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- Women in Health Programs
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LeadMN represents 180,000 two-year college students in Minnesota to help them transform their lives and communities. We are rebuilding a pathway for students to achieve their American Dream by empowering all students to become strong leaders, engaged community members, and successful professionals.

LeadMN: College Students Connecting for Change

Where to find the application: www.leadmn.org/scholarship

Eligibility:

- Be a current student at one of the Minnesota State colleges or universities (students attending private colleges or the University of Minnesota system are not eligible); and
- Have a cumulative grade point average (G.P.A.) of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale, unless otherwise noted;
- Members of the LeadMN Governing Council are ineligible for a scholarship.

On the webpage, scroll down and click on the box for the scholarship you are interested in applying. You may apply to multiple scholarships.

**** Mark M. Welter 100% American Scholarship, \$500 each:** This scholarship is found with the other scholarships, but because it has its own application, it gets missed. There have been times when money is left on the table because not enough applications have been received. Therefore, six \$500 scholarships will be awarded for the fall semester. Go to <https://www.leadmn.org/mark-m-welter-100-american-scholarship> for additional details and the application.

**** LeadMN Leadership Scholarship, \$1,250 each:** A scholarship that rewards emerging student leaders for their community services for both two-year college and four-year university students. Applicants must demonstrate strong leadership skills and a commitment to serving others. Graduate and PSEO students are ineligible. This scholarship is awarded twice per year.

**** Dr. Steve and Darla Frantz Leadership Endowed Scholarship, \$1,250:** This scholarship program is intended to provide financial assistance to Minnesota State College and Universities (Minnesota State) students who demonstrate leadership in academics, extracurricular activities and community or national service with a priority given to those who are serving or have served in good standing in any branch of the United States Military or other U.S. national service and have exhausted federal and state service related education benefits excluding the Minnesota GI Bill. PSEO students are not eligible for this scholarship. This scholarship is only awarded for the fall semester.

**** Christine Rice Annual Scholarship, \$1,250 each:** Trustee Emeritus Christine Rice knows the importance scholarships play in students' lives. Trustee Emeritus Rice has established this annual scholarship intended for women enrolled in a health-oriented field at one of the Minnesota State two-year colleges. Four scholarships will be awarded annually for fall. Applicants must be a woman enrolled in a health-oriented degree program at a two-year Minnesota State college and have a GPA of 2.5 or higher. Graduate and PSEO students are ineligible.

**** John Kenneth Niemi Endowed Memorial Tool Fund Scholarship, \$500:** This endowed fund will provide funds for tool purchases required for completing a technical course of study for students attending one of the technical colleges or technical programs within the Minnesota State. Preference will be given first to a student enrolled HVAC and if none are received, the student must be in a technical trades program. Applicants must be in good academic standing (2.0 GPA or higher). PSEO students are eligible. This scholarship is awarded twice per year, for fall and spring semesters.

**** Morrie Anderson Endowed Scholarship, \$500:** This scholarship was created to provide scholarship support to students enrolled in a technical program at one of the technical or consolidated colleges within Minnesota State. Applicants must be in good academic standing (2.0 GPA or higher). PSEO students are eligible. This scholarship is awarded for fall semester.

Where is the scholarship application? www.LeadMN.org/scholarship.

Instructions describe how to complete and update the application, how to download letters of recommendation, leadership resume, application letter and statement of need in addition to the "Frequently asked questions" and "Tips"