



## GENE THOMPSON SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

### BECAUSE YOU GAVE...

Words do not adequately express my gratitude, not only for my award, but also for the awards that you have provided for prospective doctors in the past and for those that you will continue to provide. Please know that this not only helps and serves me, but you are also helping and serving all of my future patients with your generosity. Thank you so much for your help in making my dream of becoming a physician come true!

### WITH YOUR SUPPORT, I CAN...

I left behind a stable career in education to become a physician. This scholarship will help reduce the debt that my wife and I will be taking on during time, and make it easier for her to support the two of us. I also would like to try to have a child during this time, and so awards such as this can help make that dream a reality by giving us a more stable financial outlook.

### WHY I CHOSE TTUHSC...

I was attracted to TTUHSC for their family practice programs and their commitment to helping the communities (especially rural and underserved). I wanted to become a member of their FMAT program so that I could help make a difference in my community as quickly as possible. TTUHSC is a fantastic and highly respected university, and I am proud to be a student here.



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Thank you for your investment in my life and the in the lives of other medical students. It is such an honor to receive this scholarship named after two physicians that dedicated themselves to their profession and TTUHSC. As I begin my first year of medical school, I hope to not only perform well academically but to thrive in and contribute to the TTUHSC and Lubbock community. I look forward to my career as a physician and to opportunity to contribute to future physicians as you have chosen to do so.

### WITH YOUR SUPPORT, I CAN...

In my career, I hope to serve a rural area as a family medicine physician. This generous investment to my medical education eases the financial burden that I will experience in my first year of medical school and in my future career in this role. As a medical school student, I am relying on loans to fund my education and this scholarship assists in easing the sometimes intimidating reality of my situation.

### WHY I CHOSE TTUHSC...

I chose TTUHSC SOM because I loved the people that I interacted with in Lubbock and on campus as well as atmosphere of the campus. The people that I met in Lubbock made me feel so welcome and that Lubbock was a community that I could call my home. The student that I stayed with for my interview made my entire experience absolutely wonderful. I know at I am getting a great education at TTUHSC, and am so grateful to be here.



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