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## **BOTHWELL FOUNDATION OFFERS SCHOLARSHIP**

The Bothwell Regional Health Center Foundation has announced it will offer a \$500 scholarship to a high school graduate who plans to pursue post-secondary education in a health-related field.

“The Foundation encourages area students to pursue health-related careers and return to the communities we serve to help meet the health-care needs of our region,” said Lisa Church, executive director of the Foundation and Communications. “The Foundation’s Medical Careers Scholarship seeks to reward high-achieving students and help them with education expenses.”

Criteria for the \$500 scholarship includes:

- U.S. citizen and a resident of the Bothwell Regional Health Center market area, roughly defined as a 40-mile radius of Sedalia;
- Successful completion of a high school education or general equivalency diploma;
- Pursuing post-secondary education and enrolled in a health-related course of study;
- Accepted into an accredited post-secondary educational institution.

The deadline for applications is May 4. Applications will be available through high school guidance offices or by calling the Bothwell Foundation at 660-826-6263.

Bothwell Regional Health Center Foundation was formed in 2005 to develop private resources to improve health-care services for the community. It is overseen by a board of directors comprised of community leaders in Pettis and Benton counties.

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