CALIFORNIA STATE CHAPTER

August 27, 2008

Gavilan College
Director of Financial Aid
5055 Santa Teresa Blvd.
Gilroy, CA 95020-9599

Dear Director of Financial Aid,

The P.E.O. Foundation is a nonprofit Iowa corporation operated exclusively for educational and charitable purposes. Dorothy C. Wisner Scholarships are awarded each spring, through this Foundation, to California women studying in the broad field of medicine.

All applicants must be female high school graduates and California residents, who are currently enrolled as undergraduates, in the broad field of medicine. This scholarship is not for students in graduate school. Awards are based upon academic excellence, integrity, character and financial need. This fund is administered by the Ruth G. White P.E.O. Scholarship Fund Committee.

Enclosed please find two (2) copies of the current ‘Guidelines for Applicants” for this fund. They are for your office and for any interested California women students. You may copy these “Guidelines” if more are needed.

Please note that application packets are sent upon written or email request by the prospective applicant, between September 1, 2008 and January 10, 2009. When requesting an application, students should specify the Dorothy C. Wisner Scholarship. The completed application and all materials required, must be submitted to the current chairman of the committee and postmarked no later than February 10, 2009. Incomplete files are not processed so students are encouraged to request an application early in the fall to allow ample time to complete all required materials.

Information you may have received in the past regarding this scholarship has been updated and changed. PLEASE DISCARD ALL PREVIOUS GUIDELINES regarding the Dorothy C. Wisner Scholarship Fund. The enclosed information is correct through May 2009.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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