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Financial Info Form

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Photo

31st Annual NSA Conference Scholarship Application

Instructions: Please fill out the scholarship application completely, provide a narrative, and include a photo. Those who submit an incomplete application will not be eligible. Please do NOT send multiple copies unless you are sending updated information.

Several of the National Stuttering Association’s (NSA) special donors are determined that no one be unable to attend our Annual Conferences due to financial difficulty. The demand for scholarships is great and our resources limited, but we feel strongly that our conferences should be open to all, regardless of finances. However, we ask that you also check into other resources prior to applying to NSA for financial aid funds, as **we do not provide 100% scholarships for anyone.**

As a not-for-profit organization, we understand the increased hardships that families face in these economic times. Currently, the NSA is receiving more requests for scholarships than ever before, so to ensure that financial aid is provided to those who, without our support, would not be able to attend the conference, we ask that you provide us with detailed information in order to help us make wise and equitable decisions. Financial need is taken into account when distributing available funds, therefore a FIF (Financial Information Form) is required [see page 3).

- To that end, those requesting financial support from NSA are asked to:
- a. Reduce your hotel costs by sharing a room
 - b. Be in good standing with, and a contributing supporter of, the NSA
 - c. Volunteer at the conference (not applicable for First Timers)

Today's Date:			
Full Name of Applicant:			
Birth date:	Age:	Sex:	M F
Person Who Stutters <input type="checkbox"/>	If not, relationship to Person Who Stutters:		
Names of Attendees:	1.	Relationship to Applicant:	
	2.	Relationship to Applicant:	
	3.	Relationship to Applicant:	
	4.	Relationship to Applicant:	
	5.	Relationship to Applicant:	
Street Address:			
City, State, Zip:			
Contact Number:		Email Address:	
<i>By signing, I attest that all information on this application is true and that all information is reported accurately to the best of my knowledge:</i>			
Applicant's signature:			Date:



Conference Scholarship Application Financial Information Form

Please complete only **one** Financial Information Form (FIF) per family.
This information is held in the strictest confidence.

Will this be your first conference? YES NO

If NO: Have you received financial support from the NSA to attend a conference in the past? If yes, which conferences [list years or cities]?

How many people are you requesting scholarship funding for? _____

How did you hear about the NSA Scholarship Program?

Amount of scholarship requested (use worksheet on page 3):

A. Total cost to attend (Line 'E' from page 3):

B. Amount you are able to contribute:

C. Amount requested for NSA financial support (subtract line B from line A):

Scholarship amounts will be determined within 45 days after application is received. Once a scholarship amount has been determined, an email will be sent to you at the address we have on file. Once you receive this email you will have 15 days to respond, either accepting or denying the scholarship amount.

By checking the box I certify that I am requesting financial support due to hardship and all of the information provided above is true to the best of my knowledge.

In addition, please provide on a separate piece of paper a **short narrative**, describing to us your situation/need, how much assistance you are looking for, and how much are you able to contribute. Please include answers to the following queries, as well as any other information you deem relevant. How long have you or your loved one stuttered? How has it impacted your life? What are you hoping to experience at the conference? Have you attended any NSA events or meetings before? Please also remember to **include a photo**.



Conference Scholarship Application Cost Estimation Worksheet

Amount of scholarship requested (Applicant must fill in all amounts):

A. Total hotel cost:

B. Total transportation cost (flight, shuttle, etc):

C. Total registration cost:

D. Total cost to attend 2014 Annual NSA Conference: