

## **UC Davis Health Community Advisory Board Allied Health Career High School Scholarship**

**Academic Year: 2024-2025**

**Application Deadline is April 7, 2025**

### **Purpose of Scholarship**

The UC Davis Health Community Advisory Board is dedicated to encouraging the next generation of health care workers to pursue careers in the allied health field. The UC Davis Health Community Advisory Board will award one scholarship valued at \$1,000. This scholarship is dedicated to applicants who demonstrate commitment to pursuing a career in an allied health field. Allied health is defined as any healthcare-related profession outside of doctors and nurses. Example careers include physical therapy assistant, radiological technician, phlebotomist, lab tech, clinical research coordinator, registered dietitian, etc.

### **About the UC Davis Health Community Advisory Board (CAB)**

UC Davis Health Community Advisory Board members are a representative group of dedicated community volunteers who live in the Sacramento region. Through quarterly board meetings, ongoing committee assignments, and ad hoc working groups, CAB members advise the health system on issues of interest to the broader community.

### **Criteria and Eligibility**

To be eligible for the scholarship, applicants must:

- Be in pursuit of a future allied health care career
- Have a minimum GPA of 2.7
- Be a graduating senior in the 2024-25 academic year
- Attend a high school in the UC Davis Health primary service area (Sacramento, Placer, Yolo, and El Dorado Counties)
- Be enrolled in a four-year college/university, community college or professional trade school in the Fall of 2025
- Complete and submit the scholarship application, requirements, and attachments on or before the deadline of **April 7, 2025** to **hs-community.relations@ucdavis.edu**.

### **Requirements**

- Applicant Information. Fill out and return the application (next page) along with the following items:
  - **Transcript.** Provide a copy of your current high school transcript.
  - **Post High School Education.** Indicate the postsecondary four-year, community college or professional trade school you are planning to attend on the application. If an acceptance letter is available, please provide a copy. If not available, indicate on application that it is not available and state your plans.
  - **Letters of Recommendations.** Include two letters of recommendation. One from an academic teacher; another from someone who can testify to your leadership, integrity, and potential in the health professions. Examples include Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA) advisors, principals, counselors, work-based learning coordinators, supervisors, and employers.
  - **Personal Statement/Essay response.** You must submit a no more than a two-page, single line spaced, typed response to the following information:
    - Describe what allied health field you are most interested in and why. Also describe what has most prepared you for pursuing this career.
    - Describe how you overcame hardship in order to achieve a personal or academic goal.
    - Describe how receiving this scholarship would help you pursue your career goals. How would you utilize the funds to help achieve this?

**Incomplete applications will not be considered, required documents must be attached.**

**\*Winner notified by April 30, 2025\***

# **Applicant Information**

Fillable Form or Please Print Legibly

**Applicant Name (first and last):**

**Mailing Address (number and street):**

**City:**

**Zip Code:**

**Email Address:**

**Telephone:**

**Name of current high school:**

**College you plan to attend:**

**Describe any leadership, employment, or community involvement you have participated in during your high school career (clubs, volunteer work, sports, job, etc.):**