



Scholarship Frequently Asked Questions

Who is eligible to apply?

Eligible candidates must be patients of the Hemophilia Center of WNY, in good standing, who are high school seniors, high school (or equivalent) graduates, or students who are currently enrolled in full-time undergraduate, graduate, or vocational institutions of higher education. Candidates must have an overall high school average of 80 or higher or a minimum GPA of 2.5 in order to be eligible to apply. All recipients are eligible to reapply in the subsequent years as long as they are in good standing. This renewal will not be automatic, as each year's applicants will be independently evaluated.

What types of scholarships will be given?

Scholarships will be awarded annually in the categories of vocational, undergraduate, and graduate programs

How much are the scholarship awards?

The amount given will be dependent on the number of applicants, the category of the applicants program, and the discretion of the scholarship committee.

How are award recipients selected?

The recipients will be chosen on the basis of academic performance, responses to application questions, participation in school and community activities, work and/or volunteer experience, recommendations, and personal or family circumstances.

Selection will be based on the evaluation of the applications and the accompanying documentation. The scholarship committee is comprised of board members from the board of directors of the Hemophilia Center of WNY. They will be responsible for reviewing and selecting award recipients. Relatives of committee members or HCWNY staff are eligible to apply only if they are registered patients of the Hemophilia Center.