



Poffenbarger Allied Health Scholarship Application

BridgeValley Division of Health

The Poffenbarger Scholarship is awarded each semester to 6 nursing/allied health students who have completed at least 15 credit hours at BridgeValley. The successful candidates must demonstrate institutional and/or community service activities and have at least a 3.25 institutional GPA. The award is to be used for tuition and fees, textbooks, and/or other required materials for the chosen program of study within the Health Division.

The amount awarded to each of the 6 students is \$1500.

Eligible Majors

- Dental Hygiene
- Diagnostic Medical Sonography
- Emergency Medical Services – Paramedic
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Lab Tech
- Nuclear Medicine Tech
- Nursing

Application Deadline

Third Friday in April (awarded for the following fall semester)

Third Friday in November (awarded for the following spring semester)

All required items including application must be placed in a single envelope marked “Poffenbarger Scholarship” and submitted to the Office of Financial Aid – Montgomery Campus, Davis Hall 103 or South Charleston campus, Main 012.

A committee will review the applications and announcement of the award will be made. The Financial Aid Office will make a notification of change to students’ MyBridge accounts.

Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must meet the following criteria to be considered

- Be enrolled and in good standing with BridgeValley CTC
- Have declared a major within the Health Division
- Be accepted into their program of choice (if applicable)
- Be a WV resident
- Have a minimum 3.25 GPA (Institutional)
- Have completed a minimum of 15 credit hours at BridgeValley CTC prior to the semester in which the scholarship is awarded

Packet of Evidence Must Include the Following

- Proof of acceptance into selective admission program with the exception of Medical Assistant students
- Two Reference letters - one from a faculty member and one from non-school personnel (no immediate family references)
- Essay (1 – 2 page typed, double spaced discussing why major chosen and/or career goal)
- All high school and college transcripts must be on file at BridgeValley CTC

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Name _____ Student ID _____

Home Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ College Email _____

Declared Major _____ Institutional GPA _____ Overall GPA _____

Credit Hours completed at BridgeValley _____ Credit Hours currently enrolled in _____

Overall Credit Hours completed _____ Anticipated Date of Graduation _____

Have you been accepted into your program of choice? Yes No

List All Colleges Attended _____

List all certificates and degrees completed _____

List Any Honors Awarded

List College and Community Service Activities (student organizations, church, community organizations, etc.)

I hereby verify that all the information provided with this application is accurate.

Signature _____ Date _____