



University of Nebraska Medical Center  
College of Public Health  
Carruth J. Wagner, M.D., Scholarship in Public Health

**Application Form**

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Degree \_\_\_\_\_  
Concentration \_\_\_\_\_

**Eligible Candidates**

Eligible candidates are regularly-enrolled, degree-seeking UNMC COPH students in good academic standing. Scholarship funds shall be applied toward tuition and fees in the subsequent academic year.

**Include the following items with this application form:**

1. A personal essay describing program of study, career goals, and experience related to health promotion and disease prevention (four page limit). The essay should address the following:
  - a. Career plans upon graduation, in five years, and in ten years.
  - b. Views of future public health challenges in the US and globally and how leadership in public health must meet those challenges
  - c. The importance of the scholarship to the applicant's education
  - d. Any additional information the applicant wishes to submit.
2. Two letters of recommendation which address the applicant's academic qualifications, public health career plans, understanding of the future public health challenges in the U.S. and globally, and creative ideas for addressing those challenges.
3. Current academic transcript
4. Curriculum vitae (CV) or resume
5. Digital headshot photograph (jpeg or tiff) and a 150 word biography that could be used in the awards program if selected to receive the award.

Please email application materials to:

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Deadline for submission is **February 27, 2015.**