Dear Juniors and Seniors,

The North Kansas City Hospital (NKCH) Donor Council invites you to participate in our Annual Scholarship Opportunity.

Currently, more than 119,811 individuals nationwide are on the United Network of Organ Sharing recipient waiting list hoping for a life-saving organ. An average of 22 people die every day waiting for the gift of life. The NKCH Donor Council’s mission is to provide each potential donor family the opportunity to make an informed decision, to ensure that all potential donors are identified, to provide recipients life-saving organs and to provide professional and community education.

The following criteria must be met for the application process:

- Create a poster and request approval for it to be displayed at your school in the Month of April, National Organ Donation Month. Submit a picture of the poster to the NKCH Donor Council and notify the committee when it will be displayed.
- Write a 500 word essay explaining the theme of your poster and how you, as an individual, can raise awareness about Organ Donation in your community.
- Provide verified documentation of 8 volunteer hours completed related to Health Care and/or Donation awareness.
- Letter of Recommendation from Non-family member
- The Donor Council will review all entries and pick the top two.
- Applications must be postmarked by March 31 2019.
- Winners will be selected in April.
  - 1st place: $2,000
  - 2nd place: $1,000

Thank you for your interest in furthering donation efforts and increasing awareness in our community. For more information, contact Donor Council Chair: Becky Hoffman at 816-691-5100 (becky.hoffman@nkch.org).

Sincerely,

Becky Hoffman, BSN, RN, CEN, TCRN
Donor Council Chair
NKCH Donate Life Scholarship Entry Form

Requirements:

- Must be a junior or senior attending a Northland High School or a NKCH employee’s child who is a Junior or Senior in high school.
- Design a poster to be displayed at school during National Organ Donation Awareness month in April. The theme of the poster must promote Organ Donation in our community. A picture of the poster must be submitted to the NKCH Donor Council with the dates it will be displayed prior to it being displayed.
- Write a 500 word essay explaining the theme of the poster and what you can do as an individual to promote Organ Donation.
- Provide verifiable documentation of 8 completed volunteer hours related to Health Care and/or Donation awareness. (cannot be verified by a family member)
- Letter of Recommendation from Non-family member.

Two finalists will be chosen to receive scholarships:

1st place - $2,000
2nd place - $1,000

Entry deadline: postmarked by March 31, 2019 and submitted to:

North Kansas City Hospital
Robin Gerhardt, Emergency Department
2800 Clay Edwards Drive
North Kansas City, MO 64116-3281

Student’s Name: __________________________________________________________

Home Address: __________________________________________________________

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Phone Number: ______________________ SSN ______________________

School Name: __________________________________________________________

School Counselor Name & Phone Number: ________________________________

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