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## **ALLIANCE OF THERAPY DOGS SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is awarded annually. Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Must be an Alliance of Therapy Dogs member in good standing or the spouse, child, or stepchild of a member in good standing.
- If the applicant is a family member and not the Alliance of Therapy Dogs member, s/he must have been involved in some area of volunteer work in the past two years.
- Must be applying to an accredited program in a field of health, medicine, or science related to animals.

The following documents must accompany your application:

1. Letter of introduction telling us about yourself.
2. Institution's verification of acceptance.
3. Copy of your most current transcript, if within the past 10 years.
4. Two letters of recommendation from non-family members. One letter should be from a facility visited by you and your therapy dog or, if you are not an Alliance of Therapy Dogs member, from a facility where you volunteer or volunteered.
5. The completed Alliance of Therapy Dogs scholarship questionnaire (available on the website or by request from the office at [office@therapydogs.com](mailto:office@therapydogs.com)).

The deadline to apply is February 15. All documents listed above must be received or postmarked by this date.

Scholarship winners will be notified by April 15.

If you have questions, please contact the Alliance of Therapy Dogs office.