



SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

GRADUATING CLASS OF 2025

- For Allentown, Bethlehem, Wilson, Easton and Phillipsburg Area School District Seniors
- \$1000 Scholarship
- Summer Shadowing Experience with health leaders

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Star Community Health is a Federally Qualified Health Center-Look Alike, with thirteen practices and four mobile dental units, serving over 45,000 patients throughout the Lehigh Valley and Warren County NJ. Star Community Health is committed to providing the highest patient care and fostering community support. In celebration of our continued success in providing quality care to all those in need, we are excited to offer the annual Star Community Health Scholarship.

Star Community Health will offer five high school seniors, planning to attend a two or four-year college, a \$1,000 scholarship. The fund will assist the recipients as they commence their college journey. We understand the importance of education and how it can affect one's long-term health. Higher education can increase job opportunities, leading to better health and quality of life outcomes. We want the best for the youth in the community and believe that the scholarship will help set them on the right path to success.

The scholarship is open for seniors who attend the Allentown, Bethlehem, Wilson, Easton, and Phillipsburg Area School Districts. To apply, students must submit an essay answering: How does education affect the long-term health of an individual and a community?

Scholarship recipients will participate in a 3-day shadowing experience at one of our health centers during the summer of 2025. Through the shadowing experience, students will shadow healthcare industry leaders and meet with clinical administrators and medical and dental providers.



Application to be submitted by **March 15, 2025** by 4 pm to

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- The application needs to include
 - Current High School
 - College/University you will attend fall 2025
 - Intended major/area of study and future career goals and why you plan to pursue them.
 - Essay (1-2 pages) on how education affects the long-term health of an individual and community
- Indicate your availability to participate in a required observation experience 6/23-6/25 or 6/30-7/2 if you are selected.
- Letter of recommendation (1) from a teacher or community leader.

Selected students must complete the following by **May 15, 2025** in order to receive the scholarship:

- Complete and submit required forms:
 - W9 Form (required for scholarship payment)
 - Proof of immunizations
 - Proof of Covid vaccination or attestation of having had Covid infection
 - HIPAA Confidentiality form
 - Attend a 3-day Shadow Experience during one of these timeframes:
6/23-6/25 or 6/30-7/2