

Scholarship Guidelines Application Deadline: March 31, 2022

1. <u>Applicants must reside in the M Health Fairview Lakes Medical Center region</u>: Pine City to Lino Lakes/Hugo; Hwy 65 to Wisconsin border. Fairview Lakes' employees and their children are also eligible for application regardless of residence.

2. <u>Deadline for online applications is March 31, 2022. There are no paper application</u> <u>forms</u>.

- 3. Scholarships are available to qualified candidates pursuing a career in the medical field.
- 4. Applicants must be high school graduates enrolled in accredited post-secondary schools for the 2022-2023 school year.
- 5. College students must maintain full time enrollment to be eligible for these scholarships. Adults returning to school, changing a career or advancing their education will be considered, provided they are enrolled in at least 6 credits per term.
- 6. All complete applications will be reviewed by a panel of judges and ranked based on:
 - scholastic achievement
 - financial need
 - 250-word essay, explaining career goals and how/why this path was chosen;
 - experience and/or exposure to health care
- 7. Complete <u>all</u> sections of the application, including household income; otherwise, judges cannot accurately rank you in those areas, which may lower your overall score.
- 8. Completed applications <u>must</u> include:
 - Online application form submitted by March 31, 2022
 - 250 word essay (included in the online application)
- 9. To protect your privacy, all applicant information is confidential and presented to the judges without any names and contact information
- 10. <u>All applicants will be notified in writing whether or not they have been selected to receive</u> <u>a scholarship by the first week in June</u>. High school students may be notified at their spring high school awards ceremonies. Recipients will be asked to confirm the name and address of the school they plan to attend. Award checks will be made out to the college the recipient has selected and mailed directly to the college after enrollment information and student ID have been provided by the recipient.

- 11. Scholarship recipients will be invited to an awards ceremony in their honor at Fairview Lakes Medical Center in Wyoming, June 14, 2022, 7 pm.
- 12. Each applicant will be considered for up to 30 scholarships.
- 13. Contact <u>LakesVolunteers@fairview.org</u> if you have further questions. You may also leave a phone message at 651-982-7773.