Healthcare Scholarship Application

We are proud to offer scholarship opportunities to five students currently enrolled or planning to enroll in a continuing education program in the healthcare field.

Rules and Eligibility

Scholarship applicants must be residents of the Perham, Battle Lake, Frazee, Henning, or New York Mills school districts. Applicants may be currently enrolled in high school or undergraduate programs. Scholarships will be awarded to those enrolled in a 2-year or 4-year college program or a 1-year technical school program in the healthcare field.*

All information submitted to Perham Health will be coded to maintain anonymity and ensure scholarship recipients are selected objectively. Scholarship recipients will receive their scholarship upon successful completion of at least a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) after the first grading period. Student must forward an official school transcript to Perham Health verifying GPA.

To Apply

1. Complete online application form.
2. Provide proof of enrollment in a post-secondary institution.
3. Provide an official transcript of grades from the last completed semester of study from the current or most recently attended education facility. Transcript must show accumulative GPA.
4. Submit a 750-word (maximum) essay addressing each of the following:
    a. Reason(s) for choosing a healthcare career
    b. Career goals after graduation
    c. Extracurricular activities and community involvement
5. Attach three letters of reference.
6. Include headshot photo. Scholarship recipients' headshots will be used in Perham Health's promotional materials. Application evaluators will not see photos.

DEADLINE: Friday, March 6, 2026, at 4:30 pm

Please contact Renee Sonnenberg at renee.sonnenberg@perhamhealth.org or 218-347-1308 with questions.

* Applicants are eligible for a maximum of two Perham Health scholarships.

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