



WILLIAM L. IVEY TEAM MEMBER SCHOLARSHIP

About William L. Ivey



William L. Ivey served as the President and Chief Executive Officer of Richland Memorial Hospital (now Prisma Health Richland) from 1975 until his retirement in 1992. His experience – a combination of academics, patient services, hospital administration and comprehensive health planning services – and his personal and professional commitment to affordable, quality health care for everyone enabled him to set a course for Richland Memorial, increasing its size and services to the state while making it a recognized leader in health care.

Upon his retirement, donors to the then Richland Memorial Hospital Foundation created an endowment to support educational initiatives that would develop solutions to health problems in which South Carolina ranks below the national average in outcomes. This endowment is now managed by Prisma Health Midlands Foundation.

William L. Ivey Scholarship Information

The William L. Ivey endowment provides a unique scholarship opportunity for professional development for Prisma Health Richland team members. The scholarship will provide conference registration, hotel accommodations and travel to one of the Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) national or international conferences with the expectation that knowledge gained will be shared with others at Prisma Health and will result in first-hand expertise that will be a tremendous asset to Prisma Health.

Upon returning from the IHI conference, scholarship recipients will present their findings to the Prisma Health Richland Executive Leadership Team and/or the Quality and Patient Safety Committee, the Harm Elimination Team, colleagues, other team members and other appropriate committees.





Timeline and How to Apply:

June 21, 2024	Application will be available on Midlands Foundation website and via Richland Administration	
July 19, 2024	Application due	
Early August	Scholarship winners notified	
Fall 2024 - Spring 2025	Conference travel	

- As long as resources are available, this scholarship will be awarded at the sole discretion of the William L. Ivey Scholarship Selection Committee.
- Applicant must be a full-time or part-time team member of Prisma Health Richland for two full years at time of application. Applicant must be a team member in good standing as verified by a Human Resource review of personnel file. This process is CONFIDENTIAL and will be initiated by the COO's office, not the applicant.
- Applicant must submit one letter of recommendation from supervisor and approved via signature of the Department Director/Department Chair.
- Letters should be in narrative format and speak to the worthiness and attributes
 that qualify applicant for consideration of this scholarship. Letters should be signed
 by the writer and submitted in pdf format via email to
 Paulette.Sessions@PrismaHealth.org
 by stated deadline.
- A recipient is eligible to receive support of up to \$5,000. Scholarship funds may not be retroactively applied and are intended to support 2024-2025 IHI conference registration and travel expenses. When timing allows, recipients must take advantage of Early Bird Registration pricing.
- Scholarship recipients will be required to present a summary of their conference attendance and findings to the Prisma Health Richland COO and leadership team.





Conference Opportunities

Conference	Dates	Location	Eligibility
IHI Forum 2024: Orlando https://www.ihi.org/education/conferences/ihi -forum General conference is Tues/Weds, with option of pre- conference Sunday/Monday workshops	Dec. 8- 11, 2024	Orlando, FL	\$3,000
IHI/BMJ International Forum on Quality and Safety in Healthcare: Brisbane 2024 https://internationalforum.bmj.com/brisbane/ Three-day, in-person conference	Nov. 6- 8, 2024	Brisbane, Australia	\$5,000
The International Forum on Quality and Safety in Healthcare: Utrecht https://internationalforum.bmj.com/international-forum-utrecht-2025/	May 21- 23, 2025	Utrecht, The Netherlands	\$5,000
Patient Safety Congress: TBD, USA https://www.ihi.org/education/conferences IHI will announce date/location in Fall 2024. Historically this has been held in Orlando.	TBD	TBD	\$3,000





Scholarship Recipient Selection

Following the Scholarship Committee's recommendation and the COO's approval, a letter will be sent to each individual recipient.

Scholarship recipients may apply the monetary award to accommodations, registration, and transportation prior to the date of the applicable IHI conference. Upon return to Prisma Health Richland, receipts may be submitted to the PHR Administration office for reimbursement for all allowable expenses: local transportation (taxi, bus, train, etc.); meals (three per day); any non-alcoholic beverages.

Scholarship Pay Back

Each applicant is required to sign a disclaimer form prior to receipt of any scholarship monies. This agreement is only enforced if the requirements of the scholarship are not met. If for some reason the scholarship recipient encounters difficulty in complying with the herein stated requirements, it is important to notify the PHR Administration office as soon as possible.

Please note: Any costs that exceed scholarship amount are the responsibility of award recipient. This includes travel, lodging, food expenses, etc.

Contact person:

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William L. Ivey Team Member Scholarship Application

Please Type

Application Deadline: July 19, 2024

Prisma Health Team Member Information

Name:				
Team Member ID:				
Street Address:				
City:	State:	Zip:		
Home/Cell Number (include area code):				
Work Telephone Number (include area code):				
Prisma Health Employment Date:				
Current Job Tittle:		Dept.:		
Immediate Supervisor:	Title	:		
Other positions head during Prisma Hea	lth employ	ment:		
Applicant Signature:		Date:		





IHI Conference you want to attend:

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IHI Forum 2024: Orlando	Dec. 8-11, 2024	Orlando, FL	\$3,000
IHI/BMJ International Forum on Quality and Safety in Healthcare: Brisbane 2024	Nov. 6-8, 2024	Brisbane, Australia	\$5,000
The International Forum on Quality and Safety in Healthcare: Utrecht	May 21-23, 2025	Utrecht, The Netherlands	\$5,000
Patient Safety Congress: TBD, USA	TBD	TBD	\$3,000

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applied and	d, what are your learning objectives at the conference to which you have how will what you learn be used to improve the care we provide to all a daily basis? (Please Type. Feel free to attach your answers.)
2. How will t	his assist in your professional development and growth? (Please Type. Feel
	h your answers.)





Applicant Budget Plan: Indicate a plan for how funds will be used to support registration, transportation to and from venue, lodging and meals. Please note that team members are expected to follow guidelines in Prisma Health's Business Travel and Expense Policy -

Total Expense	Name of Company/Facility	Category (e.g. Registration, airfare, local transportation, lodging, meals)	Dates of Use
(for office use only)			

(for office use only) Date Application Received:	References Received:
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HR Clearance: YES or NO	
Reviewer Name:	Date:

DISCLAIMER: If adequate funds are available, this scholarship will be awarded at the sole discretion of the William L.Ivey Scholarship Selection Committee. Receipt of the scholarship by a Team Member one-year does not guarantee receipt in future years. Funds may be subject to federal, state and local income taxes.

Please submit your application to:

WILLIAM L. IVEY TEAM MEMBER SCHOLARSHIP

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