



The Foundation's goal is to encourage certain high school students, from specific geographic areas in the State of Hawaii, to obtain a college education.

The specific geographic areas where Hawaii Emergency Physicians Associated, Inc (HEPA) practices Emergency Medicine are:

- Adventist Health Castle (Kailua)
- Wahiawa General Hospital (Wahiawa)
- Kahuku Medical Center (Kahuku)
- Hilo Medical Center (Hilo)
- North Hawaii Community Hospital (Kamuela)
- Hale Ho'ola Hamakua Hospital (Honokaa)
- Molokai General Hospital (Molokai)
- Kauai Veterans Memorial Hospital (Waimea, Kauai)
- Samuel Mahelona Memorial Hospital (Kapaa, Kauai)
- Ka'u Hospital (Pahala)
- Kona Community Hospital (Kealahou)
- Kohala Hospital (Kapaau)

The high school student we are endeavoring to assist is one that, without our assistance, most likely would not attend college. Therefore, our primary criterion for awarding a scholarship is financial hardship. Our goal is not to assist those students who would attend college without our support.

Scholarships are usually awarded at the rate of \$3,000 per student per academic year (\$1,500 per semester).

Student applications are forwarded to the respective hospitals for selection. HEPA is not involved in the selection process.

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