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DEADLINES NEAR FOR SUBMITTING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

JAMESTOWN –The N.C. Community Colleges Foundation Scholarships for health careers have been created to assist students attaining associate degrees in health field of high demand.

The scholarships are worth \$1,000 each.

Students must have at least a cumulative 3.0 grade point average, and be enrolled in one of the following programs: Associate Degree Nursing, Dental Hygiene, Emergency Medical Science, Health Information Technology, Medical Assisting, Medical Laboratory Technology, Pharmacy Technology, Physical Therapist Assistant, Respiratory Therapy or Veterinary Medical Technology.

Students can submit applications by Sept. 14 to Enrollment Services, second floor of Medlin Campus Center on the Jamestown campus.

Applications for the following scholarships must be submitted to Enrollment Services no later than 5 p.m., Sept. 11:

- The George W. Ballard Memorial Scholarship for students enrolled in the air conditioning, heating and refrigeration curriculum at a North Carolina community college will pay 90 percent of full-time tuition.

One scholarship, excluding books and fees, will be granted.

Applicants must be eligible for in-state tuition; have a grade point average of “C” or better; and submit an essay stating why this field of study was chosen, and how the scholarship will help them financially attain their educational goal.

- Also available are two Allen Ryan Todd scholarships of \$830 each. Disbursements of the funds will be \$415 for each semester.

The Todd scholarships are for residents of counties designated as “low wealth,” meaning students from Guilford and Forsyth counties are not eligible. The applicant must come from an economically disadvantaged background and must demonstrate financial need by completing the 2009-10 free application for Federal Student Aid.

A grade point average of at least “C” must be maintained; and applicants are required to submit an essay telling why they have chosen their field of study and how the scholarship will help them attain their educational goal.

- Wachovia Technical Scholarship valued at \$500 will be awarded to a fulltime student enrolled in the second year of a two-year educational/technical program. The scholarship will be distributed in \$250 increments, one payment for the fall semester and another for the spring semester.

The applicant must demonstrate scholastic promise, and also must demonstrated financial need by completing the 2009-10 Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

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