

Gundersen Employees Children's Scholarship FAQs Administered and Funded by Gundersen Partners

Who is eligible to receive a scholarship?

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

When are application forms available?

Please check this site at the end of January of each year for the scholarship requirements, a checklist and application form.

How many scholarships are awarded each year?

Gundersen Partners awards up to twelve \$1,000 scholarships annually to eligible students. Applicants may only be awarded one scholarship; individuals not previously awarded a scholarship may reapply provided eligibility is intact.

What is the process?

The Gundersen Partners Scholarship Committee will review all complete applications that meet eligibility. Selections will be made based on award criteria that includes Scholarship (grades), Healthcare Goal, Character/Citizenship, Transcript, Activities/Work Experience, and References. Applicants will be notified via email of the committee's decision in August.

How are scholarship funds applied?

Scholarship checks are written directly to the educational institution pursuant to information provided by the scholarship recipient and will be treated as a scholarship of additional funds to the student; therefore, the recipient must be enrolled at the time of acceptance, or the scholarship will be forfeited.

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 gundersenpartners@gundersenhealth.org