

PVH and MCR Foundation 2014 Scholarship Recipients

The PVH and MCR Foundation scholarship program fosters the professional development of University of Colorado Health staff in northern Colorado through matching donors' passion for education with employee academic pursuits.

"Private contributions to our scholarship program empower a high caliber workforce and help to advance health care in our community," said Erica Siemers, senior director.

Annually, a volunteer selection committee evaluates applications based on 1. scholastic ability; 2. financial need; and 3. commitment to profession and UCHealth. The committee establishes an overall ranking for the applicants and then makes final determination for the awards which range from \$500-\$2,000.

A total of \$26,750 was awarded in 2014, equating to 34 scholarships.

Congratulations to the following recipients:

Erin Baer, RN | Cancer Care & Hematology | Bachelor's Nursing | Nussbaumer Oncology Education Endowment

Lydia Baldwin, RN | Nurse Manager, PVH ICU | Master's, Nursing & Leadership in Healthcare | Richard G. Titus Endowed Scholarship

Joel Bitler, RN | PVH ICU | Bachelor's, Nursing | Kelly Jane Harris Scholarship

Shannon Browning | Team Lead Physical Therapist, MCR Rehabilitation | Neurologic Certification | M.A. Mortenson Scholarship Endowment and M & S Fries Scholarship

Kelly Conway, RN | MCR Operating Room | Bachelor's, Nursing | Ornella Malesani Memorial Nursing Scholarship

Catherine Costisick | Patient Care Technician, MCR Emergency Department | Bachelor's, Art Therapy and Social Work | Mountain Crest Scholarship

Allison Covias | Patient Care Transporter-MCR Post Trauma | Associates/Bachelor's, Nursing | Everitt Scholarship

Emily DeLarber | Receptionist, GMC/Peakview | Associates/Bachelor's, Radiologic Technology | Richard G. Titus Endowed Scholarship

Linda Fisher | Director, MCR Volunteer Services | Master's, Organizational Leadership | Healthcare Scholarship Endowment

Kate Johnson | Patient Care Technician, PVH Surgical Unit | Bachelor's, Nursing | Ornella Malesani Memorial Nursing Scholarship

Angela Jones, RN | Nurse Coordinator, Cardiac Cath Lab | Bachelor's, Nursing | Markley Motors Scholarship

Amanda Keith | Phlebotomist-Harmony Lab | Bachelor's, Healthcare Administration | CollegeAmerica Scholarship

Heather Kirby | Registered Dietician Manager | Master's, Healthcare Administration and Management | Richard G. Titus Endowed Scholarship

Erica Knight | Patient Care Technician, MCR Cardiac ICU | Associates/Bachelor's, Nursing | Nellie Cram Scholarship

Jennifer Martin | Data Specialist, Risk Management | Bachelor's, Healthcare Administration/IT Focus | PVHS IS Scholarship

Celia Moelder | EPIC Implementation Specialist | Bachelor's, Information Technology | Markley Motors Scholarship

Karalynne Mohr | MCR Admitting Patient Services Rep, | Master's, Social Work | Monica Potnomy

Meredith Oakley | MCR Patient Transport | Bachelor's, Nursing | Northern Colorado Anesthesia Professionals (NCAP) Endowment

Christy Peters, RN | MCR SICU | Master's, Leadership | Lena Clark Scholarship Endowment

Karlie Ramsay | Patient Care Technician, Float Pool | Bachelor's, Nursing | Martha Scott Trimble Scholarship and Patricia A. Arent Scholarship

Susan Roberts, RN | Revenue Recovery RN, Appeals and Denials | Master's, Nursing and Healthcare Leadership | Northern Colorado Anesthesia Professionals (NCAP) Endowment

Joshua Romero | Patient Care Technician, Resource Services | Bachelor's, Biomedical Engineering with Chemical & Biological Engineering | Linda Gesick Scholarship Endowment and Medical Staff Leadership Endowment

Erni Ruslie, RN | MCR Ortho Spine | Doctorate, Nursing Practice | Richard G. Titus Endowed Scholarship

Benjamin Sackmann | MCR Lead Nuclear Medicine Technologist | Master's, Business Administration | Gwen Licko Scholarship and Richard G. Titus Endowed Scholarship

Ethel Schromberger, RN | Nurse Coordinator, MCR SICU | Bachelor's, Nursing | Ruthie Ann Weyant "CanDo" Scholarship

Heather Skirvin | Patient Care Technician, MCR Emergency Department | Associates, Nursing | Rod Willard Scholarship

Kristen Smith | Patient Care Technician, MCR Emergency Department | Associates, Nursing | Larrabee Scholarship

Cimarron Spitz, RN | Nurse Manager, MCR Operating Room | Master's, Nursing Leadership | MCR Nursing Leadership Scholarship Endowment

Tyler Trum | Contract Coordinator, Payor Relations | Master's, Healthcare Administration and Management, Specialization in Organizational Development | Richard G. Titus Endowed Scholarship

Brian Zink | Diagnostic Imaging Team Leader | Bachelor's, Business Administration | Advanced Medical Imaging Consultants Scholarship