



## DO YOU KNOW A STUDENT AFFECTED BY BREAST CANCER?

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES ARE AVAILABLE FROM  
THE MILES OF HOPE BREAST CANCER FOUNDATION

Breast cancer can take a terrible toll on a family by taking a loved one, draining financial resources and creating emotional challenges. These scholarships are awarded to help graduating seniors who have been affected by breast cancer and who have turned those challenges into positive action.

### **Scholarship Criteria:**

The purpose of the Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship is to assist students affected by breast cancer in some way. Students meeting the general Miles of Hope scholarship criteria may be considered for the Betty Benecke Memorial Scholarship, the Betty Howard Scholarship or the Michael Benecke Scholarship.

### **Eligibility:**

Students who reside in Columbia, Dutchess, Greene, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Ulster, and Westchester counties and are planning to attend/or be attending an accredited college, university or trade school.

### **Scholarships Available:**

- **General Scholarship:** Scholarship awarded to students affected by breast cancer in some way.
- **Betty Benecke Memorial Scholarship:** Students meeting the Miles of Hope scholarship criteria and pursuing a career in the arts.
- **Betty Howard Scholarship:** Students meeting the Miles of Hope scholarship criteria and who plan to pursue a healthcare related field of study.
- **Michael Benecke Scholarship:** Students meeting the Miles of Hope scholarship criteria and reflect Michael's values of the importance of higher education and love of family and friends.

### **Awards:**

Range from \$1,000-\$3,000. Recipients may re-apply in subsequent years while they are in college.

### **Deadline:**

The deadline for the scholarships is **April 1st**.

### **Applications:**

Go to [www.cfhvny.org](http://www.cfhvny.org) to access the complete scholarship guidelines and to apply through the Scholarship Portal.

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