

LUTHRA FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

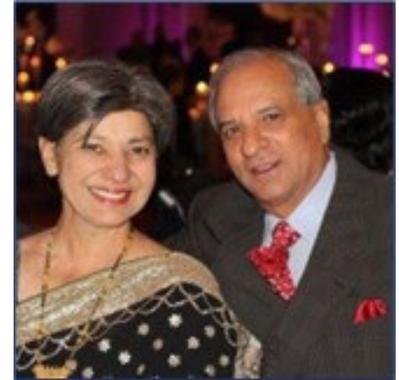


FUND BACKSTORY . . .

Madhu and Vinay Luthra grew up in India – Madhu in Calcutta and Vinay in Bombay/Mumbai. The two met in medical school in Bombay; they got married after finishing their internships; and started their residencies.

They applied for a green card to come to the United States and moved to Chicago in 1975. Vinay started his Radiology Residency in 1976 at the University of Illinois in Chicago and Madhu started her Pediatric Residency at the University of Illinois in 1977. Their residencies were completed in 1980 and they both passed their respective boards.

Madhu and Vinay moved to Wausau in June of 1980 to continue their careers in medicine. In 1981, Vinay began his practice as a radiologist at the Wausau Medical Center, joining Radiology Associates of Wausau in 1986. Madhu began her pediatric practice in Wausau and Merrill. She later joined Wausau Medical Center, which later became Marshfield Clinic. They served the greater Wausau area with medical services for over 30 years. Madhu's career ended with retirement shortly after falling ill in 2010. Vinay retired from practice three years later.



Vinay says, "This scholarship fund was established to help kids go to college. It is a way for us to give back to the community that we spent our life in, and raised our two daughters in." He continues, "Wausau gave our family a lot and we felt we could give back in return."

ELIGIBILITY

- Graduating high school senior
- Attending D.C. Everest or Wausau Area School Districts
- Pursuing a degree in a health or human sciences field
- Planning to attend a University of Wisconsin college

CRITERIA

Applications will be evaluated based on:

- Academic excellence
- Extracurricular involvement, including community service
- Financial need
- Potential to succeed at the college level and beyond