

EMPOWER SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Encourage Minority Participation in Occupations with Emphasis on Rehabilitation

**Please send all the application checklist material together in one packet.
Completed applications are accepted if they are postmarked by April 30.**

Qualifications:	Application Checklist:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> The scholarship is open to ethnically diverse students who have been accepted to or enrolled in a post-high school program <input type="checkbox"/> Resident of Minnesota or Western Wisconsin or attending school in Minnesota or Western Wisconsin <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer hours <input type="checkbox"/> Pursuing a career in healthcare <input type="checkbox"/> Minimum GPA of 2.0 on 4.0 scale <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Need 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Completed application <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer service essay <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Need Statement (on application) <input type="checkbox"/> Two Reference Letters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> One from a coordinator of volunteers verifying your service and number of hours <input type="checkbox"/> One personal reference – (i.e. teacher, coach, clergy, employment...) <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of school transcript or acceptance letter

Please print in ink.

PERSONAL

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name
Street Address		City/State/Zip
Telephone with Area Code		Email Address
Ethnic Origin (such as, but not limited to, African, African American, Native American, Asian, Pacific Islander, Hispanic)		

EDUCATION List in chronological order all schools attended, starting with high school.

School	Dates Attended	Major	Degree/Year Awarded	GPA

I have been accepted at the following college, university or technical school(s):

Describe how you anticipate using your educational training:

DISTINCTIONS - List any honors, scholastic or otherwise, that you have achieved or been awarded.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY List most recent work experience first.

Employer	Position	General Duties	Dates Employed (from/to)

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER SERVICE - Please use a separate piece of paper to prepare a 300-400 word essay describing your volunteer experience, including any medical/rehabilitation career-related volunteer roles. Include detailed information about what you did, what you accomplished and gained from your experience and how it will assist you in your future endeavors.

FINANCIAL NEED – Please describe your financial need and how the EMPOWER Scholarship will support your future endeavors.

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Signature

Date

Please mail completed application to:
 Courage Kenny Rehabilitation Institute - Golden Valley Campus
 Volunteer Services – EMPOWER Scholarship, 3915 Golden Valley Road, Minneapolis, MN 55422

If you have questions, please contact Volunteer Services at (612) 775-2728 or email CKRIEMPOWER@allina.com.