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STTI Scholarship Program

STTI has chosen to make a scholarship program available to provide service to an underserved community and to educate qualified professionals with minimal financial resources. This scholarship will assist by providing partial funding for mental health professionals, other healthcare providers, and educators working primarily with an indigent population or clients with an income at or below poverty level.

Eligible applicants are mental health professionals, medical healthcare providers, educators, and coaches. Scholarship candidates must demonstrate a financial need and be able to identify how they will utilize the training to the betterment of the community they are serving.

STTI will award up to a \$3,500 grant towards the \$7,750 tuition to the award recipient. All recipients are responsible for the remaining tuition, of which the minimum will be \$4,250, which may be paid in monthly or quarterly installments.

Application Requirements

1. A personal and background statement written by the applicant (no longer than two pages) describing how completing the STTI Certification Program will be applied to career goals and how sex and sexuality intervention and/or treatment will be incorporated into a program that will **benefit an underserved community**.
2. Complete the online STTI Certification Program Application (be sure to include all supporting documents).
3. Complete and sign STTI Financial Aid application;
4. Two professional letters of recommendation in support of the applicant's application and career goals;
5. Sign acknowledgment of the application criteria and requirements (last page of this document).

Please Note: Incomplete applications will not be reviewed by the Committee.

Selection Criteria

A Selection Committee of Therapist Certification Association (TCA) Board Members will review applications and determine award recipients. Applications will be judged using the following criteria, listed in order of importance:

- Commitment to sex and sexuality intervention and/or treatment as reflected in the personal statement
- A proposal for a program that will benefit an underserved community, including:
 - a) identification of the community to be served
 - b) a needs assessment

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- c) a description of services to be provided
- d) an implementation plan
- e) a quality assurance plan

- Program application
- Financial need — both absolute need and need relative to tuition costs
- Letters of recommendation
- Professional presentation

Scholarship awards will be given to those demonstrating the highest levels of commitment to the profession as communicated in the personal statement, how the training will be utilized to benefit the applicant's community, strong letters of recommendation, and financial need.

The Award Process

1. The Selection Committee will meet as needed.
2. If a recipient is unable to attend the STTI Certification Program within three months of notification of award, does not begin making payments within one month, or fails to submit a written acceptance within the stated period after being notified of award, the scholarship will be withdrawn. The recipient will be able to reapply in six months.
3. STTI will announce the names of award recipients as they are notified and accepted.

Award recipients are required:

1. To provide written acceptance of the award
2. To begin payments of recipient's share of the tuition.
3. To notify STTI of any change in address and/or employment.

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Submission Requirements

Applications may be submitted at any time.

All application information should be sent as one package via email (as attachments, Dropbox, etc.) to IICSPHD@gmail.com.

Incomplete applications will not be reviewed by the Committee. After you have verified that the submission is complete, please wait for a confirmation of receipt.

Application Process Checklist

Please make sure all application documents are arranged in order as noted in the checklist, below.

- Signed acknowledgement of Scholarship Program Overview

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- Personal statement
- Completed STTI Financial Aid application
- Two letters of recommendation
- Copy of Federal Tax Return from previous tax year or other governmental confirmation of income from country of residence.

The STTI Certification Program [Application](#) should be completed immediately after the above information has been sent.

Acknowledgement

I have thoroughly read and understand the Scholarship Program Overview. I certify that to the best of my ability, knowledge and belief that this Scholarship application package is true and all representations herein are accurate statements of fact(s).

I also give my permission for STTI to reprint my personal statement on their websites and other electronic media if I am selected as a winner of one of the Scholarship Awards. I understand I will retain full rights to my work and changes will not be made without my permission. I acknowledge I will not receive payment or royalties for this work.

Applicant Name (Printed)

Date

Applicant Signature

Award Information Please indicate how you learned about this program (check one):

- STTI Promotion
- STTI Website
- Current or past STTI Student
- Other (please explain):

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