

Ronald McDonald House Charities® of the Southwest Scholarship Program

The scholarship program of Ronald McDonald House Charities® (RMHC) of the Southwest has established scholarships honoring two women who have had a significant impact on RMHC of the Southwest during their longtime service to the organization.

Janice Flemmons, Chief Financial Officer, retired in 2016 after 15 years. She was instrumental in establishing the scholarship that bears her name which has provided over \$12,000 to area high school students who have been impacted by RMHC whether through their own childhood illness or that of a sibling.

In 2020, after nearly 14 years of service Dina Jeffries, President and CEO left the organization. The Dina Jeffries Leadership Scholarship was established in honor of her exceptional leadership and unconditional commitment to *Keeping Families Close*.

In keeping with the RMHC® Scholars guidelines, each scholarship is to be awarded to a graduating high school senior, but will have its own unique criteria as described below.

Janice Flemmons Scholarship

With its focus on children's health, this scholarship will be awarded to applicants who have either:

1. Had a serious childhood illness or injury
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2. Had a sibling who had a serious childhood illness or injury which impacted the family.

Applicants must submit the following:

1. RMHC Scholars application (www.RMHCSouthwest.com)
2. A narrative which includes information about the illness and how it has impacted the applicant and his/her family (include information about use of a Ronald McDonald House® or Ronald McDonald Family Room® if applicable)

The Dina Jeffries Leadership Scholarship

Leadership and Commitment are keys to success in business and in life. This scholarship will be awarded to applicants who have:

1. Been actively involved in local/regional leadership program(s) such as Student Council, FCCLA (Family, Career and Community Leaders of America), Lubbock HYPE, Scouting, etc.

Applicants must submit the following:

1. RMHC Scholars leadership application (www.RMHCSouthwest.com)
2. A narrative about the importance of leadership and commitment

**PLEASE ADVISE YOUR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS OF THIS IMPORTANT
SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY**

For additional information, contact Cindy Antonello at 806.744.8877

Please submit completed application along with supporting documentation to
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