



AMANDA TONEY
School of Nursing

BECAUSE YOU GAVE...

Thank you for making this scholarship possible, as a single mom who has worked toward my education of becoming a nurse for over ten years this opportunity means a lot to me and my daughter. My goals and plans in the future of nursing are to become the competent and compassionate nurse that many need and count on in the medical field. I plan to give back in any way I can and show my daughter that you can achieve your dreams and make a difference in the lives of others.

WITH YOUR SUPPORT, I CAN...

This scholarship will help me pay for educational materials needed to be successful in the program. I will now have relief of some of the financial burdens placed on me due to being a single mom that is trying to make ends meet while pursuing my dream of becoming a nurse. I plan to use the funds to also pay back on loans I used to pay for tuition and fees.

WHY I CHOSE TTUHSC...

I have worked toward becoming a nurse while pursuing not only my education, but also working full time in the field of dialysis in Abilene. TTUHSC was my first choice to accomplish my goals of becoming a nurse and being able to provide care to people of my community. I chose TTUHSC because of the high standards and success rate they have for people like me that want to make a difference in the nursing career. My education through TTUHSC is preparing me for that success by providing clinical opportunities and the instructors having the ability to teach me.





ALICIA SMITH
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I am so very thankful for this scholarship, and it will definitely be helping me with the books I need for this upcoming semester. I am a mom of three, and I waited to go to nursing school until my children were older. I had children at a young age, and being a single mom, it would be too hard at that time in my life. Today I have the full support of my children and feel like this was the right time. Receiving this scholarship shows me this is the right decision.

WITH YOUR SUPPORT, I CAN...

I am so excited and thankful to be receiving this scholarship. This is another step closer to my dream to become a nurse. I will be able to buy the books I need for this semester without the worry if I can afford them. I cannot wait to be a part of the healthcare team and help the community.

WHY I CHOSE TTUHSC...

I chose TTUHSC because of the history of the school. TTUHSC is well known to have great nurses come out of the program. I want to be one of those great nurses one day. I want to be able to tell future students to attend TTUHSC and that they will love it. That TTUHSC taught me how to be ready as a nurse.





ANNE NIBLO SWEETSER

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I want to work as a registered nurse in Abilene. I hope to work in a practice that cares for children or work at the Abilene State Supported Living Center caring for disabled adults. As a parent who has returned to college, there were no available funds in our family budget for college for mom.

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I will pay for a textbook, stethoscope, IV medication reference guide, oral medication reference guide and N95 mask that I charged on my credit card. It is important to have a quality stethoscope for use in our clinical student rotations at the hospital. We work each week under the supervision of an RN coach at the hospital, and each student needs to provide their own equipment.

WHY I CHOSE TTUHSC...

When my child was a toddler, he was non-verbal and could not hold himself upright. Today, my son is a high school honors student. He has grown to 150 lbs. and 76 inches. My son follows a strict medical diet, and he is well today. We have been blessed with miracles that many families with disabled children never see. As a TTUHSC RN, I want to care for children who have not had the opportunities that my child has had to regain health. I want to return the educational investment that Tech has by working as an RN in Abilene.



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JACI CALLAN
School of Nursing

BECAUSE YOU GAVE...

I can not thank you enough for making such a wonderful scholarship available to nursing students such as myself. I am finishing this degree with my children in mind and it is comforting to know there are scholarships that go toward supporting students such as myself that are completing this program while still satisfying their roles as wives and mothers.

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I plan to use this scholarship money towards my textbooks for the summer semester and help towards the remainder of my tuition because the amount I qualified for did not cover the entire cost of tuition. We are a farming family and my salary is the only steady income we have rolling in. Farming has not been great the past few years and we have 2 small children we are supporting as well.

WHY I CHOSE TTUHSC...

I have always wanted to be a Red Raider. I came to Texas from out-of-state and tuition was too high so I chose to complete my Bachelor's at schools with more reasonable tuition to fit my situation at the time. I am now a well-established Texas resident. The TTUHSC Nursing program also has one of the best reputations around and I am so proud to say I am a part of that program.