Outside Funding and Scholarship Opportunities

The Albert W. Dent Graduate Student Scholarship is designated for minority students enrolled in their final year of a healthcare management graduate program-MHA, MPH, MBA in Healthcare Administration or similar—with a graduation date between Sept. 1, 2015, and August 31, 2016. Each scholarship is worth $5,000.

The American Industrial Hygiene Association established the Robert Legge Scholarship for any student with demonstrated interest and involvement in the study of Industrial Hygiene and; currently enrolled in a 4-year college or graduate program in the Bay Area that offers course work in industrial hygiene or related studies such as toxicology, environmental health, or ergonomics. If selected, the student will receive an award of $700.00. The deadline to apply is February 20. The application is available in the UC Davis MPH office.

The Association of American Indian Affairs (AAIA) established the Sequoyah Graduate Scholarship for graduate students who are enrolled in federally recognized tribes who are seeking a degree in any curriculum. The Elizabeth and Sherman Asche Memorial Scholarship are for graduate students who are enrolled in federally recognized tribes and who are seeking a degree in health or science curriculums. Each award is $1,500 per school year.

The Captain Jodi Callahan Memorial Scholarship provides a $1,000 scholarship to an active duty Air Force, full time Air national Guard or full time Air Force Reserve (officer or enlisted) pursuing a Master’s Degree in a non-technical field of study.

The Cory L. Richards Memorial Scholarship Program seeks to provide to financial support to excellent students who are seeking advanced degrees in the disciplines of public health or public policy, who plan to devote their careers to advancing public policy related to sexual and reproductive health and rights. Scholarships are offered each year for full-time graduate study at an accredited institution in the United States. If selected, the student will receive an award of $15,000.

The Dr. Alma S. Adams Scholarship for Outreach and Health Communications to Reduce Tobacco Use Among Priority Populations award two $5,000 scholarships to pursue graduate studies at an accredited institution of higher education in the United States. The awards will be granted on a competitive basis for the following: a) a record of commitment to community service on behalf of an underserved community, preferably related to tobacco prevention and/or control and b) the best use of the visual arts, media, creative writing or other creative endeavor to convey culturally appropriate health messages aimed at raising awareness of tobacco’s harmful impact.

The Elliott C. Roberts Scholarship is a $1,000 scholarship opportunity available to first and second year graduate students who are pursuing degree in health care administration or comparable degree program (i.e., MBA, MPH, MHA, MPA, or MSN).

The Foster G. McGaw Graduate Student Scholarship is designated for students enrolled in their final year of health care management graduate program-MHA, MPH, MBA in Healthcare Administration or similar with a graduation date between September 1, 2015, and August 31, 2016. Each scholarship is worth $5,000.
The **Giva Semi-Annual Student Scholarship and Worldwide Community Ambassador Award** is for anyone attending a college or university worldwide. This scholarship grant is aimed at assisting undergraduate and graduate students further their education as well as expand their social responsibility and community service footprint in the world. There is no specific course of study or major required. There are two award cycles each year with deadlines on June 1 and December 1.

The **Hispanic Scholarship Fund: General College Scholarships** are available to full-time graduate students with a Hispanic heritage. The minimum cumulative GPA is 3.0 and must be a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident. Scholarship amounts range from $1,000 to $5,000.

The **National Hispanic Health Professional Student Scholarship Program** is the only national scholarship program targeted at Hispanic students who are committed to careers in health care and enrolled full-time in dental, medical, nursing, public health, policy, physician assistant, pharmacy or podiatry schools.

The **NEWAID Foundation** provides research funding to public health students, encouraging their involvement with traditionally neglected infectious diseases in the developing world. Students and recent MPH graduates may apply for funding to complete projects that generally last between ten to twelve weeks. The amount of individual stipends will vary, with a maximum award of $4,000.

E4FC's **New American Scholars Program** provides financial awards and support services to low-income immigrant undergraduate and graduate students who live or attend school in the San Francisco Bay Area. San Francisco Bay Area is defined as the following 11 counties: Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Solano, Sonoma, and Yolo. Scholarships of up to $7,000 are provided to cover tuition and other expenses. Scholars are selected for their academic excellence, financial need, community impact, and potential contribution to the E4FC community.

**TruFit Good Citizen Scholarship** is awarded to students who volunteer efforts made a difference in their communities. Student must be attending or have been accepted to a federally accredited four-year college, university or graduate program and who are active in community service.

The **Vivian Drenckhahn Student Scholarship** is to provide support to both undergraduate and graduate full time students in their pursuit of a degree in health education. Each year two awards, in the amount of $1,500 each, will be given to students who have demonstrated a commitment to addressing the public’s health through a career in health education, and academic excellence. Applicants must also demonstrate financial need. Active membership in the Society of Public Health Education for at least three months is required.