

WENDY FROST LAFONTAINE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP IN PHYSICAL THERAPY

The Wendy Frost-LaFontaine Memorial Scholarship in Physical Therapy was established in 1983 by the family and friends of Wendy Frost LaFontaine, who died in January, 1980 while a staff physical therapist at St. Joseph Hospital, Flint, MI. The scholarship will assist students of exceptional merit in the professional preparation program in physical therapy at UM-Flint to complete the terminal portions of the clinical education program.

Scholarship Guidelines:

1. Applicants must be enrolled in their final year of the professional DPT degree program, a resident of the state of Michigan, and exhibit a desire to practice in the state of Michigan.
2. Applicants must be in good standing within the DPT program.
3. Applicants must be assigned to any Campus of the Genesys Health System during PTP 734, Clinical Education IV; PTP 735, Clinical Education V, or PTP 736, Clinical Education VI.
4. Applicants must have a minimum of 5.0 grade point average in the professional DPT degree program.
5. A maximum of 75 percent of the earned scholarship income (or a minimum of \$150, if earnings permit) will be distributed. The remaining 25 percent will be added to the principal to build the number of awards.
6. Applicants will have demonstrated excellent performance in previous clinical assignments.
7. It is anticipated that the applicant will have an excellent performance at the Genesys Health System site.
8. Applicants will have demonstrated personal character and reputation which does honor to UM-Flint, the profession and the community. The applicant has the outstanding potential to make a meaningful contribution to the profession of physical therapy.
9. Awards will be made annually by the governing faculty of the Physical Therapy Department, School of Health Professions and Studies, UM-Flint.

Scholarship Application Requirements:

UM-Flint physical therapy students should apply within the last four weeks of their final clinical affiliation in PTP 736, Clinical Education VI. Applications may be requested from and should be returned to the address below. Eligible applicants will be notified by the Director of the Physical Therapy Department. Awards will be made after successful completion of PTP 736, Clinical Education VI.

University of Michigan-Flint
Physical Therapy Department
School of Health Professions and Studies
303 E. Kearsley Street
Flint, MI 48502-1950

Understanding

1. Report of the financial status of the scholarship will go annually to Lawrence A. LaFontaine and Jack and Maxine Frost.
2. The fund will accept contributions from any and all sources at any time. Donations will be listed anonymously as part of the family's annual financial status report.
3. Should the physical therapy program of study be discontinued at the University of Michigan-Flint, a designated member of the Frost or LaFontaine families will decide to which university activities the principal of the fund will be allocated. In the absence of a designated family member, the University will decide through its standard operating procedures.
4. No public promotion or acknowledgment of the fund by the University will be named-linked to the LaFontaine/Frost families.