



The Golden Care Scholarship

OVERVIEW

The Golden Care Scholarship (TGCS)

Golden Care is Southwest Florida's Premium Home Care Agency. Golden Care is a company where the genuine care and comfort of our clients is our highest mission. We pledge to provide the finest level of home care to our clients. The Golden Care experience enhances the quality of life of our clients, instills well-being, and fulfills even the unexpressed wishes and needs of our clients. Golden Care has pledged to provide 3 scholarships per year to anyone seeking a new career as a Home Health Aide. Candidates must meet the listed criteria and allow the scholarship committee at least 30 days to make a final decision.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants **must meet** the following criteria:

- Must be a local resident of SWFL (this include; Lee, Collier, etc..)
- Must have a financial need – Please see application
- Must desire to work and reside in SWFL upon graduation
- Must enroll at Southwestern Vocational Training for a State approved program
- Must agree to work for Golden Care for at least 12 months
- Must be able to read, write and speak English.

REQUIREMENTS

Candidate can apply for this scholarship throughout the year. The committee has 30 days to review and decide. To be considered, you must submit:

- A **completed Scholarship Application** Form (typed or printed)
- **One-page typed personal essay** describing reason he or she should receive the scholarship
- A copy of **driver's license**
- **2 recommendation letters** – 1 personal and 1 professional
- A copy of **High School or GED** diploma or transcript, if available

- **Proof of registration** at SWVT for a state approved program (receipt, registration receipts are acceptable)

AWARD

- Scholarship applicants **MAY** be interviewed by a scholarship committee if there is a tie in order to make final determination on the scholarship award.
- The Golden Care Scholarship Award recipient will be notified of the selection within 30 days
- Awarded scholarships may only cover tuition or a specific amount may be awarded.
- Student is responsible to pay for all other fees such as State exams and registrations fees etc... that scholarship does not cover.
- Awarded scholarships **must be used within 60** days from the day it was honored

DEADLINE

Candidate can apply for this scholarship throughout the year. Application materials should be sent to:

Submit in person or via mail to the Cape Coral office in a sealed envelope.

Southwestern Vocational Training

Golden Care Scholarship

120 Del Prado Blvd. South. Ste 1

Cape Coral, FL 33990

For more information, contact 239-214-0717 ext 110 or financialhelp@swtfl.com

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT APPLICATION FORM)

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name: _____
Last
First
MI

Present Mailing Address: _____
Street
Apt. #

City
State
Zip Code

Telephone #: _____
Home
Cell
Other

E-mail: _____ Fax #: _____

Date residency in FL began: _____. Addresses where you have resided in SWFL (Proof of legal residency in U.S. to be submitted with application; eg- Driver's license):

Address	Dates

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

High School	Address	Date of Graduation

College, University and/or Professional School	Address	Dates	Degree and Date of Graduation	Major

- List and briefly describe the program of your choice that you'd like to attend at SWVT:

FINANCIAL NEED INFORMATION

- Identify all Financial Aid, Grants, Scholarships, Gifts and other Financial Awards you have or will receive to attend the training mentioned above: _____

- Explain any special circumstances that might warrant a need for this scholarship that are not contained in your prior responses or essay:

- Name and addresses of your parents or legal guardian (for student younger than 19 years old):

Father		Mother	
Name		Name	
Street		Street	
City		City	
State/Zip		State/Zip	
Telephone		Telephone	
E-mail		E-mail	

- Are you currently employed? Yes () No ()
- If yes, state your employer's information below:

Date	Employer	Position	Reason for Leaving

- In an academic setting, have you been subject to disciplinary sanctions, or are charges pending? Yes _____ No _____
- Have you ever been convicted* of a felony? Yes _____ No _____
- Have you ever been convicted* of a misdemeanor (except drunkenness, simple assault, speeding, minor traffic violations, affray, or disturbing the peace) within the last five years? Yes _____ No _____
- Are any charges pending which, if you were to be convicted, would require your answer to either of the previous two questions to be "yes"? Yes _____ No _____

(If any answers are “yes”, please provide details): _____

* Without conviction later being vacated

ESSAY

Please submit a one-page typed essay describing : a) Why should you (the application) be awarded this scholarship b) your professional goals including how you intend to contribute to the community

RECOMMENDATIONS

Two (2) letters of recommendation must be submitted with this application. List the names of the two people submitting recommendations:

Name		Name	
Street		Street	
City		City	
State/Zip		State/Zip	
Telephone		Telephone	
E-mail		E-mail	

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information I have provided on this Application Form and in any attached materials is true and complete.

 Applicant Signature

 Date

Return completed application and requisite materials to:

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Reminder:

Do not contact the scholarship sponsor directly for questions relation to your application

Scholarship is only awarded one time

Selected candidates must complete the chosen program and fulfil all requirements

Candidate who fail to complete or the requirement will be responsible for tuition to SWVT

Diploma/Certificate is not awarded directly to student until he or she meets the requirements