Application for Presidential Scholarship

The Department of Public Health within the Julia Jones Matthews School of Population and Public Health (JJMSPPH) seeks to recruit and retain public health students who are dedicated to provide service-learning activities in their communities. “Service-learning” is defined as a structured learning experience that combines community service with preparation and reflection.

This scholarship is $5,000 for a year (Fall and Spring).

**Application Deadline:** August 19, 2022.

**Scholarship Requirements**

- Must be enrolled in the Master of Public Health program full time in fall and spring semesters (minimum of nine hours)
- Maintain satisfactory progress on their degree plan and remain in good standing. If a student drops below a 3.0 GPA in one semester, they will lose their scholarship for the next semester.
- Provide a reflection paper at the end of each semester.
- Present final project outcomes at the end of the scholarship.
- Must participate in monthly meetings of scholars.

Name: ______________________________________  TTUHSC ID (R#) ________________

Current Student: ____ New Student: ____ Graduate GPA: _____ Undergrad GPA: _____

Applicant Signature: _____________________________ Date: ________________

**Application Checklist:**

1. Submit no more than a two-page double-spaced (font size 12) written statement describing your interest in **Population and Public Health**. Assuming you had all resources available, how will you solve two of the important public health problems in West Texas.

2. Provide a letter of support from your employer, faculty/mentor or advisor.

State law requires that each student identify any relation to a current Board of Regent member. A student who is related to a current member of the governing board of that institution is prohibited from receiving scholarships unless the scholarship is awarded exclusively based on academic merit or is an athletic scholarship. It is a Class B misdemeanor to file a false statement. Please review a list of current Texas Board of Regent members at [http://www.texastech.edu/bor/](http://www.texastech.edu/bor/) and then select the most appropriate answer below indicating your relation to any of the Board of Regent members.

_____ Yes, I am related to a Regent. _____ No, I am not related to a Regent.

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**Note:** Submit this form along with your written statement and letter to SPPH@ttuhsc.edu.