

**St. Alexius Foundation**

**Continuing Education Scholarships**

*Gay Wallentine Memorial Scholarship*  
*Sarah Ann Haugen Memorial Scholarship*  
*Tony Niemann Scholarship*  
*Brita Eriksen Memorial Scholarship*



**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

The deadline for completing the application process is June 15 of each year. Scholarships are awarded each fall. Send completed applications to:

St. Alexius Foundation  
PO Box 5510  
Bismarck, ND 58506-5510

**General Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Phone: (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work or Cell) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Education:**

**Have you been accepted into a program?** \_\_\_\_\_

**School currently attending or will be attending:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of School City & State Dates Attending

**Post-secondary School(s):** (College, University or Technical)

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Name of School City & State Dates Attended Diploma

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Name of School City & State Dates Attended Diploma

**High School:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of School City & State Dates Attended Diploma

Current G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_ Please include an unofficial transcript with your application.

Are you currently employed? \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Employment \_\_\_\_\_

**Scholarship Applying For:**

- *Gay Wallentine Memorial Scholarship* – nursing students who are residents of North Dakota and pursuing a BSN or MSN – \$1500 (preference given to St. Alexius employees)
- *Sarah Ann Haugen Memorial Scholarship* – paramedic students enrolled in the Bismarck State College – St. Alexius Medical Center Paramedic Program – \$500
- *Tony Niemann Rad Tech Scholarship* – radiology students enrolled in the St. Alexius School of Radiologic Technology – \$250
- *Brita Eriksen Memorial Scholarship* – for students in a health education program conducted by or associated with St. Alexius Medical Center or a St. Alexius employee funding healthcare related continuing education while employed at St. Alexius – \$1500

**Questions:**

1. What are your educational goals?  
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2. What are your professional career goals?  
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3. Where do you plan to pursue your career goals?  
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4. How will your education help you to achieve your career goals?  
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5. How will this scholarship help you finance your education?  
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6. Are you receiving any other financial aid or tuition reimbursement? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Extracurricular, school and/or professional activities:  
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8. Explain why you are a qualified candidate for the scholarship you are applying for:  
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9. Please include at least one letter of recommendation from someone who has played a key role in your education.
10. Essay (500 words): How will this education impact your current profession, community or healthcare of patients?



### ***Gay Wallentine Memorial Scholarship***

The Gay Wallentine Memorial Scholarship was established May 18, 1990 to provide financial assistance to eligible nursing students. It was setup by the family in memory of Gay Wallentine, former director of Critical Care Services at St. Alexius Medical Center. She died suddenly in February of 1990. Preference is given to nursing students who are interested in working at St. Alexius Medical Center.



### ***Sarah Ann Haugen Memorial Scholarship***

The Sarah Ann Haugen Memorial Scholarship was initiated in 2000 by a friend of Mark and Sharol Haugen. Their daughter died suddenly in 1996 at St. Mary's Hospital in Rochester, Minnesota. The goal of this scholarship is to provide financial assistance to qualified paramedic students. Applicants must currently be enrolled in the BSC – St. Alexius Paramedic Program and carry at least a C average on all course work at the end of the summer semester.



### ***Tony Niemann Scholarship***

The Tony Niemann Scholarship is given in memory of Tony Niemann, a former St. Alexius Cardiac Cath Lab RT. Tony graduated in 1966 from the St. Alexius School of Radiology. He was employed at St. Alexius for nearly 35 years and retired in 2004. He passed away shortly after his retirement.

### ***Brita Eriksen Memorial Scholarship***

The Brita Eriksen Memorial Scholarship is for students attending health education programs conducted by St. Alexius Medical Center or inter-related with other area colleges. Such programs may include Radiology, Medical Technology, Anesthesiology and Respiratory Therapy.