

Long Term and Post-Acute Care Education & Scholarship Opportunities



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The Georgia Health Care Association Education & Research Foundation's mission is to promote professional development through education and to attract nurses to long term and post-acute care. Established in 1991, the nursing scholarship program was created to financially assist nurses to obtain or advance their education and to encourage specialization in long term and post-acute care. The program is funded by contributions to and participation in the annual Scholarship Golf Tournament and other donations received throughout the year.

Greater than 300 scholarships have been awarded over the years resulting in clinically competent and dedicated nurses at the bedside of those entrusted to our care. Scholarships are awarded annually and are available to LPN and RN students. In addition to tuition scholarships, nurses who successfully graduate, pass nursing boards and remain employed in a skilled nursing center, are eligible for a bonus. Applications are typically accepted March – May. We invite you to join us in this effort—as a donor or recipient—you will make a difference.



STUDENTS INTERESTED IN ENTERING A FIELD IN WHICH THERE ARE PLENTY OF JOB OPENINGS CAN CHOOSE TO ENROLL IN ONE OF 12 PROGRAMS OF STUDY FOR WHICH FREE TUITION IS AVAILABLE, INCLUDING AN LPN PROGRAM!

The HOPE Career Grant can be the boost a student needs to get started on a rewarding career in a well-paying job, and without accumulating a lot of student debt. To be eligible for the HOPE Career Grant, students must first qualify for and be receiving the HOPE Grant. The two grants together will cover all tuition in 12 programs of study, including licensed practical nursing and health science.



Preparing tomorrow's workforce today – that is the mission of Georgia's College and Career Academies.

Local high schools and their post-secondary partners are joining together to provide the best education possible for the 21st century jobs of today. College and Career Academies are unique learning environments that provide the best opportunities for local communities to focus their educational resources on what is needed in their community and workforce. Certified nursing programs are available through many of the programs and can prepare you to serve as a certified nursing where you can make money and make a difference.

