

## Dr. Jeff Heitner Health Sciences Scholarship Guidelines

Prairie Dental Group has always placed a strong emphasis on personal growth, or as we call it—CANI (Continuous And Never-ending Improvement). As a leader in dentistry for more than 30 years, Dr. Jeff Heitner is an exemplary model of this philosophy. His dedication to continual improvement was apparent through his long-time involvement with the West Suburban Study Club and attendance at countless continuing education meetings throughout the country and abroad. Dr. Heitner's dedication to oral healthcare and efforts to expand his knowledge cultivated admiration and strong relationships with his colleagues within the dental community, his staff, and most of all, his patients. Therefore, Prairie Dental Group has created the Dr. Jeff Heitner Health Science Scholarship.

- The Dr. Jeff Heitner Health Science Scholarship is available in the amount of \$500.
- The scholarship is funded by Prairie Dental Group.
- One applicant is selected annually in the spring.
- The scholarship recipient must currently be a Prairie Dental Group patient pursuing an education in the health sciences at an accredited institute of higher education. This includes high school seniors, as well as those students further along in their health science education.
- The recipient must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale and be considered by the registrar to be a full-time student.
- The scholarship is advertised annually on Prairie Dental Group patient statements, social media outlets, and through communication with local schools.
- The scholarship must be used for educational costs, and the student must be enrolled in the fall semester of the school year for which the scholarship is given.
- **Applications must be received by April 20<sup>th</sup>, online or in person.**
  - Applications must include: application form, educational documents, and essay.
- Completed applications can be mailed or brought to:  
**Prairie Dental Group – PDG Scholarship - 6608 Flying Cloud Drive, Suite 200, Eden Prairie, MN 55344**
- The scholarship winner will be announced and all applicants will be informed of the outcome by May 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- The applicant agrees that if awarded, his/her name and photo may be used in various communications by Prairie Dental Group (i.e. newsletter, website, social media, etc.).

DR. JEFF HEITNER HEALTH SCIENCES SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

<b>APPLICANT INFORMATION</b>	
Name:	
Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY):	Phone:
Current Address:	
City, State, Zip Code:	
Email:	What is the best way for us to contact you? (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Email <input type="checkbox"/> Phone
<b>SCHOOL INFORMATION</b>	
Name of accredited school you will/are attending:	
Specific field of study and/or degree you are seeking:	
School Address:	
School Admissions Phone:	
<b>ESSAY</b>	
<p>Along with this application, please submit your typed response to the following question in 500 words or less.</p> <p><b>Discuss the <u>one</u> attribute you feel is of greatest value for health care providers and why?</b></p>	
<b>EDUCATIONAL DOCUMENTS</b>	
<p>Please enclose your grade report with cumulative GPA for the most recent semester.  A minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale is required to be eligible.</p>	
<b>SIGNATURE</b>	
I verify that the above information is current and accurate. I understand that if I am awarded, my name and photo may be used in various communications by Prairie Dental Group (i.e. newsletter, website, social media, etc.).	
Signature of Applicant:	Date:

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