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## Health Professions McKenna Urban Health Scholarship Spring 2025 - Information Sheet

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The **McKenna Urban Health Professions Scholarship** can be awarded up to two junior students toward their senior year (2025-2026) tuition.

The following selection criteria will be used in determining qualified recipients:

- *You are a current junior (must be a junior in terms of years of college, not by credit hours)*
- *You are pursuing a future career in medicine or dentistry*
- *You have at least a 3.3 GPA*
- *You are planning to pursue a career in an underserved urban setting or international service*

### **How to Apply**

#### **1. Complete the online Health Professions Student Registration Form**

(submit online: <https://form.jotform.com/212934279082157>)

- Applicants are asked to submit the essay and resume online

#### **2. Essay responses answering the following two questions:**

- What are you doing right now in an underserved urban setting? In the resume, please list current involvement in an underserved urban setting by volunteerism, work, internships, research and/or ministry.
- How have your past experiences led to your desire and preparedness to pursue health professions work in an underserved urban setting?

*The essay may not exceed two pages, and must be double spaced, 11 or 12 pt. font.*

*Note: A copy of the recipient's essay will be given to the donor.*

#### **3. Expanded Resume:**

- This aids the selection committee by providing a profile of your experiences (examples: volunteer and/or community service, research, shadowing, employment, etc.). Please include the approximate hours for each experience. You are welcome to include activities that do not directly apply to medicine/healthcare. *Note: It can be longer than one page.*

**Note:** *The scholarship donation agreement asks the recipient to sign a letter of intent agreeing to pay back the scholarship if they do not complete four years of underserved urban medical service within ten years of graduation from Wheaton College. (Graduates may apply for an extension of the time if extenuating circumstances apply.)*

Your materials should be submitted online by **Thursday, March 20, 2025**. If you have questions or need clarification, please contact the Health Professions Office well before the deadline.