

## Healthcare CIO Boot Camp Military Member Scholarship

**Who is eligible to apply?** Current CHIME members in the military

**Award:** Full tuition to attend either the Spring or Fall session of the CHIME Healthcare CIO Boot Camp (see rules below for more specifics).

### Application Details

The Healthcare CIO Boot Camp Military Member Scholarship is awarded in the amount of the full tuition fee for attendance at one of CHIME's Healthcare CIO Boot Camps. Two scholarships are awarded annually: one for the Spring Boot Camp session and one for the Fall Boot Camp session. Scholarships must be used for the session (Spring or Fall) for which the candidate applied.

### Applicant criteria

- Must be a current CHIME member at the time the application is submitted and during the Boot Camp session for which the scholarship is awarded.
- Must be currently serving as a CIO in any branch of the armed forces.
- Must demonstrate a marked desire to improve their CIO leadership skills.

### Application materials required

1. Essay: Scholarship candidates must submit a type-written essay of no longer than 1000 words outlining their interest in the following ways:

**Part A:** This portion of the essay should address the candidate's vision and goals as a healthcare IT leader and how they have demonstrated leadership in their organization.

**Part B:** This section should describe how the scholarship and attendance at the Boot Camp will enhance the candidate's ability to improve their healthcare IT leadership skills and enhance their current position as a CIO. Additionally, if the candidate's organization has limited resources for funding staff development, please include an explanation of those issues and how the scholarship could benefit staff development goals.

2. Letter of recommendation: Candidates must submit a letter or recommendation from their immediate supervisor. The letter should support the applicant's attendance at the Boot Camp and explain why their participation would be valuable to the candidate and their organization. The letter should also support the fact that attendance at the Boot Camp is important to their professional development. Any issues relating to financial needs should also be explained.
3. Resume: Scholarship candidates should provide a current resume highlighting their experience and/or achievements in the healthcare IT field.



## Healthcare CIO Boot Camp Military Member Scholarship Application Form

Candidate's name:

Job Title:

Organization:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

**Membership Status:**  I am a current member of CHIME

**Boot Camp Session applying for:**

Fall

Spring

**The following items must be included with your application form:**

- Current resume
- Scholarship essay
- Letter of recommendation

**Application forms and materials should be mailed to:**

Scholarship Committee  
c/o CHIME Education Foundation  
3300 Washtenaw Avenue, Suite 225  
Ann Arbor, MI 48104

You may email your documents to: [staff@cio-chime.org](mailto:staff@cio-chime.org)

Please direct any questions to the CHIME staff at 734-665-0000 or [staff@cio-chime.org](mailto:staff@cio-chime.org).