

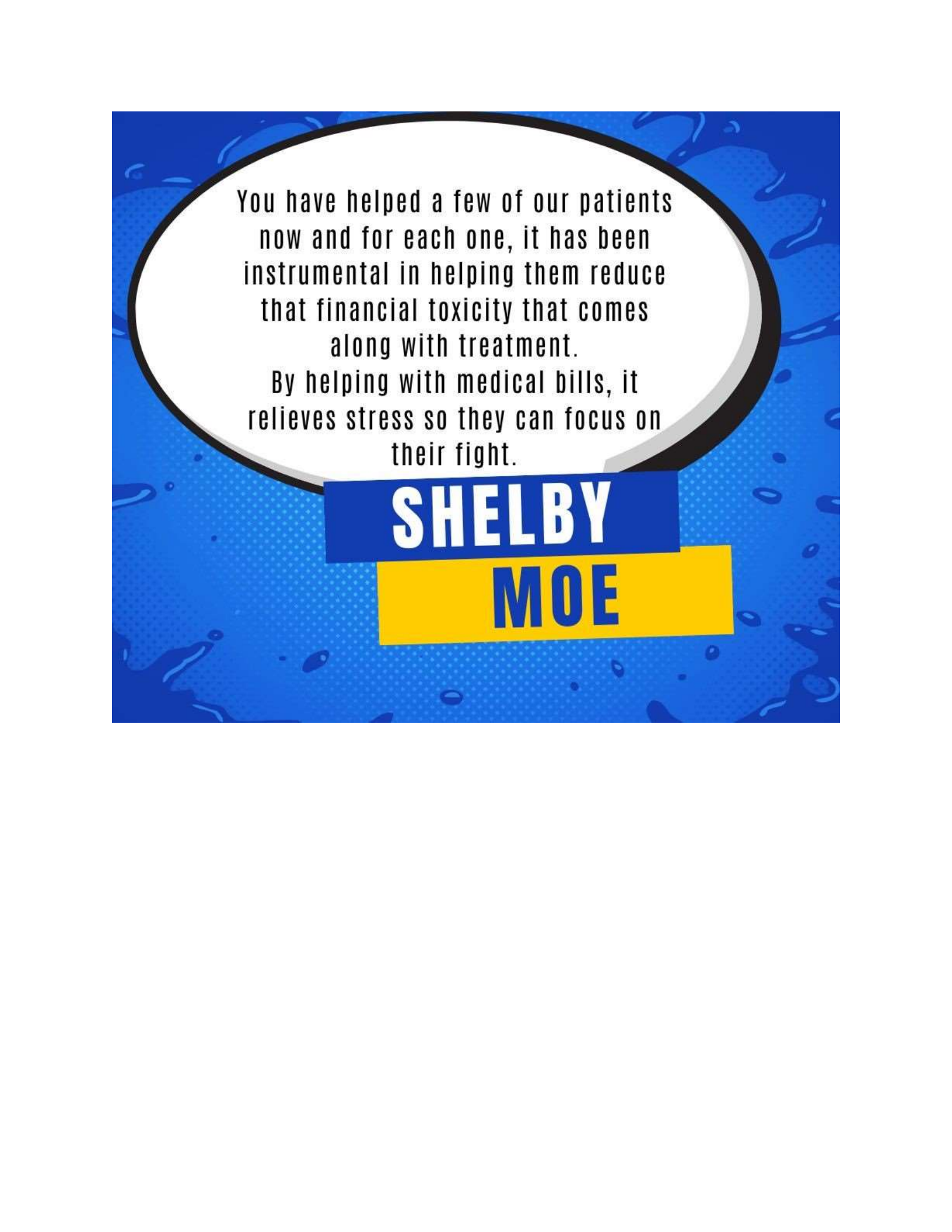


BUILDING THE FUTURE ONE STEP AT A TIME!

July 2023 Newsletter

What The University of Kansas Cancer Center Social Worker is saying about the Catastrophic Medical Fund at the STEP Foundation...





You have helped a few of our patients
now and for each one, it has been
instrumental in helping them reduce
that financial toxicity that comes
along with treatment.

By helping with medical bills, it
relieves stress so they can focus on
their fight.

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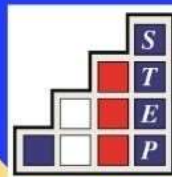
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Grant applications are due at
midnight on July 15, 2023.

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Select Grants

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Nemaha County
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Striving To Ensure Progress

2023 August Bergman, M.D., Scholarship
Recipients Announced



Kristi Edelman, Sabetha High School



Sophie Schumacher and Jillian Stueve, Nemaha Central High School

The Nemaha County STEP Foundation is excited to announce the 2023 recipients of the August Bergman, M.D., Scholarship. August Bergman, M.D., has been a supporter of the local community foundation for many years. He previously established the Elizabeth Bergman Memorial Scholarship and gave generously to start the B&B Legacy (Challenge) Scholarship.

Scholarship recipients, receiving \$1,000 each are Kristi Edelman of Sabetha High School and Sophie Schumacher and Jillian Stueve both of Nemaha Central High School.

Kristi Edelman is the daughter of David and Sheri Edelman and plans to attend Washburn University majoring in nursing. Sophie Schumacher is the daughter of Rebecca Christensen. Sophie plans to attend Kansas State University majoring in business. Jillian Stueve is the daughter of Terry and Angie Stueve. She plans to attend Wichita State University majoring in forensic science. Congratulations to the 2023 August Bergman, M.D., Scholarship recipients.

First Centralia Community Church Scholarship Awarded



Pictured left to right: Centralia Community Church Pastor Ora Martindale of Centralia Community Church, Drew Gibbs, Marcus Heinen, Brock Reinecke, and Derek Ronnebaum.

Centralia Community Church Scholarship Fund was established to support and encourage the Christian community in Centralia, Kansas. The first scholarship recipients, receiving \$500 each, are Drew Gibbs, Marcus Heinen, Brock Reinecke, and Derek Ronnebaum of Centralia High School.

Drew Gibbs is the son of Jay and Emily Gibbs and plans to attend Washburn Tech. He is still undecided on his major. Marcus Heinen is the son of Ron and Chantel Heinen and plans to attend The University of Kansas majoring in human biology. Brock Reinecke is the son of Brad and Janet Reinecke and plans to attend Kansas State University majoring in electrical engineering. Derek Ronnebaum is the son of Brent and Kara Ronnebaum and plans to attend Kansas University majoring in aerospace engineering. Congratulations.

2023 Match Day STEP-Up Supporters



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IF STEP raises \$70,000 on Match Day, then the Patterson Family Foundation will match \$70,000 thanks to a one-time grant opportunity!



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KSU students majoring in agriculture - Apply today!

Must be a Junior, Senior or Graduate Student at K-State



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**DROGE
SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATIONS**

DUE AUGUST 1, 2023

Secretary Leon Haverkamp



Leon Haverkamp lives on a farmstead northwest of Bern, along the Nebraska state line. The fourth child of eleven born to Janice Haverkamp and the late Robert Haverkamp. After graduating from Bern High School, he joined some of his brothers in a farming operation consisting of swine, beef, row crop and feed milling. He worked mainly with the swine operation as a sow farm manager. After the brothers separated operations in 2016, he has been working with a brother on the harvest crew and construction projects.

Leon is a member of Saints Peter and Paul parish of Seneca, Knights of Columbus #1769, and

treasurer for Nemaha Township. Leon has always enjoyed the history of how our ancestors built the communities and farms in Nemaha County and looks forward to helping build for the future of it.

Leon, thanks for serving!

****Meyer Farms Trucking - Thank you for renewing your STEP membership!****

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