

# Rural Health Scholars, 2018 Application

The Application Deadline is: **March 15, 2018**

## Overview

The [Rural Health Scholars Program](#) was founded to encourage high school students to consider careers in medicine and health professions while experiencing college firsthand.

## Requirements

- Current junior in high school
- Have a B average or 3.0 GPA or higher
- Taken the ACT (minimum score of 21, but those with at least a 20 are encouraged to apply) or SAT (minimum score of 1080)
- Reside in a rural Alabama community for at least five years
- Have an interest in health care with a desire to return to rural Alabama

## Selection

Participants are selected based on their interests, motivation and personal qualities most suited for becoming future physicians and other health professionals in a rural community. For this reason, applicants are asked for at least two letters of recommendation from individuals familiar with the student's academic record.

## Application Process

If you have questions about this application or the [Rural Health Scholars Program](#), please contact Cynthia Moore [cmoore@ua.edu](mailto:cmoore@ua.edu) (205) 348-3116 . We will be in contact with you as your application is reviewed and final selections are made. Final selections will be made by April 30, 2018.

## Application for Rural Health Scholars Program

[Print Application Form](#)