



## Bill Meyn Scholarship

**Amount Awarded:** \$2,000.00

**Submission Deadline:** First week in April (this allows the winners to be listed in your graduation commencement programs)

**Requirements:** Graduating high school seniors who have been treated in Colorado or are a sibling of someone who has been treated in Colorado for a life-threatening disease or life-altering event. You must be graduating in the current academic year and plan to attend post-secondary training in the fall. Eligible schools include 2-year or 4-year colleges, universities, or trade schools. You must be 18 or younger to apply.

### Submission Instructions:

**Step 1.** Please fill out our online application, submit a one-page personal essay, a photograph of yourself (senior pictures are preferred but not required), and the contact information for your high school counselor(s).

**Step 2.** After you submit your application, someone at Caruso Family Charities will contact you to schedule an informal interview (live or virtual options available) with one or more of our Bill Meyn Scholarship committee members. Please allow five days for us to contact you after you submit your online application. Interviews with our scholarship candidates will enable us to get to know you deeper and help make our selection process more manageable. Once your interview is complete, we will notify you of our decision within five days.

**Step 3.** If we select you as a Bill Meyn Scholarship winner, you will need to send a copy of your tuition bill to Andrea Caruso at [andrea@carusofamilycharities.org](mailto:andrea@carusofamilycharities.org), who will pay the institution directly. We do not give any money directly to the scholarship winners.

### Post Bill Meyn Scholarship Recipient Requirements:

**Step 1.** Before you begin your second year in college, please provide Caruso Family Charities with a progress report on how your first year went. The progress report should include what classes you took, what you have learned, any other details you would like us to know about your first year, any future academic plans, and any photos from your first year in college. Please send this update to Andrea Caruso at [andrea@carusofamilycharities.org](mailto:andrea@carusofamilycharities.org)

**Please note:** Caruso Family Charities may ask you and your family to attend one of our fundraising events to showcase you and your accomplishments so that our donors can see and hear what their donations helped you achieve. We may also want to post about your achievements on social media or in our fundraising documents, so please be sure to check the box on the application that permits us to use your information publically.

# GOOD LUCK!