

James Bogan Health Administration Scholarship

Scholarship Announcement

1. OVERVIEW

The Portage Health Foundation (PHF) is proud to award the James Bogan Health Administration Scholarship to deserving residents of Baraga, Houghton, Keweenaw and Ontonagon counties of Michigan. PHF will award one (1) \$5,000 scholarship to be paid (per scholarship agreement) upon award each year. It is the intention of PHF that the awarding of this scholarship will assist the individual student with the financial costs and burden associated with pursuing a Master's level program that will help advance their careers in the health care sector.

2. REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL SOLICITATION TIMELINE

| April 27, 2018 | RFP Publically Announced |
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| July 13, 2018 3:30pm ET | Applications Due |
| August 10, 2018 | Scholarship to be awarded |

All application information can be found at www.phfgive.org/request-grants.php

3. ELIGIBILITY

The scholarship applicant must meet the following criteria to apply and be considered for funding. Eligible Criteria:

- The student must be enrolled/accepted into a Master's level program in an accredited institution/program of education;
- Acceptable programs include a Master's in Business Administration, Master's in Public Health,
 Master's in Health Administration, Master's in Public Administration; or Master's in Non-profit
 Administration.
- Proof of acceptance must be provided with the application;

- The student must have at least a 3.0 GPA or meet the education institution's minimum GPA and academic requirements for maintenance in the enrolled program;
- The student must be a resident of the four county area identified above;
- The student must be intending to maintain, pursue or advance their career within a healthrelated occupation/administration opportunity;
- The student must submit a cover letter and accompanying essay in support of their application.

4. SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT

The Portage Health Foundation will award one \$5,000.00 scholarship per year to a successful applicant as determined eligible.

5. APPLICATION PROCESS

Interested student-applicants must complete an application form and cover letter as outlined in the application and return to the PHF offices no later than 3:30 ET on July 13, 2018. Late applications will not be considered.

Applications can be mailed to:

Portage Health Foundation 400 Quincy St. - PO Box 299 Hancock, MI 49930

Or submitted via email to:

info@phfgive.org

6. SCHOLAR OBLIGATIONS

If awarded, scholarship recipient understands that s/he:

- must be enrolled/accepted into a Master's level program in an accredited institution of education;
- must provide proof of residence in either Baraga, Houghton, Keweenaw or Ontonagon County (provide a copy of applicants driver license <u>and</u> voter registration card);
- must maintain at least a 3.0 GPA or meet the educational institution's minimum GPA and academic requirements for maintenance in the enrolled program;
- must provide completed W-9 form for tax reporting;
- will receive the distribution of funds as follows:
 <u>Fall Semester</u>: \$2,500 disbursed after official last date to add/drop with a 100% refund with proof of enrollment;

<u>Winter/Spring Semester</u>: \$2,500 – disbursed after official last date to add/drop with a 100% refund and proof of grades from Fall Semester and proof of enrollment;

