



COLLEGE OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

JEAN HUDDLESTON MCGETRICK SOROPTIMIST AWARD 2010 INFORMATION SHEET

Background

Jean Huddleston McGetrick is a Registered Nurse who graduated in 1941 from St Michael's Hospital which is affiliated with University of Toronto in Canada. Jean is an active member of Little Company of Mary, whose mission is to care for the sick. Jean has an active schedule visiting homes, hospitals and nursing care facilities. In 2009 she requested that Soroptimist International, Long Beach help her establish this award for Nursing and other Health and Human Services Students at CSULB.

Purpose

To assist students enrolled in a degree program under CSULB's College of Health and Human Services pursuing careers in health care and health related fields. The \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a graduate or undergraduate student who will enter his/her last year of study in the next academic year (2010-2011).

Eligibility

Students must:

1. Have been accepted into a major in the College of Health and Human Services. Priority will be given to qualified Nursing students, but all students in the College of Health and Human Services pursuing careers in health care and health related fields are encouraged to apply.
2. Have completed at least 75 units at the undergraduate level or completed at least one semester in a graduate program.
3. Be in good standing with the University (3.0 GPA).

Application Process

1. Applications are available electronically on <http://www.csulb.edu/scholarships>, under the "Alphabetical Listing." Please **TYPE** the application in Microsoft Word, sign and submit the application, along with all attachments to the Center for Scholarship Information (USU-238) by **THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2010 at 4:00 P.M.**
2. Each application should include the following information:
 - General CHHS application form
 - Statement of financial need
 - Unofficial transcripts from MyCSULB; if previous academic information is not listed, please provide an official transcript from other institutions.
 - Résumé (no longer than 2 pages)
 - Letters of recommendation from two faculty references who have knowledge of the applicant's commitment to Nursing or health care.
 - Personal Statement (no longer than 2 pages, double spaced, 12 pt. font) describing educational/organization membership, community service, leadership, education-related experience and professional objectives. Include any other information you think relevant.

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Criteria

1. Academic excellence as verified in the transcript.
2. Financial need demonstrated on application and statement of financial need.
3. Commitment to a career in nursing or healthcare demonstrated in the personal statement and letters of recommendation.
4. Community/campus involvement in health promotion activities demonstrated in the personal statement.

Selection/Notification Process

1. Members of Soroptimist of Long Beach and a campus representative will evaluate applications and select a recipient.
2. The Dean will announce the scholarship recipients in May, 2010. **Recipients will be expected to write a thank you letter and attend a luncheon on Wednesday, May 12, 2010 at the Grand.**

If you have questions regarding this scholarship, please contact the Center for Scholarship Information at scholarships@csulb.edu.

APPLICATION MATERIALS can be downloaded at : www.CSULB.edu/scholarships

PLEASE NOTE THAT LATE OR INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.