

Coalition For Older Adult Health Promotion Scholarship Program Guidelines

- Our Mission: The purpose of the Coalition For Older Adult Health Promotion (COAHP) is to facilitate opportunities to promote communication and coordination among providers by sharing information and identifying services and needs which impact older adults in southeast Nebraska.
- Scholarship Explanation: COAHP is offering a one-year scholarship(s) or grant(s) up to \$500. The award(s) was created to financially reward an individual(s) with a desire to offer quality services or improve/increase existing services to seniors in the Lincoln Area.
- Application Process: Attached, please find a scholarship application. Once the applicant completes the information, the COAHP's Scholarship Committee requests the application is returned, along with at least two letters of recommendation, to the committee. The Committee also asks that proof of intent be submitted during the interview process.
- Expenses Covered: Coursework, books, certification or license fees will be covered, if and only if, they are documented during the application process. In addition, expenses will only be covered if the items described are part of the ongoing work with seniors.
- Selection Process: The scholarship committee will read through all applications. Members will then select qualified finalists, not to exceed five in number. The finalists will be interviewed by the committee members.
- Decision: After the personal interviews conclude, the committee will select a recipient(s). All finalists will be notified the week following the interview.
- Ceremony: The recipient(s) will be publicly recognized during the Annual October COAHP meeting.
- Follow Up: COAHP Scholarship Committee members will communicate with the recipient throughout the year to receive progress reports to share with members of the COAHP group.