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PROMISING ALBERTA CHIROPRACTIC STUDENT AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP



Edmonton, AB – The 2020 *Investing in our Future Scholarship* award winner is a bright chiropractic student from Red Deer, Alberta, Sefrah Daviduck.

The \$2000 scholarship, awarded annually by the Alberta College and Association of Chiropractors (ACAC), recognizes academic excellence and clinical competency of an Alberta resident attending a recognized chiropractic college.

Daviduck is a fourth-year student enrolled in the Doctor of Chiropractic degree program at Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College in Toronto.

"I am honoured to receive this award," said Daviduck. I have enjoyed my schooling over the past four years and am looking forward to joining my future colleagues in our dynamic and essential health service."

Active and health-oriented from a young age, Daviduck spent her youth competing in a variety of sports and knows first-hand the impact that injuries can have on our physical and mental health. She was a chiropractic patient in her youth.

"Sefrah Daviduck is a fine example of the type of quality applicant deserving of this award. Her educational and community achievements show that she will be a great addition to our body of chiropractic professionals," says Dr. Dianna Martens, a chiropractor who volunteers on the ACAC Awards Committee.

After graduating from high school, Daviduck completed her undergraduate degree in nursing at the University of Lethbridge. She returned to Red Deer to practice as a registered nurse in a surgical unit. When thinking about her future in health care, Daviduck saw chiropractic as a way to help people stay well.

"I wanted a career where my focus was on keeping people mobile throughout their lifetime and getting them back to being active as quickly and safely as possible," Daviduck explains. "I didn't want people to feel the same way I had so many times when I had been injured."

Outside of her schooling, Daviduck shows her commitment to health through her involvement in several initiatives including [CMCC's Unleash Your Potential bike tour in 2019](#) and [Backs in Motion race in 2018, 2019 and 2020](#).

In announcing the award, Dr. Brad Kane, ACAC Council Chair said of Sefrah, "Your academic achievements coupled with exemplary extra-curricular activities to promote an active, healthy lifestyle are truly a shining example of the traits we look to reward and promote through this scholarship."

The ACAC is proud to award a chiropractic student with \$2,000 as part of our annual *Investing in our Future Scholarship*. Applications are accepted each year between June 1 – October 30 from any Alberta full-time student studying chiropractic at an accredited chiropractic college. More information is available on our [website](#).

The Alberta College and Association of Chiropractors (ACAC) is both the professional association and regulatory college for the chiropractic profession in Alberta. As a self-regulating health profession under the Alberta Health Professions Act, the ACAC is committed to regulating the chiropractic profession in a manner that supports quality care and upholds the public trust. As the professional association, the ACAC furthers awareness, promotion, and understanding of the benefits of chiropractic care among Albertans, government, and other stakeholders.

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