Scholarship for Dental Hygiene Students

The Dental Hygiene Associates (DHAI) is proud to announce the Cora Ueland Scholarship for 2022. Four $1,500 awards are granted each year to two first-year and two second-year students.

Eligibility Requirements

- Student must be a member of the California Dental Hygienists' Association (CDHA) and have paid the 2022 student fees.
- Student must be enrolled in an accredited dental hygiene program in California.
- Student must have a grade point average of 3.0 or above (4.0 scale) from the time that they have been enrolled in the dental hygiene curriculum.
- Recipients cannot be DHAI Directors, CDHA Officers, Trustees, employees, or any of their relatives.
- Student must be a Junior or Senior on the deadline date and this is the category they can apply for and be judged. Students cannot be a graduate on the deadline date and apply for the scholarship.

Application Procedure

Complete and submit the 1) Scholarship Application, 2) Program Director Verification Form, and 3) both required essays by April 30, 2022 via email to Lygia Jolley, RDH, BA at dhai@cdha.org. Please refer to the application form for specific details, qualifications, and criteria for submission.

Scholarship award recipients will be notified by email no later than May 20, 2022.
About the Scholarship

The Cora Ueland Scholarship was first established in the 1950s in memory of Cora Ueland, founder, and director of the dental hygiene program at the University of Southern California. In 1988, the CDHA Board of Trustees voted to convert the loan into a scholarship.

To continue the goal of Cora Ueland to support and encourage dental hygiene students, DHAI actively promotes and requests donations from anyone interested in dental hygiene students and education on sites set up on Amazon and Facebook, or on our website. All donations are tax deductible.

About the Dental Hygiene Associates (DHAI)

DHAI is the CDHA's 501(c)3 nonprofit foundation founded in 1980 and actively promotes and accepts donations from those interested in supporting dental hygiene students and education. DHAI raises funds for scholarship to advance educational goals for dental hygiene students and serves as a grant administrator for hygienists and local companies.