

# Hope for Healing

## SCHOLARSHIP



### The FHE Health "Hope for Healing" Scholarship

Rates of drug and alcohol addiction and suicide are on the rise in this country, while behavioral health professionals who can meet the urgent need for treatment are in ever shorter supply. Now FHE Health is doing its part to address the problem. The "Hope for Healing" Scholarship is our effort to encourage more of America's best and brightest students to pursue a rewarding and impactful vocation in the field of addiction and mental health treatment.

**Scholarships:** (2) Scholarships, \$5,000 each. One awarded to a college-level applicant, one awarded to a graduate-level applicant

**Award Period:** Continuously accepting applications. Awards presented at least every March.

**Deadline:** Continuously open

**Announcement:** Announcements will happen at least every March

#### Requirements:

##### Undergraduate

Undergraduate Scholarship applicants must be currently enrolled in a four-year degree program or show proof of acceptance to an institution that offers four-year degrees.

Must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher in the last completed academic year at a four-year institution, a GPA of 3.0 or higher in the most recent quarter or semester, or if no college has been completed a 3.5 high school GPA.

Academic focus in the area of mental and behavioral health or psychiatric nursing as demonstrated by a major or minor course of study

##### Graduate

Graduate Scholarship applicants must be currently enrolled in a graduate degree program or show proof of acceptance to an institution that offers Masters and Doctorate degrees.

Must have graduated from an accredited four-year institution with a GPA of 3.0 or higher

Academic focus in an area of study related to mental and behavioral health, nursing or addiction medicine

#### Application Requirements:

- High school or college transcripts
- Proof of current college enrollment or acceptance
- Documentation of course of study
- A typed essay that describes why you are pursuing study in mental and behavioral health, nursing or addiction medicine, and what you want to contribute to the field
- A completed application form

#### The Selection Process

200 qualified applications (100 undergrad 100 grad) will be chosen for review by drawing. Our Scholarship board will review the 200 selected applications for: Academic performance, quality of essay and the applicant's potential for positive impact on the field of mental and behavioral health (as demonstrated by the essay and level of current volunteer activities or employment in the field). Decisions of the Scholarship board are final.

#### Non-Discrimination Policy Disclaimer

FHE Health does not discriminate on any basis, whether by age, race, sex, religion, disability status or sexual orientation. All qualified applicants are given equal consideration and are assessed strictly based on the strength of their application and essay. It is at the sole discretion of our team to select the applicant we feel was most persuasive about why they are pursuing a vocational call to work in the field of addiction and mental health treatment. By applying for the Hope for Healing Scholarship, you agree to FHE Health's privacy policy and disclaimer.

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