

The TORCH Foundation

Announces the Availability of the



2012 Texas MHA Scholarship Award

Award Amount: \$1,000

The TORCH Foundation 2012 Texas MHA Student Scholarship will be awarded to a second year student currently enrolled in an accredited Texas Graduate Program of Healthcare Administration who has demonstrated academic excellence in their program and who aspires to work in the healthcare industry, preferably in a rural area. Applicants must be in good standing and complete the eligibility requirements, as defined on the application form, including submission of a current Graduate Program transcript, resume, a signed letter of recommendation by an instructor or advisor in the Graduate Program of Healthcare Administration, and a personal statement that demonstrates both commitment to healthcare administration and interest in pursuing a career in the healthcare industry.

All materials must be received by: **Friday, March 16, 2012**

To apply, complete the attached application or visit the TORCH Foundation website <http://foundation.torchnet.org/> to download the application form. If you have questions, please contact Dawn Haberkorn, Director of Education & Member Services, at Dawn@torchnet.org or (512) 873-0045.

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2012 Texas MHA Scholarship Application Form

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Scholarship Eligibility – Eligible students must:

- (1) Be a fully admitted/enrolled second-year student (in good standing) in an accredited Graduate Program of Healthcare Administration in Texas, taking 6 or more semester hours;
- (2) Submit this completed application form, a copy of the student's Graduate Program transcript, resume, and a signed recommendation letter by an instructor in the Graduate Program of Healthcare Administration or Program Director; and
- (3) Attach a one page personal statement that demonstrates the applicant's commitment to healthcare administration and interest in pursuing a career in the healthcare industry. (Preference will be given to students intending on pursuing a career in a Texas rural health facility.)

Application Deadline: The completed application and all required documents must be received by the TORCH Foundation by: **Friday, March 16, 2012**

Personal Information:

Full Name: _____

Current Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

State or Country of Official Residence: _____ Current GPA: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

***Please mail, e-mail or fax completed application form and all documents to:**

Dawn Haberkorn

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