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R. JAIME H. RIVERA-VELEZ AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE

This award serves to recognize and reward active LMSA-NE members for their participation in furthering the goals of the organization and dedication spent serving the Latino community. The scholarship will be awarded twice a year. The scholarship winner will be presented with a Certificate of Achievement along with a scholarship in the amount of up to **\$500** at the Fall House of Delegates Meeting and at the Annual LMSA-NE Regional Conference, hosted by the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai in NY, NY.

Eligibility

Only active LMSA members that are currently enrolled in an accredited medical school are eligible to apply. Applicants must also attend the House of Delegates Meeting, held during the Annual Regional Conference to be eligible for the award.* Applications must include:

- 1) One-page essay detailing your involvement with LMSA-NE throughout the year and a discussion of the projects, events, or other service work you have done to further promote the health and well being of Latinos in the community.
- 2) One-page statement of support from a faculty advisor, dean of minority or student affairs, or community service project manager.

* *If you are unable to attend the Fall or Spring House of Delegates, you must contact us at least one week before the event with the name of the proxy representative from your affiliated chapter.*

Submission Instructions

All statements and letters of confirmation must be sent electronically to directorelect.northeast@lmsa.net by the end of the day of the specified deadline (refer to lmsane.org for all deadlines). Late entries will not be accepted. For more information regarding this scholarship, or if you have any questions please feel free to contact us at the above email address.

We encourage all members to apply for this scholarship and be recognized for outstanding contributions to the advancement of Latino health and education! Good luck!