28th Annual HDSA National Convention Scholarship



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Thanks to a generous donation from Lundbeck, the Huntington's Disease Society of America is pleased to announce it is now accepting applications for scholarships to attend the 28th Annual HDSA National Convention in Jacksonville, FL this June.

The intent of this scholarship is to help families and individuals **who have never been** to a HDSA National Convention attend the Society's 2013 Convention.

Scholarship Availability & Application

The scholarship is open only to **first time** convention attendees who are non-Florida residents. Applicants must be 18 years or older as of April 5, 2013. Open to residents of United States only.

The 2013 Convention Scholarship Application follows this introduction. The application is also available online from the HDSA website (www.hdsa.org/scholarship).

What does the scholarship cover?

Travel by Plane - Scholarship will cover:

- Round-trip airfare up to \$500 per person for up to four family members (please note you must book and pay for your airfare and you will be reimbursed at the Convention);
- Hotel accommodations for up to four family members at the Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverfront for 3 nights, June 20 - June 22; and
 - (If your family includes a National Youth Alliance (NYA) member who will be attending HDSA's NYA Day on June 20, you will receive 4 nights, June 19 - June 22)
- Convention Registration Fees for up to four family members.

Travel by Automobile - Scholarship will cover:

- Roundtrip mileage reimbursement at 56.5 cents per mile;
- Hotel accommodations for up to four family members at the Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverfront for 3 nights, June 20 - June 22; and
 - (If your family includes a National Youth Alliance (NYA) member who will be attending HDSA's NYA Day on June 20, you will receive 4 nights, June 19 - June 22)
- Convention Registration Fees for up to four family members.

What doesn't the scholarship cover?

- Hotel incidentals (You will need to have a credit card and ID to check into your room.)
- Transportation to and from the hotel/airport.
- Meals not provided as part of the Convention registration.

Application Deadline:

Applications must be post-marked no later than midnight, <u>Friday</u>, <u>April 5</u>, <u>2013</u>. The application and all required signatures are to be mailed to:

Convention Scholarship Huntington's Disease Society of America 505 Eighth Avenue, Suite 902 New York, NY 10018 Attention: Robert Coffey

Applications may also be submitted via fax to 212-239-3430.

Notification of Winners

Applicants will be notified no later than May 3, 2013 as to whether they have been awarded a scholarship.

Sincerely,

Robert Coffey Development Manager

Attached:

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28th Annual HDSA National Convention Scholarship Application

This, and all following pages, must be completed in full and submitted to HDSA as your "application" for the 28th Annual HDSA National Convention Scholarship. All information contained on this application will be kept in strict confidence.

Deadline: Friday, April 5, 2013

Determination of Scholarship Awards

You will be notified no later than May 3, 2013 as to the status of your Convention scholarship application.

Applicant (all fields are required, no P.O. boxes please)

Name:	Birth Date:
Street Address:	
City:	State: Zip:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
Email Address:	
Name:	Birth Date:
Relationship to Applicant:	
Street Address:	
City:	State: Zip:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
Email Address:	
Name:	Birth Date:
Relationship to Applicant:	
Street Address:	
City:	
	State: Zip:
Home Phone:	State: Zip: Cell Phone:
Home Phone: Email Address:	
Home Phone: Email Address: Name:	
Home Phone: Email Address:	Cell Phone:
Home Phone: Email Address: Name:	Cell Phone:
Home Phone: Email Address: Name: Relationship to Applicant:	Cell Phone:
Home Phone: Email Address: Name: Relationship to Applicant: Street Address:	Cell Phone: Birth Date:

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1 I and my family members listed on this application have never attended a convention before. (To receive a scholarship, you and the family members listed on this application must not have attended a previous convention.)		
2. Did you apply for this scholarship last year? Yes No		
3. Are you actively part of a local HDSA Chapter/Affiliate and/or support group Yes No If yes, please provide the name of the chapter and/or support group.		
4. Travel a. Will you require airfare to convention: YesNo		
b. If yes, what is your originating airport:		
c. No, I will be driving to the convention approximately miles roundtrip.		
5. NYA Daya. Will the applicant or any family members be attending HDSA's NYA Day on June 20?YesNo		
b. If yes, please list:		
6. Why do you wish to attend the HDSA Annual Convention and how would a scholarship be beneficial to you and your family? (Please use additional paper if you need more space.)		

7. Release of Liability

I hereby accept full responsibility for my own and family members traveling with me safety and care should I be awarded a 28th Annual HDSA National Convention Scholarship. I and my family members traveling with me are able to travel on their own and attend the HDSA National Convention in Jacksonville, FL without aid or supervision.

Signature of Applicant:	Date:
Deadline & Mailing Instructions This application, including essay, all attachments and postmarked no later than midnight, Friday, April 5, 20. Applications are to be mailed to:	
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Application Check list: Did you remember to [_] Fill out all fields in the application [_] Sign all the forms	