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MaineGeneral accepting scholarship applications from students in health fields

MaineGeneral Health is now accepting applications for scholarships to individuals pursuing degrees in the health-related disciplines currently practiced at MaineGeneral.

Each year, MaineGeneral Health and individual sponsors offer a number of scholarships to support the education of health care professionals. Scholarship awards are made on the basis of financial need, personal challenge, scholastic achievement and community service.

Qualifying students must live in the MaineGeneral service area. Scholarships of approximately \$500 are generally awarded and announced in May. The deadline for submitting applications is Friday, April 9.

Last year, MaineGeneral Health awarded more than \$18,000 in scholarships to 43 central Maine students studying health care occupations. Scholarship recipients ranged in age from 17 to 48, pursuing degrees in nursing, radiology, pharmacy, occupational therapy, physical therapy, social work and other health care careers.

For more information or to request an application, please call MaineGeneral Health's Office of Philanthropy at 861-8676.