



Ronald McDonald  
House Charities  
South East QLD

**Cate Lawrie**  
2019 Charlie Bell  
Scholarship Recipient

Helping young people reach their goals

# RMHC Charlie Bell Scholarship Program

A serious illness or injury during childhood can make life stand still. Making any progress, whether it be in your education or career can feel almost impossible. The Ronald McDonald House Charities Charlie Bell Scholarships are one-off grants of \$5,000, awarded to deserving young people to help get their schooling or career back on track.

## What are the details?

- Scholarships are awarded annually;
- Applications close on **30 November 2022**;
- Selection will be made by the Ronald McDonald House Awards Committee;
- Attendance at the Awards Ceremony via Zoom or in person, where possible.

## Who can apply?

To apply for a scholarship, you must meet the following criteria:

- You need to be between 15-20 years of age (permission from a parent or guardian is required for children under the age of 18);
- You need to have been treated at a Children's Hospital for serious illness or injury;
- You must have submitted an application to attend a tertiary or vocational institution such as University, College or TAFE.
- It is **not** a requirement to have stayed at a Ronald McDonald House.

## Conditions of the Award

The award of the scholarship is conditional upon the student being accepted into a course of study either at tertiary or vocational institution such as University, College or TAFE. Proof of offer will need to be provided to the Charlie Bell Scholarship award committee.

## How to get apply

You can apply for a scholarship simply by completing a form that requires you to supply:

- Educational information/history;
- Relevant medical history;
- An outline of your study aims, career pursuits, personal achievements, community involvement and goals for the future;
- A personal reference;
- Education/Employer reference;

**TO APPLY visit: [www.rmhc.org.au/charlie-bell-scholarships](http://www.rmhc.org.au/charlie-bell-scholarships)**

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