

- (ii) A law enforcement officer;
  - (iii) A correctional officer; or
  - (iv) A member of the Maryland National Guard who was a resident of this State at the time of death.
- (b) There is a program of scholarships that are awarded under this section.
- (c) The Program is the Edward T. Conroy Memorial Scholarship Program.
- (d) A person may apply to the Administration for a scholarship under this section if the person:
- (1) Is a resident of Maryland;
  - (2) (i) Is accepted for admission or enrolled in the regular undergraduate, graduate or professional program at an eligible institution; or
  - (ii) Is enrolled in a 2-year terminal certificate program in which the course work is acceptable for transfer credit for an accredited baccalaureate program in an eligible institution; and
  - (3) Is at least 16 years old and a son or daughter of a member of the armed forces who was a resident of this State at the time the parent:
    - (i) Died or was totally and permanently disabled as a result of military service after December 7, 1941; or
    - (ii) Was declared to be a prisoner of war or missing in action, if that occurred on or after January 1, 1960 as a result of the Vietnam conflict, and if the child was born prior to or while the parent was a prisoner of war or missing in action;
  - (4) Was a prisoner of war on or after January 1, 1960 as a result of the Vietnam conflict and was a resident of this State at the time the person was declared to be a prisoner of war or missing in action;
  - (5) (i) Is at least 16 years old and a son or daughter of any State or local public safety employee killed in the line of duty; or
  - (ii) Is the surviving spouse of any State or local public safety employee killed in the line of duty; [or]
  - (6) Is a disabled public safety employee; OR
  - (7) IS A VETERAN, AS DEFINED UNDER § 9-901 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, WHO:
    - (I) SUFFERS A SERVICE-RELATED DISABILITY OF 50% OR GREATER; AND
    - (II) HAS EXHAUSTED OR IS NO LONGER ELIGIBLE FOR FEDERAL VETERANS' EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS.
- (e) A scholarship awarded under this section: