

PATRICIA A. WOODS MEMORIAL AWARD

INTENT

A monetary award given annually to a pre-health professions, Ambler campus undergraduate (current or recently graduated) student who must achieve academic excellence, plan for advanced undergraduate or post-graduate study in allied health or medical professions, and demonstrate a commitment to the health professions through experience or service.

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS

1. Students with sophomore standing or above (30+ semester hours completed), with declared programs of study:

Pre-Health Information Management
Pre-Nursing
Pre-Pharmacy

2. Students with senior standing (90+ semester hours completed) who have expressed intent to pursue study in:

Dentistry
Medicine (Allopathic or Osteopathic)
Occupational Therapy
Optometry
Physical Therapy
Podiatry
Veterinary Medicine

or who are enrolled in the Ambler RN-BSN program.

CRITERIA

1. Temple University Ambler undergraduate
2. Academic standing as defined above
3. Cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or higher
4. Demonstrated service in the health professions or activities related to professional goals:
 - Volunteer or paid positions with a health care provider
 - Participation in internships or educational programs

APPLICATION PROCESS (see attached)

1. Complete a one page Application Form.
2. Submit a one page Essay responding to general questions regarding commitment to the goal of a career in the health professions.

DETERMINATION PROCESS

1. The application deadline will be Monday, March 21, 2011.
2. The Woods Memorial Fund Committee will review completed forms.
3. The prize will be presented annually at the Academic Awards Ceremony.



The Woods Fund Committee will be reviewing your most recent advising document to determine your qualifications. Please sign below to authorize the release of the information.

Signature _____ Date _____

For Office Use Only: Cumulative GPA _____ Semester Hours _____

ESSAY

In the space provided, please respond to the following questions:

Why do you feel you can make a difference as a health care provider? In what ways have you prepared for a career in the health professions?

Return to:
Academic and Career Development
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