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The goal of the Elder Quality of Life Healthcare Committee is to enhance existing services and promote new elder care services in southern Gila County. While working in the areas of adult day care, respite care, and hospice care, it became apparent that a major drawback to obtaining any changes or additions in services was the shortage of skilled nursing in the area. The committee decided to attempt to address this shortage by encouraging new nursing students to finish their degree and hopefully stay in the area and use their skills here.

To be provided by the Elder Quality of Life Healthcare Committee:

A) The Elder Quality of Life Healthcare Committee will provide supplemental scholarship funds to be used for books and tuition for students enrolled in the registered nursing program at Gila Community College who meet the following criteria:

- 1) Must be enrolled in the RN program at Gila Community College and have completed Block 1.
- 2) Must have applied for the scholarship available through Gila Community College.
- 3) Must carry a minimum of 3.0 GPA
- 4) Must complete a separate application that includes a letter stating why the student should receive the funds as well as a current letter of recommendation from a current RN instructor.
- 5) Must have a good attendance record.
- 6) Each semester requires a new scholarship application.
- 7) Any requests for funds needed for other than books and tuition will be reviewed and considered on a case-by-case basis.
- 8) Preference will be given to students who indicate their intent to stay and work in the Globe-Miami area.
- 9) All awards are subject to availability of funds.

B) The Elder Quality of Life Healthcare Committee will conduct the reviews of applications and will direct the distribution of funds to Gila Community College on behalf of the awarded student.

C) Award Recipients will be notified within 5 days of the Award Date.

D) Students who meet the above criteria will be considered regardless of race, ethnicity, religion, or gender.

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ELIGIBILITY: Any Gila County student who is attending Gila County Community College at Gila Pueblo or San Carlos Campuses.

APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY July 9, 2014 @ 5:00 PM

Return application to Pinal Mountain Foundation for Higher Education P.O. Box 2656; Globe, Arizona 85502 or drop off at Gila Community College, Gila Pueblo Campus Administration Office. Faxed Applications will not be considered.

THERE WILL BE AN AWARDS CEREMONY ON July 17, 2014 at 3:30 pm IN ROOM 522 AT THE GILA PUEBLO CAMPUS; SIX SHOOTER CANYON; GLOBE, AZ

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Full-time student (will enroll in 12 or more credits): ___Yes ___No

Workforce development student: ___Yes ___No

GPA _____ **STUDENT ID NUMBER:** _____

YOUR PAST OR CURRENT CONTRIBUTION TO THE HEALTHCARE FIELD:

IMPACT OF YOUR SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY:

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EMPLOYMENT/VOLUNTEERISM:

YOUR FUTURE GOALS RELATED TO NURSING:

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE: What other scholarships or grants have you applied for or are receiving.

(If there is not enough space in any of the categories, please attach an additional sheet to the application)

All information provided in this scholarship application is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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