please note that LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!**

Yours Nursingly,

Alex Wilms & Kristen Anderson

2018 Nursing Welcome Week Planners (NWWPs)