

James M. Raczynski, Ph.D. and Martha M. Phillips, Ph.D. Endowed Scholarship
\$1,000 (2)

Drs. Raczynski and Phillips were instrumental in the establishment of the Fay W. Boozman College of Public Health at UAMS. Dr. Jeannette Y. Lee has established the James M. Raczynski, Ph.D. and Martha M. Phillips, Ph.D. Scholarship to encourage students to consider public health as a career path. The public health needs are enormous in Arkansas, the nation, and globally.

Eligibility

Students will be eligible to apply for the scholarship upon meeting the following criteria:

- Incoming or currently enrolled as a degree-seeking student in one of the selected COPH's masters or doctoral degree programs (i.e., MHA, MPH, MS, DrPH and PhD).
- Preference: students with documented financial need.

Application Process and Selection

- Apply for financial aid (if you have not already done so), including completing the FAFSA.
- Provide a copy of Student Aid Report (SAR). All students applying for this scholarship must also apply for financial aid if they have not done so already. Students are **not** required to accept the awarded loans, but a completed [FAFSA](#) is required to generate the aid report that officially documents the financial need of applicants. Please see the [Student Financial Services](#) website for more information.
- Submit all documents as a PDF attachment in an e-mail, subject line "Scholarship Application," addressed to COPH Office of Academic Affairs at COPH_OAA@uams.edu.
- Deadline for submission is **4:00 pm, Monday, March 27, 2023**. Please note deadline date—there will be no exceptions.

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- The recipient will be notified via their UAMS e-mail account in April and will be presented with the award at the COPH Convocation on May 19, 2023. The Award Committee respectfully requests (but does not require) the awardee to attend Convocation to receive the award. Attendance this year will be face-to-face.
- The scholarship will be applied to your student account through the UAMS Bursar's Office.