



2025 Lu Mien Student Conference Health Scholarship

The Health Scholarship is an academic scholarship award established by a former IMSC participant. With the aging population and the lack of understanding of Western medicine among many Lu Mien elders, it is crucial to have Lu Mien individuals be represented in the health field to provide a voice for the Lu Mien community and to bridge the gap between traditional and Western medicine. The Health Scholarship was implemented to support Lu Mien students pursuing a career in the health field.

Lu Mien high school seniors and current college students who are pursuing a career in the health field.

Award Amount: \$1000. At least 1 high school senior and 1 college student will be awarded. *Funds will be disbursed after proof of class registration.*

Eligibility

- Lu Mien college/post-secondary students who have maintained an overall GPA of 3.5 or higher and are **currently majoring** in the field of health sciences.
- Lu Mien high school seniors who have maintained an overall GPA of 3.2 or higher and are planning to attend a post-secondary institution with the **intent** of majoring in the health sciences.
- Health sciences include nursing, physical therapist, respiratory therapist, pre-med, dentist, occupational therapist, speech therapist, psychologist, optometrist, x-ray tech, etc.
- ***Previous recipients of the award are ineligible to apply.***

To Apply

Applicants must submit an Lu Mien Student Conference Health Scholarship application along with supporting documents:

- Personal Statement (Refer to the application package for prompts)
- 2 Letters of Recommendation (from a community leader, counselor, employer, supervisor, or teacher/professor)
- Official transcript (with stamped school seal)
- Resume (*Optional*)

Submission Options:

Mail: IMSC Health Scholarship, P.O. Box 245693, Sacramento, CA 95824

Drop Off: Lu Mien Community Services (IMCS) office, 5657 Stockton Blvd, Sacramento, CA 95824

Email: imschealthscholarship@gmail.com

All application packages must be completed and POSTMARKED/RECEIVED by May 2, 2025.

SCHOOL/CLUB ACTIVITIES

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COMMUNITY/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

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PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please type your essay on a separate page and attach it to the application package. **All parts of the prompt must be completed.** The format is **12 point font, double-spaced on 1" margins.**

Please limit your personal statement to **no more than 3 pages total.**

ESSAY PROMPTS (Please answer **ALL** questions.)

1. ***What are your health career goals?***
2. ***Identify one health related concern in the Lu Mien community that needs more understanding or acknowledgement within the Lu Mien community.***

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Include 2 letters of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, community leader, supervisor, or employer. Please ask your recommender to address the following:

- Years of acquaintance
- Your strengths and qualifications
- A personal evaluation of your academic/leadership skills
- Describe your achievements
- Illustrate your potential
- Any substantial information he/she wishes to provide us to aid our selection process

OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT

Please attach an official transcript (with stamped school seal) from your school registrar. *Unofficial transcripts will not be accepted.*

RESUME (Optional)

We highly encourage that you attach a resume to your application package. This may serve to enhance our understanding of your accomplishments and interests.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Thank you for applying for the Lu Mien Student Conference Health Scholarship. We appreciate your time in completing the application and we look forward to reviewing your responses.

Signing here confirms that everything on this application is accurate. Any false information provided may be subject to dismissal of scholarship awards.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE

DATE