

2018 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
MYRNA D. SCHLEGEL/AWARE SCHOLARSHIP
OF THE DALLAS FOUNDATION

The Myrna D. Schlegel/AWARE Scholarship was originally established in 1999 to honor Myrna Schlegel, a registered nurse. During her tenure of developing and managing 2500 nursing and retirement beds, she recognized the overwhelming need for trained professionals in the field of gerontology. In 2016, Myrna, in partnership with AWARE (Alzheimer's Women's Association for Resources and Education), transferred the Myrna D. Schlegel/AWARE Scholarship Fund to The Dallas Foundation in order to better orchestrate the details of the scholarship.

Scholarships will be awarded to nursing students who have chosen to devote their careers to work in the field of gerontology, especially dealing with dementia.

Eligibility Requirements:

You are eligible to apply for the Myrna D. Schlegel/AWARE Scholarship if you satisfy the following criteria:

1. You are a U.S. citizen or legal, permanent resident
2. You have been accepted to, or are currently attending an undergraduate or graduate nursing program at Baylor University, Texas Woman's University, or Texas Christian University
3. You have a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
4. You are able to demonstrate a passion for gerontology, and hope to build a career in this field

Please return this completed application form to The Dallas Foundation at the address below no later than April 5, 2018. In addition to this application, please also include a current transcript, your personal essay and a letter of recommendation from a professor or administrator at your university.

Please note, if you are selected as a scholarship recipient, you will be invited to attend an AWARE meeting so that we may get to know you and congratulate you on your achievements.

Please submit your completed application to:

The Dallas Foundation
ATTN: Scholarships
Reagan Place at Old Parkland
3963 Maple Avenue, Suite 390
Dallas, Texas 75219

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(Please type or print neatly in black or blue ink)

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Student Name: _____
Mr./Ms. First MI Last

Permanent Address: _____
Street Address

City State Zip Code

E-mail Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION:

High School: _____

Graduation Date: _____
(month and year)

COLLEGE INFORMATION:

College: _____

Expected Graduation: _____
(month and year)

How many credit hours do you take per semester: _____ Current GPA: _____

Please choose your current course of study

RN BSN MSN Other: _____

CIVIC/COMMUNITY/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE

Please complete the table to indicate your extracurricular activities, awards and recognitions, special talents, community service, and any other noteworthy activities:

Description of activity, award, talent, community service, etc.	Year(s)

WORK HISTORY/EXPERIENCE

Please list any healthcare related work history/experience, with your job duties and approximate hours worked:

Place of employment	Job Duties	Hours per week

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Annual family income (for the twelve months prior to January 1): \$ _____

Parents' marital status: _____ Married _____ Divorced _____ Separated _____ Widowed _____ Single

Number in household including parents and yourself: _____

Number of immediate family members attending college this coming school year (including yourself): _____

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CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:

TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, I, _____,
(please print your name)

HEREBY CERTIFY AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE INFORMATION ON THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

IF I AM AWARDED THIS SCHOLARSHIP AND ACCEPT THIS SCHOLARSHIP, I AUTHORIZE THE DALLAS FOUNDATION TO SHARE MY NAME AND CONTACT INFORMATION WITH THE DONOR OR DONOR REPRESENTATIVE OF THIS SCHOLARSHIP FUND. I AGREE THAT MY NAME, PHOTOGRAPH AND GENERAL STUDENT INFORMATION (HIGH SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY, YEAR, ETC.) MAY BE SHARED IN ANY MEDIA RELEASE PUBLICIZING THE SCHOLARSHIP.

Applicant Signature

Date

Signature of parent or guardian if applicant is under the age of 18

Date

Please submit the following documents by April 5, 2018:

- Completed application form
- Current Transcript
- Personal Essay
- Letter of Recommendation from a professor or administrator at your university

Please note that incomplete applications will not be considered.

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