Scholarship FAQs

Who is eligible to receive a scholarship?

- Applicant must be a dependent of a current Gundersen Health System employee or a dependent of that employee's spouse/partner. "Dependent" is defined as someone who meets all the following criteria:
 - Dependent is a daughter, son, stepchild or adopted child
 - Has never been married or emancipated
 - Is or will be a student in the fall semester
 - Is under the age of 25 as of the application deadline
- Applicant will enroll or has enrolled in a college or university as an undergraduate or advanced degree student pursuing a career in a healthcare-related field or is furthering his/her education in a healthcare-related field.
- Applicant is in good academic standing with a GPA of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale.

When are applications available?

Please check this site at the end of January of each year for scholarship application forms and a list of requirements.

How many scholarships are awarded each year?

The scholarship committee determines the number of scholarships and the amount of each based on the quantity of applications received and each applicant's qualifications.

When will I be notified if I am awarded a scholarship?

All applicants are notified via email in August of the award or denial of scholarship funds.

How are scholarship funds applied?

A scholarship check will be sent directly to the college or university pursuant to information provided by the scholarship recipient and should be treated as a scholarship of additional funds to the student.

Are late applications considered?

No. Applications personally delivered after the application deadline or applications that are postmarked after the application deadline will not be considered and will be returned to the applicant unopened. No exceptions will be made.

Questions?

Please call Gundersen Partners at (608) 775-3602 or email sgericks@gundersenhealth.org.