## **FUNDING RESOURCES**

## **UT Health Science Center Funding**

- 1. Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing
- 2. Delta Alpha At Large
- 3. Our goal is to support graduate nursing students and faculty who wish to participate in research or quality improvement projects that advance nursing science. Proposal topics are unrestricted.
- 4. For graduate students; the maximum award is \$1000 (available to fund up to 2 graduate student proposals).
- 5. For faculty; the maximum award is \$1500 (available to fund up to 2 faculty proposals).
- 6. Readiness Estimate & Deployability Index (READI): The READI is an index of readiness and is a comprehensive assessment. The READI-R-AFN is an index of readiness and is not a comprehensive assessment. The READI and the READI-R-AFN is a self-assessment tool or instrument to measure self-report of individual readiness along six areas not otherwise reported by the organization. The instrument measures the rich complexity of individual readiness along the lines of six dimensions:
  - a) Clinical Nursing Competency
  - b) Operational Competency
  - c) Airman Survival Skills
  - d) Physical/Psychosocial/Personal Readiness
  - e) Leadership and Administrative Support
  - f) Group Integration and Identification
- 7. There are several sections on the READI and READI-R-AFN. Completion of the survey should take less than 50 minutes for the READI and less than 30 minutes for the READI-R-AFN. Please give careful thought to each item and respond as accurately as possible. Your input is very important to Commanders and others in leadership positions in identifying and determining training needs. The results of the READI and the READI-R-AFN will focus preparations and training for readiness.

## **School of Nursing Funding**

- 1. Nursing Dean's Scholarship Awards for Research, Teaching and Practice
- 2. Nursing Advisory Council Awards
- 3. Sigma Theta Tau Delta Alpha Chapter
- 4. The Cols. Philip & Jean Piccione Award for Excellence in Research

5. Rosemary Kerr McKevitt Memorial Research Award Nursing Science Mentorship Award for Doctoral Students and Mentors

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