



Scholarship Information

Houston Allergy & Asthma Associates will award a maximum of four scholarships of \$2,000 each to high school seniors and/or college students for the 2012 - 2013 academic year.

To be eligible for consideration, you must be:

- A patient of Houston Allergy & Asthma Associates for a minimum of 1 year, and
- Accepted to an accredited US college, university or technical school.

The application will include:

- An essay on how the treatment of your allergies and/or asthma has affected your life,
- Academic honors and achievements, and
- Letters of support.

Applications and instruction for applying will be available on our website at www.texallergy.com:

- Beginning November 14, 2011, and
- Must be postmarked by February 10, 2012.

Please contact Betty O'Bannion, at bobannion@texallergy.com for more information.





Houston Allergy & Asthma Associates

Scholarship Instructions and Application Form

For the Academic Year 2012 - 2013

Instructions for completion of application:

The applicant, the applicant's Houston Allergy & Asthma Associates (HAAA) physician, a parent or legal guardian, and a representative from your school must complete the application form or a copy of it. Applications may be typed or neatly handwritten in ink.

All applications must be accompanied by:

- An official academic transcript (may be mailed directly to HAAA at address below)
- Letter(s) of support (details provided below)
- Essay (details provided below)

Attach all materials together with the application form on top. Mail all materials in one package. Any materials that are submitted separately, except for official transcripts, will not be accepted. Incomplete applications will NOT be processed, nor will any materials be returned.

All applications must be postmarked by **February 10, 2012** and submitted to:

Betty O'Bannon, SPHR
Houston Allergy and Asthma Associates
450 Gears Rd., Suite 420A
Houston, Texas 77067

Letters of Support:

All applicants must submit at least one Letter of Support from a school representative. You may submit additional Letters of Support from your school or other sources such as an employer, a community official, etc. You may submit a total of **three** Letters of Support from all sources.

Essay:

The essay topic is: "How has your condition (allergy and/or asthma) and its treatment affected your life; and what are your academic goals?" The essay should be no more than one typewritten page, highlighting your past achievements and future goals. The applicant must sign, date and attest to the truth of the statements contained in the essay at the bottom of the page on which the essay is typed.

Houston Allergy & Asthma Associates Scholarship Application



Directions: Please complete all applicant sections, and then pass the application on for completion by your parent or legal guardian, school representative, and HAAA Physician.

Your Name: (Last, First, Middle) _____

Your Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone (Evening): _____ Phone (Day): _____ Gender: _____

E-Mail Address: _____ Marital Status: _____

Your Age: _____ Your Occupation: _____

Are you a US Citizen? ___ Yes ___ No If "No", Which Country? _____

Parent/Legal Guardian's Section: I confirm I am aware of this application for the Houston Allergy & Asthma Associates Scholarship.

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian: _____

Date: _____

Physician's Section: Please complete and sign.

Patient's Name: _____ Age: _____

Date Applicant first seen by HAAA: _____

Physician's Signature: _____

Applicant's Section: Please complete and sign.

(Please attach a typed & bulleted list of accomplishments if they do not fit on this form.)

Academic Honors and Achievements

High School: _____

College: _____

Highest College Degree You Currently Hold: _____

Graduate School: _____

Extracurricular or Club or Student Government Activities (include offices held).

Community Service and/or Work Experience (include any Honors or Awards).

Applicant Essay:

The essay helps our Selection Committee learn more about the applicant in a broader and more informal way. The general topic is: "How has your condition (allergy and/or asthma) and its treatment affected your life and what are your academic goals?" Submit an essay that is no more than one typewritten page, highlighting past achievements and future goals. The student must sign and attest to the truth of this statement at the bottom of the page on which the essay is typed by typing the following statement: "I attest to the truth of this statement." then signing and dating the statement.

School Section:

Please have a Principal, Dean, or Guidance Counselor/Advisor complete the following and provide a copy of your official transcript:

Academic standing:

Applicant's grade point average: _____ on a scale of _____

Currently enrolled for _____ hours for the semester/trimester ending / .

Signature of School Official: _____

Title: _____ Date: _____

Houston Allergy & Asthma Associates Scholarship Application Checklist:

When complete, your application package should include the following:

- ✓ Completed, signed Application Form
- ✓ List of Accomplishments (including separate sheet, if needed)
- ✓ Letter(s) of Support – Maximum of three (3) total
- ✓ Certification by School Representative and Transcript (transcript may be sent separately)
- ✓ Applicant Essay

Please make sure all sections of the application are completed and that the application package is postmarked by February 10, 2012. All materials, except transcript if sent separately, must be attached to this application.

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.