



CHEROKEE Presents

A NURSE I AM

2009 A Nurse I Am Scholarship Information

To make the film "A Nurse I Am" especially rewarding, Cherokee Uniforms is offering up to 10 scholarships of \$2,000 each for nursing students who complete an application, submit an essay on the required topic, and are judged as winners.

To participate, you will need to have watched either version of "A Nurse I Am" – the 32-minute Educational Version or the 62-minute documentary. *To order the free DVD, call 818-671-2117.*

Notification of Selection: Individuals selected for awards will be notified by letter or e-mail by April 1, 2009. Awardees will be required to submit a signed Authorization to Release Information form, Publicity Release form, Consent to Photograph form, Statement of Enrollment Certification, and a W-9 form (for tax reporting purposes). Cherokee Uniforms will promote scholarship recipients on its website and in the media.

Scholarship Benefits: The Cherokee Uniforms A Nurse I Am Scholarship provides awardees \$2,000 each to pay tuition, fees and other school-related expenses.

Requirements:

- Applicants must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment in an accredited LVN/LPN, RN degree (ADN or BSN), diploma, or RN-to-BSN program, and must begin/ have begun classes no later than Jan. 31, 2009. Enrollment may be on a full-time or part-time basis.
- Applicants' nursing education programs must be located within the 50 U.S. states.
- Must complete the 2009 application and the essay requirement (described on the application) in black ink.
- The essay must be typed and double-spaced in 10 point Times New Roman font.
- In the top left corner of each page, include the following on separate lines: first and last name, contact telephone number, e-mail address, and date.
- Essay word limit: 750 words

Deadline:

The completed application and essay must be postmarked by Feb. 28, 2009.

Mail completed application form and essay to:

Cherokee Uniforms A Nurse I Am Scholarship Program
9800 De Soto Ave.
Chatsworth, CA 91311

Questions?

E-mail: ANurseIAm-Feedback@CherokeeUniforms.com
For more information, visit www.ANurseIAm.com

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Application for Cherokee Uniforms 2009 A Nurse I Am Scholarship

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GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Academic Status Eligibility:

I am enrolled in or have been accepted for enrollment by an accredited nursing education program for the Winter/Spring term 2009, and will begin/ began classes by Jan 31, 2009.

Degree: _____ Graduation Date: _____

3. Current Contact Information:

Address: _____

City: _____
State: _____
Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Alternate Phone: (cell) _____
E-mail: _____

4. Permanent Contact Information:

Address: _____

City: _____
State: _____
Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Alternate Phone: (cell) _____
E-mail: _____



EDUCATION & FILM INFORMATION

5. Number of Nursing School hours you have completed:

_____ Semester hours _____ Quarter hours

6. Information on Nursing School now attending:

Name of Institution: _____

Location of School: _____

Nursing classes now attending: _____

Date first enrolled in this School: _____

7. Where did you view the film "A Nurse I Am"?

In the classroom

Course Name: _____

Instructor's Name: _____

At work.

Title of person who introduced the film: _____

Approximate number who viewed film: _____

Where do you work? _____

Other. Please describe: _____

8. What version(s) of "A Nurse I Am" did you view?

32-minute Educational Version 62-minute Documentary Both Films

9. **Essay Assignment & Requirements:** *(You must address each of these issues in your essay.)* Pick two nurses in the film "A Nurse I Am" and tell how they take their jobs to the next level in order to impact the lives of their patients. In light of a nursing shortage that has the potential to affect staffing levels and the quality of care delivered, how will you rise to the challenge to meet the needs of your patients?

Essay Requirements:

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