## The Rose M. Smith Scholarship for Nursing Education

## Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the Rose M. Smith Scholarship for Nursing Education. This scholarship program is made possible through private donations to the Rose M. Smith Scholarship for Nursing Education Fund.

This is a special program for LVN's who wish to become a Registered Nurse (RN) and for RN's to pursue advanced studies (BSN, MSN, or MBA) in the nursing profession. Scholarships of \$1,000 are available to Registered Nurses and Licensed Vocational Nurses who have enrolled, or are enrolling, in accredited college courses. Applicants must be employed full time or part time and actively at work (not on a leave of absence). Applicants must also have fulfilled a minimum of six months' continuous service with their current employer.

Please complete the attached scholarship application and submit it to EMC Health Inc., 2881 Geer Road Suite A, Turlock CA 95382 no later than June 28, 2019.

We look forward to receiving your application documents. Please do not hesitate to contact me at (209) 664-5180 should you have questions or need assistance with the application process.

Sincerely,

Linda Stuhmer

President and CEO

EMC Health, Inc.

## Rose M. Smith

Rose M. Smith was a lifelong supporter of Emanuel Medical Center. She offered not only financial support, but was a true servant and worked tirelessly for the cause of healthcare and good will in our area.

Leaving her home state of Nebraska, Rose and her family came to Turlock in 1915. She and James H. Smith were married in 1916. They soon became active in farming and agriculture, specializing in the growth and distribution of melons.

Rose's relationship with Emanuel began as a patient with the birth of her two children, Marian and Donald. Throughout the decades, four generations descending from Rose have been brought into the world by the skilled hands of Emanuel physicians and nursing staff.

Rose always demonstrated a keen interest in nursing, perhaps explaining why hospital work was so close to the heart. As one of the founders of the Emanuel Auxiliary, Rose became the second Auxiliary President, with her tenure lasting over a decade.

Under Rose's leadership as Auxiliary President, the Emanuel Gift Shop was established, as was Emanuel Thrift Store. Due in large part to Rose's personal contributions, Emanuel was able to purchase the Thrift Store building at 601 East Main Street.

It is with great pleasure that Rose M. Smith's family along with EMC Health Inc., have established **The Rose M. Smith Scholarship for Nursing Education.** The Scholarship will enable us to continue Rose's leadership within the community.

EMC Health Inc., gratefully acknowledges the leadership provided by Rose M. Smith. Her legacy of devotion and generosity lives on in those she continues to touch. The Rose M. Smith Scholarship for Nursing Education truly exemplifies Rose's commitment to Emanuel Medical Center and to the people of Turlock and the surrounding area.

## The Rose M. Smith Scholarship for Nursing Education APPLICATION

Application deadline is June 28, 2019

Return completed application to EMC Health Inc., 2881 Geer Road Suite A, Turlock CA 95382

NAME Last: First:	
ADDRESS Street:	
City: State:	Zip:
<b>PHONE</b> Home: Work:	Other:
PREVIOUS EDUCATION College:	
Major Course:	Years Completed:
Degree:	
Training School:	Years Completed:
Technician/Certificate Number:	Expiration Date:
California RN Number:	Expiration Date:
CURRENT ENROLLMENT  College:  (Please attach verification of enrollment in pro	gram at accredited college.)
Program in which you are currently enrolled:	□ BSN/MSN/MBA □ RN
EDUCATIONAL GOALS  Please state your educational goals:	
EMPLOYMENT Your current employer:	
Current Department:	
Current Title:	
How long have you been with your current employer?	Status: ☐ Full Time or ☐ Part Time
Signature of Applicant	Date