



Nicklaus Children's Hospital Gold Award Scholarship

Nicklaus Children's Hospital seeks to award a scholarship to a Gold Award Girl Scout who is interested in youth health or a career in the health industry. This \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded to one qualified candidate.

Criteria for Selection:

1. Applicant must be active in Girl Scouts of Tropical Florida for at least 2 years and must exemplify the Girl Scouts mission of courage, confidence, and character.
2. Applicant must have earned/be in the process of earning a Gold Award and provide (1) a short 3-minute video describing the Project and (2) title and a written abstract, limited to 250 words.
3. Applicant must either be 1) in her junior or senior year of high school in Miami-Dade or Monroe and have a GPA of 3.0 or higher (on a 4.0 scale) or be 2) enrolled at an accredited post-secondary institution in the US with a declared health-related major and have a GPA of 3.0 or higher (on a 4.0 scale).
4. The applicant should be interested in pursuing a college degree in a health-related field.
5. Applicant must answer the following prompt questions in at most 250 words each:
 - How has Girl Scouts prepared you for a career in youth health or healthcare?
 - How can you impact your community by pursuing a degree in the above areas?

Deadline for Submission of the Application Packet is May 2, 2025. Top candidates will be called back for a virtual interview in early May. Scholarship award will be announced during the Girl Scouts High Awards Ceremonies on June 8.

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Name:

Address:

City, State, ZIP:

Phone number:

Email:

High School:

GPA as of date of submission:

(For Seniors) College or University attending in the Fall of 2025:

(For Juniors and Seniors) Intended/Declared Major:

(For Freshmen) College/University Attending: _____
Declared Major: _____

Have you earned your Gold Award ? YES or NO

If YES, what year did you earn your Gold Award? _____ (If you will be receiving your Gold Award at the ceremony in 2025, please write 2025)

Please include with your application: ☐ This cover sheet ☐ The answers to the two prompts (with word counts) ☐ A letter from your troop leader attesting that you have been a Girl Scout for at least 2 years and that you exemplify the Girl Scouts values of courage, confidence, and character.

All the information provided is true and to the best of my knowledge:

Signature: _____

Name: _____ Date: _____

Please email the completed application by May 2 to: Lori Ross, GSTF's Chief Mission Delivery Officer at lross@girlscoutsfl.org. Good Luck!