



The ENA Foundation (ENAF) provides educational scholarships and research grants in the discipline of emergency nursing. In fact, the ENA State Fundraising Challenge is the ENA Foundation's largest source of funding! State councils and chapters plan local fundraising drives and events centered around the theme (*Get Jazzed about Scholarships*) to raise funds. Your chapter donations will go towards Texas's total contributions. States that raise \$5,000 or more have the privilege of naming their own academic scholarship the following year.

So did you know, Texas ENA State Council has a generous history of supporting the ENAF? TxENA has two named ENA scholarships (Vicki Patrick Legacy Scholarship and Mary Leblond Advocacy Scholarship). Let's go for a third named scholarship! We can do this!! From now through May 31, 2018, ENAF will be accepting contributions.

Please consider the below two options:

- 1) As in past years, please consider a chapter contribution of one dollar per member.

And/Or.....

- 2) The ENA Foundation is excited about a **NEW** opportunity only going to happen during this State Challenge. The ENAF is selling bricks for the **NEW ENA** building in Chicago. The bricks will be displayed in the commemorative patio and are a great way to commemorate chapters/councils and individuals.
 - o \$250.00 donation - 4"x8" engraved brick
 - o \$500.00 donation - 8"x8" engraved brick

For the chapters to get credit for the bricks, please send money directly to the ENAF.

Go to: www.ena.org/foundation. **When you make your donation, please make sure you mark which state you are from.** This will give your Texas ENA credit towards this year's State Challenge. Please email treasurer@txena.org with the donation amount sent to ENAF so we can track our success!

So, "Get Jazzed about Scholarships" and help TxENA reach their goal and support and ENAF! Thank you in advance for your support.

Christine Russe and Mary Leblond
2018 Texas ENA Fundraising Chairs