Designated Funds:

**Scholarship 2020 Historical/Background Information Scholarship Awards**

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| **Year started** | **Fund Name** | **Base Qualification Information** | **Qualities necessary for qualification** |
|  |  |  | All are need based funds. Need is determined by the FAFSA on file at the school. We do not require the forms, as the  recommendation serves as verification |
| 2000 | Robert Mitus Scholarship Fund | D3, D4, Senior Hygiene and Assisting students at all qualified and accredited educational institutions  3.2 GPA  Open to U.S. Citizens Only | * Outstanding leadership qualities * Desire to give back to the community in which they do/will reside |
| 2000 | John G. Nolen Scholarship Fund | D3 students attending University of Michigan  3.2 GPA  Open to U.S. Citizens Only | * Having leadership experience on any type of organized activity * Interested in future leadership positions to   promote dentistry |
| 2002 | George L. Bletsas Scholarship Fund | D3 students attending University of Detroit Mercy  3.0 GPA  Open to U.S. Citizens Only | * Having leadership experience on any type of organized activity * Interested in future leadership positions to   promote dentistry |
| 2004 | MDA IFG Scholarship Fund | D4 students attending University of Michigan  3.2 GPA  Open to U.S. Citizens Only | * Outstanding leadership qualities * Interests in giving back to the communities in which   they reside |
| 2004 | William Schumann Scholarship Fund | D4 students attending the University of Detroit Mercy  3.2 GPA  Open to U.S. Citizens Only | * Outstanding leadership qualities * Interests in giving back to the communities in which   they reside |
| 2009 | Genesee District Scholarship Fund | Dental, hygiene and assisting students from Genesee District 3.2 GPA  Must submit a 500 word essay as to qualifications for the scholarship award  Open to U.S. Citizens Only | * Students from Genesee County (as determined by application) * Leadership experience with interests in giving back through organized dentistry * Preference given to those students who will practice in   Genesee County after |

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|  |  |  | graduating, but NOT REQUIRED |
| 2011 | Ray Gist Fund | D3, D4 under-represented populations attending University of Michigan or Detroit Mercy  D2 eligible only if D3 or D4 is not  nominated  3.0 GPA  U.S. Citizens a first priority, others welcome to apply | * Open to all under- represented ethnicities * Award can be used as scholarship or for use at the annual NDA Meeting * Outstanding leadership qualities * Interest in giving back to the communities in which they   reside |
| 2014 | Kinra Endodontic Scholarship Fund | $500 annually to a D3or D4 U of M dental student interested in attending Endodontic School  3.2 GPA  All qualified students welcome to apply | * Student must have interest in Endodontics as a profession * Has interests in teaching others the profession * Interested in giving back * Excellent leadership qualities |
| 2016 | Dr. & Mrs. Stephen Meraw Periodontal Scholarship Fund | $500 annually to a UDM or U of M Periodontal Graduate Student. (This scholarship may follow the recipient for the two year periodontal graduate program)  3.2 GPA  Open to U.S. Citizens Only | * Member of professional association * Interest in leadership |
| 2017 | Washtenaw District Dental Society | Annual Scholarship for a D4 at either UM or UDM  Must be Washtenaw County Resident  Neighboring county eligible only if Washtenaw County residents are not nominated  Must be in good standing with school  3.2 GPA | * Student must submit a personal statement as to why they qualify and are applying for the scholarship * Student must demonstrate financial need by referral from the dean of the school |