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To the Financial Aid Officer:

Please find enclosed the scholarship requirements for the MSCA Auxiliary \$1000 scholarship.

With the ever increasing costs of education, we are happy to offer this to students. Unfortunately, last year we had very few students respond.

Please help our future Chiropractors by spreading the word and making this scholarship visible for all qualified students.

Yours in Health,

Missouri State Chiropractors Auxiliary

**MISSOURI STATE CHIROPRACTORS ASSOCIATION
AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION
AND APPLICATION
2010**

Purpose: The purpose of the Missouri State Chiropractors Association Auxiliary Scholarship Fund awards is to recognize academic excellence and provide financial assistance to Missouri students enrolled in accredited Chiropractic Colleges.

Eligibility/Criteria: Applicant must be a resident of Missouri in good standing at an accredited Chiropractic College in the United States. A minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale is required. The student must be attending school full-time and be in at least his/her fourth quarter or third trimester of study.

The completed Scholarship Application must be accompanied by the following:

1. **A completed, legible, signed application form**
2. **Official recommendation** from the college's Scholarship Committee or Financial Aid office. Must include current GPA and statement of financial standing with the college.
3. **Two letters** of recommendation from faculty members.
4. **Official transcript** showing current GPA.
5. A brief **statement** on why you should be the recipient of the scholarship, including financial need.
6. **One (1) - 500 word essay** on your choice from the following:
 - a. How do you envision Chiropractic in the next 5 years.
 - b. Why did you choose Chiropractic as a career and how do you intend to apply your education after graduation?

Application and additional materials should be mailed to:

MSCA Auxiliary Scholarship Committee
Attn: Julie Pence
P O Box 14154
Parkville MO 64152

****INCOMPLETE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED****

Selection Process: All applications will be reviewed and rated by the Scholarship Committee of the MSCA Auxiliary. At a minimum, the Scholarship committee will consist of three members in good standing of the MSCA Auxiliary.

Notification: 2010 award recipients will be announced during the MSCA Convention Banquet at Chateau on the Lake in Branson, MO July 31st.

Monies will be forwarded and made payable to the school, to be applied towards student's tuition, books or supply expenses.

Award Monetary Value: Two \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded in 2010. This may vary from year to year.

Schedule for the 2010 Scholarship Awards:

June 15, 2010	Deadline for completed scholarship packets to be mailed. Must have a postmark on or before June 15 th , 2010
July 31, 2010	Award Recipients announced at the MSCA Convention
November 1, 2010	Scholarship checks will be <u>mailed</u> to the <u>financial aid office of the school being attended.</u>

If you have any questions, call Julie Pence, 816-853-0986, fax 816-746-5558, or email julie@ripence.com

**Missouri State Chiropractors Association Auxiliary
2010 Scholarship Application Form**

Complete all sections; type or print clearly

General Information

Name: _____ SS#: _____

Present Address: _____

Permanent Residence Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Fax: _____ Email: _____

Are you the financial head of your household? Yes: _____ No: _____

Chiropractic Education

Name of College: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Current GPA: _____

Last Term Completed _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Other Educational Information

List Schools and colleges attended, including high school:

Name	Address	Yrs. Attended	Degree
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Have you ever been on academic probation or has there been any other disciplinary action taken against you or which is pending?

No Yes Please Describe: _____

(Attach separate sheet, if necessary).

Have you received any honors, awards or scholarships?

No Yes Please Describe: _____

(Attach separate sheet, if necessary).

Please describe extra-curricular activities you are involved in at your school (memberships and/or offices held; attach separate sheet if necessary):

Financial Information:

1. What is your total monthly income from all sources, including spousal income?

2. What is your current total in assets (bank accounts, accessible trusts, investments)?

3. What are your total monthly expenditures?

Applicants Signature

Date

Complete all of the following in its entirety:

1. Complete and sign application,
2. (3) Recommendation Letters:
 - a. (1) – Official Recommendation
 - b. (2) – Faculty Recommendations
3. Official Transcript
4. Personal Statement
5. (1) – 500 Word Essay

Mail entire packet to:

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