

BUCHANAN COUNTY HEALTH CENTER AUXILIARY HEALTH CAREER SCHOLARSHIP

General

The Buchanan County Health Center Auxiliary is offering six \$1,000 scholarships to assist Buchanan County residents pursuing a career in the human health care field.

- ◆ Three \$1,000 scholarships are available for high school seniors at East Buchanan, Independence, and Jesup High Schools. A student from each high school is eligible for the scholarship if he/she plan to pursue a human health care career. Application process is through Dollars for Scholars at each of the Buchanan County high schools.
- ◆ Two \$1,000 scholarships are available for non-traditional students fulfilling eligibility requirements. Non-traditional students from Buchanan County or who work in Buchanan County pursuing a human health care career may apply. Special consideration will be given to students who have returned to school after working a few years and/or caring for family.
- ◆ One \$1,000 scholarship will be available to a student from Buchanan County already attending a higher education institution, pursuing a degree in a human health care field.

Eligibility

- Applicant must be a resident of or work in Buchanan County. Special consideration may be given to those working at the Buchanan County Health Center.
- Applicant must be accepted into an institution of higher learning with the objective of entering a human healthcare field recognized by members of the Buchanan County Health Center Auxiliary.

Requirements of the BCHC Auxiliary Form

- ◆ One non-family member of the applicant's community needs to write a letter of recommendation.
- ◆ A transcript of most recent grades and SAT or ACT composite scores (if available) should accompany the BCHC application.
- ◆ Descriptive paper that includes ways applicant has been involved in the community and reasons why he/she should be considered for this scholarship.

Application and letters should be sent by April 1 to:

Peggy Magner
417 5th St. NW
Independence, IA 50644

Selection for the BCHC Auxiliary Scholarship

- ◆ A committee of members of the Buchanan County Health Center Auxiliary will review the applications.
- ◆ The committee is not required to award the scholarship if applicants do not meet the criteria.
- ◆ The scholarship recipients will be invited to the Auxiliary's annual Scholarship dinner held in June.

**Buchanan County Hospital Auxiliary Scholarship
Non-Traditional Student Application**

Name _____ Date of application _____

Address _____ County _____

Phone number _____

Last school attended _____

Record of Employment

Organization or company _____ Address _____

Organization or company _____ Address _____

College or vocational school you attend or plan to attend _____

_____ Location _____

Expected date of completion _____

Field of study _____

If you have participated in the Junior Volunteer Program, estimated number of hours volunteered

Along with this application, include the following:

- Your most recent transcript
- Descriptive paper that allows us to know you. Include ways you have been involved in your community and reasons why you should be considered for this scholarship. Be specific.
- Letter of reference. Letter should include evidence of the following: a relationship with the applicant, knowledge of academic achievement or professional success.

Please submit the above to

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Submission Deadline: April 1