Funded by CommonSpirit Health, Dignity Health Global Education’s (DHGE) partner in workforce development, this scholarship fund was created to promote diversity, equity, and inclusion within the healthcare workforce and the communities it serves. This 2021 fund spans eight certificates and three degree programs that DHGE offers, with over 1,000 scholarships ranging from $1,500–$30,000.

Skills-based Learning Scholarship For All Healthcare Professionals.

Learn More at DHGE.org/scholarship
About the Scholarship

We’re offering over 1,000 scholarships for professionals in healthcare who are interested in advancing their education to invest in their careers and make an impact in their communities. We know you’re busy so we’ve made the application process simple and straightforward to help provide access to the $3 million scholarship from CommonSpirit Health so you can start learning as soon as possible.

How to Apply

• Provide us with your personal details and contact information.

• Share a personal statement between 800—2,000 words.

   How can you make an impact in healthcare with this scholarship? Tell us why you think undergoing continuing education in the program of your interest will contribute to the diversity, equity, and inclusion in your healthcare community and how your organization, team, and colleagues will benefit.

• Optional: Include a link to a video, image, or multimedia file to support your statement.

Scholarship Eligibility

• Open to everyone: ALL current or potential healthcare workers (not just employees of CommonSpirit Health)

• The response to the essay question must be between 800 and 2,000 words

• Applications are accepted on a rolling basis and are required two weeks before the start date

• Eligible for programs between fall of 2021 and spring of 2022

How it Works

• Once you’ve applied, your application will be reviewed by an advisory board.

• You’ll be notified whether your application has been accepted prior to your program start date.

• If you’ve been accepted, we will share details on how to register for the program.

• If you have any questions, please contact scholarships@dhge.org.

Apply Now: dhge.org/scholarship
DHGE is proud to collaborate with CommonSpirit Health and our partner schools to offer career-enhancing and world-class education to healthcare workers. The key to equity is access.”
— Andrew Malley, CEO of DHGE

Eligible Programs: Certificates

Duke CE

Certificate in Nurse Leadership
Start Dates: October, January, April, July
Price: $1,995 $495 with scholarship value of $1,500

This program teaches and empowers nurses to evaluate themselves, lead others, and make dynamic and thoughtful decisions based on an acquired skill set developed by world-leading instructors. Through the program, nurse leaders build their confidence, knowledge, and practical skills as they guide their teams, departments, and organizations into the future.

Duke CE

Certificate in Healthcare Leadership
Start Dates: October, January, April, July
Price: $1,995 $495 with scholarship value of $1,500

This program equips leaders with the mindset, skills, and confidence to lead in a manner that is authentic to who they are. Designed for healthcare professionals seeking to lead in an effective way, this program teaches leaders to evaluate themselves, improve communication, build relationships, and motivate others. Through this online certificate, learners will build their leadership style and confidence to elevate performance and maximize impact.
Certificate in Healthcare Project Management  
Start Dates: October, January, April, July  
Price: $2,995 $995 with scholarship value of $2,000

As healthcare evolves and many initiatives are realized, project management skills become extremely necessary. This certificate will enable learners to understand the essential elements of project management and their application to the healthcare industry. The certificate introduces high-level concepts of Project Management, provides an overview of the different stakeholders and risks, and describes the leadership skills vital to thrive as a successful project manager in healthcare. You will analyze strategies for successful communication, decompose healthcare project scope, and learn how influencing organizational change plays into project success.

Certificate in Innovation in Healthcare Management  
Start Dates: October, January, April, July  
Price: $2,995 $995 with scholarship value of $2,000

Healthcare has experienced enormous leaps of innovation over the past several decades. An innovative mindset in healthcare is needed to improve quality, enhance the patient experience, reduce harm, improve access, increase efficiency, eliminate waste, and lower costs. This program teaches healthcare industry professionals to foster effective, innovative environments and deliver results from new innovations.

Certificate in Healthcare Analytics for Decision-Makers  
Start Dates: October, January, April, July  
Price: $2,995 $995 with scholarship value of $2,000

Participants of this program will gain experience contemplating data, determining informed results, and making evidence-based and data-backed decisions. They will learn to ask the right questions, evaluate data collection schemes, and interpret complex data sets from various sources. Participants will become empowered to leverage healthcare analytics in their organization, influence important decisions, and achieve better results.

Certificate in Healthcare Marketing  
Start Dates: October, January, April, July  
Price: $2,995 $995 with scholarship value of $2,000

This program was designed to equip healthcare professionals with key marketing concepts, tools, and case studies so they can transform patient interactions into positive customer experiences. Developed in collaboration with the Pepperdine Graziadio Business School and with industry experts, the courses are specifically developed for medical marketing and healthcare marketing, which is unlike marketing in any other field, as the strategies are impacting consumer’s health.
Mini-MBA in Healthcare
Start Dates: October, January, April, July
Price: $4,995 $1,495 with scholarship value of $3,500

Today’s health leaders need to have more diversified knowledge than ever before. They need an industry-specific understanding of economics and business, policy and ethics, and decision-making — all while continuing to sharpen their interpersonal skills. Eleven passionate and highly qualified academic experts from the University of Arizona’s Eller Executive Education and Eller College of Management condensed research-based content of an MBA-level into 12 weeks so that you can gain a healthcare-specific business foundation in a short time without sacrificing depth.

Mini-MBA in Rural Healthcare
Start Dates: August, October, January, April
Price: $4,995 $1,495 with scholarship value of $3,500

Rural healthcare comes with a complex and unique set of challenges — at the same time, rural settings offer opportunities for growth and impact that are exponentially higher than those in urban areas. However, traditional healthcare management and business programs often don’t equip health leaders to navigate these environments. DHGE and the University of Arizona’s Eller Executive Education believe that rural healthcare professionals deserve to be empowered to make a true impact on their communities and to pursue a highly fulfilling career. That’s why we’re proud to offer the Mini-MBA in Rural Healthcare, a condensed business management program with a twist, specifically tailored to the needs of rural healthcare professionals.
Master of Global Management (MGM) in Healthcare Services

Start Dates: August and January
Price: $70,000 $40,000 with scholarship value of $30,000

Developed in partnership with DHGE, the online MGM in Healthcare Services with Thunderbird School of Global Management (Thunderbird) at Arizona State University (ASU) prepares health professionals from various backgrounds to tackle the many challenges facing the modern healthcare industry. With an emphasis on international business, participants will learn how to view healthcare from a global context and account for the diversification of supply chains, digital globalization, and varying regulatory structures. Participants will also have access to ASU’s innovation accelerator lab to develop their ideas with like-minded peers, while required practicum experiences will offer a chance to put their new strategies into practice.

RN to BSN Completion

Start Dates: October, January, April, July
Price: From $10,000  Zero-out-of pocket costs*

The RN to BSN Completion program is for licensed registered nurses (RNs) with a diploma or ASN degree to obtain a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN), preparing them for advanced leadership roles. The learning content is rooted in Mercy College of Health Sciences’ values as a Catholic institution of higher education, the heritage of the Sisters of Mercy, and guided by the core values of knowledge, reverence, integrity, compassion, and excellence.

MBA in Healthcare

Start Dates: August and January
Price: $19,379 Zero-out-of pocket costs*

The MBA in Healthcare with Northern Arizona University will prepare the next generation of leaders in healthcare. All of DHGE’s program offerings are developed with thought-leading industry experts and are designed to help students develop skills and gain knowledge that they can apply to their daily work straight away.

*Zero out-of-pocket costs for degree programs under certain conditions with the scholarship where applicants apply for FAFSA grant money, apply for maximum tuition assistance, RN to BSN students enroll in 2 classes per term, and MBA in Healthcare students remain in good academic standing.
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