

Nursing & Healthcare Excellence Scholarship Awards: *High School Edition*

The Awards

These are competitive awards and the Ascension Borgess Allegan Foundation Scholarship Committee will select recipients based on applications submitted. Applicants must be able to demonstrate a commitment to a career in healthcare and be in good standing at their high school. Scholarship awards will be announced in May. Incomplete applications will not be considered for funding.

Scholarships will be awarded in the following manner:

- Up to two awards (of \$1,000 each) will be made to Allegan High School seniors who plan to attend a post-secondary school offering courses in a healthcare field.
- Two or more awards (of \$1,000 each) will be made to senior students who are attending a high school other than Allegan High School in Ascension Borgess Allegan Hospital's primary and secondary service areas – Bangor, Bloomingdale, Fennville, Gobles, Hamilton, Hopkins, Martin, Otsego, Plainwell, and Wayland. Again, senior students who plan to attend a post-secondary school offering courses in a healthcare field are eligible to apply.

Additional Scholarships:

- Additional scholarships ranging from \$250 - \$750 may also be awarded based on applications received and availability of funds.

Who is Eligible?

Students in good standing in their respective schools and intent on pursuing a career in healthcare are eligible to apply.

Requirements

- In a brief essay no longer than one page, please tell us why you are applying for this scholarship and if received, what you hope to accomplish in the future with your studies in healthcare.
- Please include **two** letters of reference from teachers, school officials, coaches, employers or community leaders.
- Please include your **official** high school transcripts.

Application Deadline

- The third Friday in April. To be considered, applications must be received by the Foundation office on or before this date. Email submissions are welcomed, however all supporting documents must be included with your application for consideration.

Where to Apply

- Visit www.aghfoundation.org and choose respective scholarship application.
- Email or call the Ascension Borgess Allegan Foundation at alleganfoundation@ascension.org or 269.686.4234 for a copy of the application.
- Applications can be mailed, emailed or hand delivered to **Ascension Borgess Allegan Foundation, 555 Linn Street, Allegan, MI 49010; alleganfoundation@ascension.org**.

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