

## *Union City Community Foundation*

# **LARUE OTTAWAY SCHOLARSHIP**

### **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

To provide financial support to students who are pursuing a career in a health care related field.

### ***CRITERIA FOR SCHOLARSHIP***

1. Applicant must be a graduate of Union City High School.
2. Applicant must be a full-time student.
3. Applicant must be studying for a Bachelor's Degree, Associate Degree or an equivalent diploma/certificate program in an area of study for health care.

(Note: Previous scholarship recipients who go on to medical school may continue to apply for financial support on an annual basis and will be considered with other applicants.)

4. Financial need is not a criterion.
5. New applicants must be high school seniors planning to graduate in the year of application with accumulative grade point average of at least 3.0.
6. Previous scholarship recipients who are continuing study in a health care field may re-apply in subsequent years until first degree is attained. Accumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 is required.

### ***SCHOLARSHIP***

1. The scholarship will be awarded once a year.
2. The amount of the scholarship awarded will be determined on an annual basis and will be determined by the funds available in the Scholarship account and by the number of approved applicants in that year.
3. Application must be submitted by May 1<sup>st</sup>.
4. Applications to be reviewed by the Foundation scholarship Committee; no necessity of an interview with the applicants.
5. Award to be disbursed directly to applicant at the beginning of the applied for term.
6. Applicant shall not be required to repay the award received.

### **New Applicant**

1. Complete and return application by May 1<sup>st</sup> to Union City Community Foundation, **Attention Jayne Randall, 459 West 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Erie, PA 16507**
2. Request high school grade transcript be forwarded to the Foundation.
3. Include brief letters of recommendation from **two** teachers familiar with your academic achievements and school involvement (not a Guidance Counselor or High School Principal).

### **Previous Scholarship Recipients**

1. Prior to the May 1<sup>st</sup> deadline send a letter of request to the Union City Community Foundation, **Attention Jayne Randall, 459 West 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Erie, PA 16507**
2. Request a current grade transcript to be forwarded to the Foundation.