

THE HOWARD G. LAPSLEY Memorial Scholarship Fund for Medical Education

Additional Information

- a. Receipt of scholarship assistance after the first year is contingent upon the recipient's annual reapplication for such assistance as well as a scholastic record of demonstrated good standing. Scholarship renewal is not automatic.
- b. Scholarship recipients may attend any medical or osteopathic school, accredited by the Association of American Medical Colleges or the American Osteopathic Association. Recipients may establish practices in communities of their choice.
- c. Candidates will be notified of Board's decision sometime after June 15. Successful candidates will have their scholarship awards forwarded directly to them by the Muhlenberg Foundation.
- d. The decision with respect to the awarding of scholarships is final.

To Apply

Inquiries and requests for further information and application forms are available from the Muhlenberg Foundation.

Contact:

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The Lapsley Scholarship

Scholarships are awarded yearly by the Muhlenberg Regional Medical Center Board of Directors to provide financial aid to one or more needy candidates matriculating in a program for a career degree in the study of medicine or osteopathy.



Howard G. Lapsley

A resident of Plainfield, New Jersey, Howard G. Lapsley was dedicated to improving the quality of life for all mankind. He was an inventor, electrical engineer, volunteer and member of the adjunct Medical Staff of Muhlenberg from 1957 to 1967. He is most noted for inventing multiple oxygenating devices for the fast care of mass disaster victims. As a memorial to her brother, Josephine Lapsley provided for the establishment of the Howard G. Lapsley Memorial Scholarship.

The Selection Process

The program, administered by a committee, reviews applications and makes final selections. The scope of the scholarship is not limited to tuition, but may also include such fees as those for board, lodging, travel, meals, books and supplies required pursuant to the core curriculum.

Eligibility

The goal of the fund is to assist eligible candidates with financial requirements for the study of medicine or osteopathy.

Eligible candidates must satisfy the following criteria:

- a. Candidates must have been raised (attended or eligible to attend elementary or secondary school) in one of these communities:

Union County

Clark/ Fanwood/ Garwood/ Plainfield/
Scotch Plains/ Westfield

Somerset County

Bridgewater/ Bound Brook/ Green Brook/
North Plainfield/ Somerville

Middlesex County

Dunellen/ Edison/ Iselin/ Metuchen/ Middlesex/
Piscataway/ South Plainfield

Temporary residence while attending college or medical school does not qualify for this purpose.

- b. Candidates shall be eligible for degree in medicine from an accredited medical or osteopathic school. Matriculating students in the first through last year may apply.
- c. Candidates shall demonstrate financial need.
- d. Candidates are required to provide the Board with the FAFSA financial statement.
- e. Candidates must complete and return the application and financial statement forms by **May 1** of the year in which they wish to be considered for scholarship assistance. Applications received after **May 1** will not be considered.
- f. Materials will be accepted in pdf, WORD or Excel formats only.