

CROUSE HOSPITAL COLLEGE OF NURSING

FEDERAL DIRECT STUDENT LOAN APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

STEP 1: If you have not already done so, you must file the “Free Application for Federal Student Aid” (FAFSA) at: www.fafsa.ed.gov

Our Title IV School Code is 006445.

STEP 2: Go to the U.S. Department of Education Federal Direct Loan website: www.studentloans.gov. Complete the Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note (e-MPN). In addition, you must also complete the “**Entrance Counseling**” exercise on the website.

STEP 3: Print out and send a copy of the e-MPN to the College Financial Aid Office. Also print out and send a copy of the Entrance Counseling completion page to the College Financial Aid Office. When returning the copy of the MPN to us, please attach a note indicating how much you wish to borrow, if **less** than the Federal maximum limit.

PLEASE NOTE: Funds from any financial aid source will not be available until at least 30 days after the start of the semester. You should plan on covering your expenses for books, supplies, uniforms, and personal items for at least the first month of each semester.

If you have any questions about the financial aid process or the Federal Direct Loan application steps, please contact the Financial Aid Office at (315)470-7749.