



The Jim & Sue Bernstein Health Leadership Dependent Scholarship Application for Academic Year 2023-2024

The Jim and Sue Bernstein Scholarship commemorates the late Jim Bernstein, a national rural health pioneer, who, for more than 30 years, led North Carolina's efforts as a model of innovation for the community-driven care of low-income, under-served and vulnerable NC residents. The scholarship also honors Sue Bernstein, Jim's wife and partner for 40 years, a former teacher and Peace Corps volunteer, who continued to work with school-age and college students as a tutor, mentor, friend and advisor.

To apply for a Jim and Sue Bernstein Scholarship for the 2023-2024 academic year, please complete and submit the online application, collect all required documents, and email them to Nel Edwards at the Foundation for Health Leadership & Innovation.

Documents may be submitted electronically to nel.edwards@foundationhli.org or by USPS to FHLI, 2401 Weston Parkway, Suite 203, Cary, NC 27513. The deadline for submitting applications and documents is 5:00pm on May 26, 2023. Mailed applications and documents must be postmarked by May 26, 2023.

If selected for a scholarship, scholars will be required to submit additional information, including their student ID number, to FHLI. All payments will be made directly to the institution where scholars are enrolled.

Scholarships of \$250-\$2,000 per academic year are available. Level of funding depends on applicant pool, need and factors determined by the Jim Bernstein Health Leadership Committee.

Required application materials:

Completed application (Use the links to the application on page 2 to complete and submit your application.)

Signature (typed) on the affirmation at the end of the application.

A letter of nomination from the center director of your eligible non-profit, community based health center. Each center is given a set of guidelines for making their nominations.

One letter of recommendation from a teacher or adult (not a relative), who knows you.

Current transcript from current school and transcripts from any/all post-secondary schools attended. If you have not yet attended a full year of post-secondary study, please send a high school transcript. Copies are acceptable. Originals or official reports are not needed.





Dependent Scholarship Application links:

https://forms.office.com/r/EF7WhxD5d7

The application must be completed in one session; answers cannot be saved for later.

If need be, you can print the application and complete it manually.

or use this:



Please click "submit" once your application is complete.