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JALI GARZA
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BECAUSE YOU GAVE...

I would like to thank you so much for your selfless act of helping me pursue my dreams. Medical school is a privilege that not everyone gets to experience and scholarships are so helpful for taking the stress off of us and our families. I hope one day I will be able to give back to medical students the same way you are giving back to all of us.

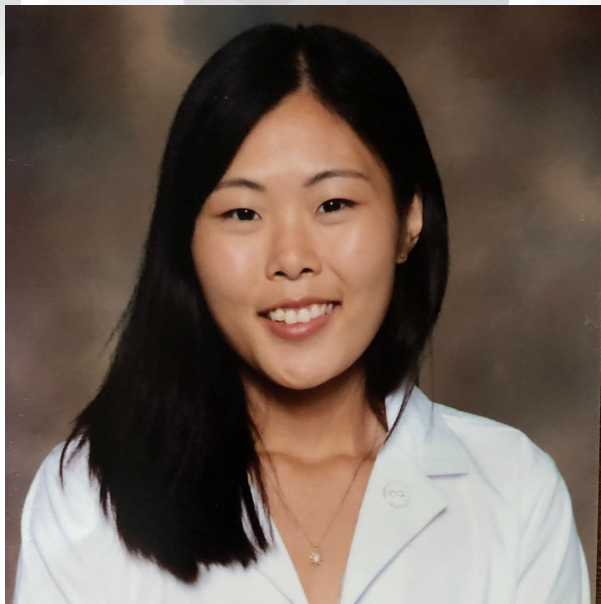
WITH YOUR SUPPORT, I CAN...

Medical school is not a cheap degree to get, so getting scholarships is such a blessing. I am not able to pay for my tuition and must take out loans through the school so my scholarships will go straight toward my tuition. This puts less of a financial burden on my family and I.

WHY I CHOSE TTUHSC...

I went to TTU for my undergrad and felt very at home staying here for med school. I like the family atmosphere of TTUHSC and enjoy studying with my peers without feeling like we are all competing against one another. The education we are getting here is amazing. This is seen by how high our classes' NBME scores are compared to other schools in the country.

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DALYNN KIM
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I want to give my most sincere thank you to the foundation that provided my scholarship. I come from a difficult family background and that has always been one of my greatest motivations in becoming a physician, because I empathize with under-served and less fortunate people and the everyday worries they face when it comes to accessing health care and mental health resources. I hope I will never lose that passion so that I become a physician who treats her patients with respect, dignity, and compassion.

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I came to TTUHSC with already over \$100K in debt from my undergraduate institution because I utilized government fundings to pay for tuition as well as living expenses for 4 years (usually subsisting on \$14,000 a year or less every year) because both my parents are medically disabled and unemployed, and I wanted to focus all of my energy on school and extracurricular activities to be competitive for med school rather than work parttime. This scholarship will help decrease that financial burden, and I am very grateful for that.

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I thought that the history behind TTUHSC's creation was very inspiring-- a medical school built in rural West Texas to help bring more bright and talented minds to serve the under-served people there. I was very impressed by the fact that TTUHSC continues fulfill that legacy, serving over 100 counties, the majority of them still health profession shortage areas, in Texas and New Mexico. I also fell in love with Lubbock's location, being only a couple of hours from beautiful canyons and scenic wildlife.



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