

▶ **Scholarship Support**

Investing in student scholarships is investing in the future of the pharmacy profession and in the university's most precious resource — its students. No more important task exists than preparing our students for success in a profession that is increasingly experiencing a nationwide shortage. The value of a pharmacy education is immeasurable, but the cost often can be prohibitive.

The task for us begins by bringing the best and most deserving students to the University of Florida College of Pharmacy and assuring they receive the financial resources they need to succeed. Currently, 91 percent of our students seek federal financial support. For first-year students, it increases to 100 percent; a clear indication of the need for financial assistance.

**Scholarships change lives**

- ▶ *“It is because of people like you that people like us can reach our true potential!”*  
**Jean, 4PD**
- ▶ *“My family and I are so thankful for the scholarship. My mom is a single mother with six children, and there are currently four of us in college. The money is a true*

*blessing. We all thank you for your generosity.”* **Kyle, 3PD**

- ▶ *“Thank you for your dedication to the pharmacy profession and involvement in the education of pharmacy students. This donation is very generous and will make a large impact on my future.”* **Kimberly, 3PD**

An endowed scholarship is one of the most rewarding gifts you can make. There is nothing more gratifying than providing an education to deserving students and watching them grow and experience all the things that make the UF College of Pharmacy the unique and exceptional place you treasure today.

**Giving ideas**

- ▶ Establish an endowed scholarship, since your education may have been made possible because of one.
- ▶ Create an endowed scholarship to help ease the worry of financial strain so students can focus on becoming the next generation of pharmacy leaders.
- ▶ Create an endowment, such as a scholarship, in memory or in honor of someone.
- ▶ Include a bequest to UF College of Pharmacy in your will or create an endowed scholarship in your family's name.

By establishing an endowed scholarship, you will create a legacy that will forever be linked to a college recognized for its commitment to excellence in educating pharmacy students of the highest levels of promise and achievement. Scholarship gifts of any amount are welcome; however, a \$30,000 minimum is required to establish an endowed scholarship.

Greatness requires vision and determination. A scholarship gift to the University of Florida College of Pharmacy is an opportunity to keep a promise, to influence history, to create change... to give something back.