

**Health Resources and Services Administration**  
*Scholarships for Disadvantaged Students*

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**Website:**

[https://grants.hrsa.gov/2010/Web2External/Interface/Common/EHBDisplayAttachment.aspx?dm\\_rtc=16&dm\\_attid=3d7a0e07-8ba3-4912-bca6-4c4679d4b121](https://grants.hrsa.gov/2010/Web2External/Interface/Common/EHBDisplayAttachment.aspx?dm_rtc=16&dm_attid=3d7a0e07-8ba3-4912-bca6-4c4679d4b121)

**Agency Deadline:** March 3, 2020 (Full Application)

**Internal Deadline:** February 6, 2020

**Submission Limitations:** Emory University may submit up to 3 applications for this program, subject to the following limitations: Multiple applications from an organization with the same DUNS number are allowable; however, *only one application may be submitted per one health profession degree program* (refer to section III of the program announcement). Institutions must not submit a single application for multiple health profession degree programs; rather, each application will represent one discipline. While multiple applications from an institution are allowable, a maximum of three per institution may be funded. Collaborative proposals are not allowed.

**Internal Competition Guidelines:** Interested applicants must submit an abstract of their proposed projects (not to exceed 2 pages) and an NIH-style biosketch via email to Coordinator named above by no later than the internal deadline above for consideration. Please put– **HRSA Scholarships for Disadvantaged Students** - Applicant Name in the subject line of the e-mail. The abstract and biosketch(es) must be submitted in a single PDF file with the abstract first. Please note that written reviews or summary statements from the internal review and selection process will not be available.

This program promotes diversity among the health professions by providing awards to eligible health professions and nursing schools, for schools to provide scholarships to students from disadvantaged backgrounds who have a demonstrated financial need and are enrolled full-time in a health profession program or nursing program. Participating schools are responsible for selecting scholarship recipients, making reasonable determinations of need, and providing scholarships that do not exceed the allowable costs (i.e., tuition, reasonable educational expenses and reasonable living expenses with a cap for the total scholarship award of \$ 40,000).

For-profit nursing and physician assistant schools are eligible to apply under the SDS Program. All other applicants must be public or non-profit private schools. Domestic faith-based and community-based organizations, tribes, and tribal organizations are eligible to apply if all other eligibility requirements are met. A listing of the eligible program disciplines for which individual separate applications can be found in the NOFO.

**Award Ceiling:** **\$650,000**

Funds are to be used for scholarships only. Indirect costs are not allowable. Administrative costs are not allowed. HRSA will consider any application that includes direct or indirect costs for items other than scholarships non-responsive and will not consider it for funding under this notice.

For full information, please see the website noted above.