

National Student Nurses' Association & *Nursing Spectrum/NurseWeek*

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2010

10th Annual Student Writing Contest

NSNA, *Nursing Spectrum* and *NurseWeek* are pleased to announce the 10th annual essay contest. NSNA members may submit a 1,000 word essay in response to the following:

Question

"If you could propose any change to healthcare, what would you change and how would the change impact the nursing profession?"

Please complete the official entry form below and submit with your essay to: NSNA/*Nursing Spectrum/NurseWeek* Student Writing Contest, 45 Main St., Suite 606, Brooklyn, NY 12201. Alternately, you may e-mail your essay, and the requested information below, to nsna@nsna.org Attn: 2010 Essay Contest.

The Grand Prize Winner will receive:

- \$500 Gift Check
- Complimentary registration to the NSNA Annual Convention in Salt Lake City, Utah, April 6-10, 2011
- The winning essay will be published online at www.Nurse.com and www.nsna.org.

Prizes will be awarded to two finalists:

- First Place: \$125 Gift Check
- Second Place: \$100 Gift Check

Essay will be judged on relevance to theme, writing style, originality, grammar and spelling. Judges include representatives from *Nursing Spectrum/NurseWeek* and leaders of professional nursing organizations.

Deadline: Must be received by Friday, March 4, 2011, 5 p.m. EST.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail Address _____

NSNA Membership # _____

Sponsoring Faculty (for those earning Leadership U credit*) _____

School Name & Address _____

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*Bonus points will be awarded to entrants who submit a letter from one faculty member stating the contestant will receive academic recognition as part of the NSNA Leadership U. Visit www.nsnaleadershipu.org for information about earning academic credit for your essay. Please make sure to include a reference list for all citations (APA format).