

ALLEGHENY COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY MEDICAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

A \$4,000 scholarship will be awarded to a qualified medical student.

Eligibility for scholarship applicants:

- Applicant must be a United States citizen.
- Applicant must be a resident of Allegheny County in the state of Pennsylvania for at least 12 months prior to registering as a medical student (not including time spent attending an undergraduate/graduate school in Pennsylvania).
- Applicant must be enrolled full time in a fully accredited Pennsylvania medical school.
- Applicant must be enrolled in or entering his/her third or fourth year of medical school.
- Applicant cannot be a past recipient of the Allegheny County Medical Society Medical Student Scholarship.

Applicant must use the Scholarship Application Portal to submit the following:

1. A completed scholarship application.
2. Two reference letters, from persons other than family members, documenting the applicant's integrity, interpersonal skills, and potential as a future physician. **Note: One reference letter must be from either a medical school professor or a physician.**
3. A letter, on school letterhead, from the applicant's medical school verifying that he/she is enrolled full time as a third- or fourth-year medical student at that institution.
4. An essay addressing the following: ***How do you hope to be involved in your community beyond clinical care of patients? In what ways would you hope to demonstrate leadership as a physician in your community? (500 words or less)***

Online applications open July 1

Application must be submitted by September 30 of the current year.

Applicants will be notified of the committee's decision in November of the current year.

Questions? Contact Foundation staff at:

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