

Health Care Foundation Scholarship Mayo Clinic Health System-Springfield

PROCEDURE

1. Scholarships will be presented to high school seniors or graduates who are planning to pursue a career in a health care field. Seniors or graduates from Springfield High School, Red Rock Central High School, Cedar Mountain, Wabasso and Comfrey High School are eligible to apply.
2. All applications must be neatly typed or printed in blue or black ink.
3. Applicants need to:
 - ◆ Complete the Scholarship Application.
 - ◆ Include a current transcript of high school or post-secondary grades
 - ◆ Request two recommendations from an adult and non-relative. One recommendation being from an academic advisor (including an instructor, administrator, or counselor), and the other recommendation being from a non-academic adult (including an employer, clergy, volunteer coordinator, or coach). Both recommendations should be from a source who is aware of the student's accomplishments and interest in the health care field.
 - ◆ Write a one page essay on your interest in health care (see #4)
 - ◆ Provide a resume (see #5)
4. **ESSAY**
On a separate sheet, please type a one page essay in which you include the following:
 - ◆ What influenced your decision to enter a health care field?
 - ◆ What ***qualities and experience*** do you feel you have which will benefit you in your study?
 - ◆ In what ways do you expect your future career will be satisfying and rewarding?
5. **RESUME**
Please include on the resume - high school activities, community activities, volunteer service, work experience, honors, special talents and abilities.
6. A scholarship committee will make the final decision concerning the scholarship recipients. The scholarship awards for seniors will be announced during May and will be awarded following the successful completion of one year of post-secondary study or the completion of the program of study, whichever is less. The scholarship funds for the student currently enrolled at a post-secondary school will be awarded this spring.
7. Applications must be received by April 25, 2018 and mailed to:

Dawn Buddensiek, Exec. Admin. Asst.
Mayo Clinic Health System - Springfield
625 N. Jackson Avenue
Springfield, MN 56087

Health Care Foundation Scholarship Application

1. Name _____

Address _____

Home Telephone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

Check one: _____ High school senior _____ Post-secondary student

Indicate your class rank _____

2. Name of parents or guardians _____

Address (if different from above) _____

3. Name the post-secondary school you currently attend or plan to attend.

4. Which health care field do you plan to enter?

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Health Care Foundation Scholarship – Reference Form

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Please print

Applicant name: _____ Person completing this form: _____

How long have you known the student? _____ In what capacity? _____

In comparison with others in the same age group, how would you rate the applicant for the following qualities?

(Please check one in each category. Utilize the unable to judge column if applicable)

	<u>Below Average</u>	<u>Average</u>	<u>Above Average</u>	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Unable to Judge</u>
Academic potential					
Ability to work independently					
Ability to work with others					
Concern for others					
Conduct					
Dependability					
Effort and persistence					
Enthusiasm					
Integrity					
Leadership skills					
Maturity					
Respect for adults					
Respect of peers					
Resourcefulness					
Self confidence					
Study habits or work habits					

Attach a separate page if needed for the following questions

What two words/qualities best describe this applicant and why? (This question is required for completion of application)

Is there anything else about this student you think is important for the scholarship committee to know?

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