



## NORTHERN MICHIGAN

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### **McLaren Northern Michigan HOSTS COLLEAGUE SCHOLARSHIP BASKET RAFFLE**

Petoskey, MI –For 8 years, McLaren Northern Michigan nurses and colleagues have celebrated National Hospital Week and National Nurses' Week by raising money for higher education scholarships with a special raffle. Open to the public, the Annual Colleague Scholarship Basket Raffle offers a variety of themed baskets that will be raffled off on Friday, May 11.

This year's themed baskets include Oh the Places You'll Go, Up North Camping Adventure, Game Night, Pamper Yourself, and I Saw the Signs. A total of 31 baskets will be on display in the McLaren Northern Michigan Administration Building (half-circle drive across from Johan's). The public is encouraged to visit, view the baskets, and purchase a chance to win. Raffle tickets can be purchased Monday – Thursday, May 7 - 10 from 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. and Friday from 7 a.m. – 1 p.m. Tickets are \$1 each.

The 2018 fundraising goal is \$20,000. Proceeds from the Basket Raffle will support colleague scholarships through the McLaren Northern Michigan Foundation, ranging from \$500 - \$1,000 each. Since the Basket Raffle began in 2011, nearly \$100,000 has been raised to support scholarships which are awarded to health care professionals throughout McLaren Northern Michigan to further their education.

The drawing for winners will take place on Friday, May 11 at 1:30 p.m. in the McLaren Northern Michigan cafeteria. Winners do not have to be present to win.

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McLaren Northern Michigan, a subsidiary of McLaren Health Care, is a 202-bed, regional referral center located in Petoskey, serving residents in 22 counties across northern lower Michigan and the eastern part of the Upper Peninsula. Over 230 physicians represent nearly all medical and surgical specialties, enabling full-service care with an emphasis on heart, cancer, orthopedics, and neuroscience services. For additional information, visit [mclaren.org/northern](http://mclaren.org/northern).