

## MEDICAL RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP

- Amount:** \$2,500 (3 Awards)  
**Eligibility:** Current college/university students  
**Criteria:** Pursuing advanced degree in medical-related field or undergraduate nursing degree, preference to females, financial need.

The Medical Research Scholarship was established in 2005 by the Medical Research Foundation, Inc.

### CRITERIA

1. Applicants must be pursuing an advanced degree in a medical-related field.
2. Applicants must have completed the appropriate undergraduate education and be currently pursuing an advanced degree in a medical-related field, with the exception of nurses, who may apply as undergraduates. [Undergraduate nursing students doing pre-nursing studies are not eligible to apply; applicants must be in nursing studies to apply.]
3. Preference will be given to 1) female applicants, 2) pursuing careers as physicians and nurses (although all medical majors are welcome to apply), 3) who demonstrate financial need.
4. Applicants may attend the qualified college or university of his/her choice.
5. Continued scholarship funding will be awarded to each recipient each year, up to a period of four (4) years, provided he/she continues to meet the above criteria. This scholarship will not be awarded for more than four (4) years to any one recipient. *Recipients will be asked to submit a renewal application and transcripts by February of each year to continue scholarship funding.*

### APPLICATION

Applicants are required to complete the Lincoln Community Foundation Application Form online at [www.lcf.org](http://www.lcf.org) and submit the form and all required attachments electronically. Applications must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. on March 15th.

#### **Application required attachments:**

1. **College transcript(s)** (copies of transcripts are acceptable).
2. **Medical school entrance exam** or similar exam scores, if applicable.

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3. **Essay:** *1) Explain your progress towards completing your education (including any clerkships, internships, fellowships, etc. in which you may be involved), 2) why you have chosen to pursue a degree in the medical field, and 3) future career goals once you complete your degree.* Your essay should be no more than 500 words and attached on no more than 1 typed page.
4. Financial Information that shows **Expected Family Contribution (EFC) number**, which is on the first page of the applicant's Student Aid Report (SAR).

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

If after submitting their application for this scholarship and before April 31, the applicant should find out that they have been accepted to attend another school of medicine or nursing, please call the Lincoln Community Foundation at (402) 474-2345 or e-mail [robertm@lcf.org](mailto:robertm@lcf.org) to have this information included with their submitted application.

**DEADLINE**

Scholarship applications must be submitted electronically to the Lincoln Community Foundation at [www.lcf.org](http://www.lcf.org) by 11:59 p.m. on March 15th.

**AWARD**

The Lincoln Community Foundation will make the final selection of scholarship recipients.

Scholarship checks will be sent directly to the student's college or university. Scholarship grants can be made only to qualified, nonproprietary institutions.