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Student National Pharmaceutical Association Walmart/NPhA Future Leaders in Pharmacy Award

Purpose

The Future Leaders Award, sponsored by Walmart Stores, Inc. was established in 1998 as a career development opportunity for pharmacy students. This experience will provide new skills, a broader view of the operations of Walmart, and a scholarship. Five SNPhA Regional winners will be selected, as well as one National Winner.

Application Procedure & Requirements

1. Qualified applicants will have a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
2. Each applicant should be an active member of SNPhA for consideration.
3. Applicants will submit a resume (detailing experience and activities), and a one-page essay on "The Importance of a Community Pharmacist."
4. Applicants are requested to submit **two** letters of recommendation: one from a teacher/faculty member. The other can be from an employer or someone else familiar with your character. Please do not submit commendations from family members. Both letters of recommendation will be required for consideration.
5. Students entering their final year of pharmacy school are not eligible.
6. Submit **typed** applications to the national headquarters by **January 31st**.

Award

Regional Scholarship Recipients – Five (5) \$2,000 scholarships

- Fifteen applicants (3 per SNPhA region) will be chosen by SNPhA National Office
- Five finalists (1 per SNPhA region) will be chosen by Walmart
- Recipients will have the option to fulfill a store-level internship for one summer
- Recipients will be eligible for the National Scholarship and are requested to attend the SNPhA National Convention for interviews

National Scholarship Recipient – One (1) \$10,000 scholarship

- Recipient will be awarded two installments of \$5,000
- Recipient will be selected and announced at the SNPhA National Convention



Application

***Please type or print all responses**

Student Name: _____

School: _____

School Address: _____

School Telephone: _____

Summer Address: _____

Summer Telephone: _____

E-mail address: _____

Other contact information: _____

Expected graduation date: _____

Qualified applicants will be contacted early in the summer by Walmart for an initial interview. Regional Scholarship Recipients are asked to be present at the National SNPhA/NPhA convention for further interviews in order to be eligible for the National Scholarship. The award will be presented at the national convention.

Applicants are asked to submit a resume, an essay on: "The Importance of a Community Pharmacist", and two (2) Letters of Recommendation to:

Dr. Carmita Coleman, SNPhA National Office
University of the Incarnate Word
4301 Broadway CPO #1203
San Antonio, TX 78209

Applicants may begin to submit applications on October 15, but **no later than January 31**.

I acknowledge that I am interested in the Walmart/NPhA Future Leaders in Pharmacy Award and I am aware of the requirements thereof.

Applicant's Signature

Date

*Applications missing one or both letters of recommendation will not be considered.