



TRI-STATE DENTAL HYGIENISTS' SOCIETY
SAVANT SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

THE CANDIDATE MUST MEET ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

- African American or African descent
- Enrolled in an accredited dental hygiene program
- Citizen of the United States
- Resident of PA, NJ or DE
- Minimum grade point average – 2.75
- First or second year dental hygiene student
- Must be a member of our organization or obtain membership by submitting membership application along with scholarship application

IF AN APPLICANT IS CHOSEN TO RECEIVE A TRI-STATE SAVANT SCHOLARSHIP, THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT MUST THEN COMMIT TO THE FOLLOWING WITHIN A YEAR OF RECEIVING SCHOLARSHIP:

- Must attend at least (2) Tri-State meetings.
- Participate and attend at least (1) fundraiser.
- Assume responsibility for at least (1) Tri-State fundraiser ticket.

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION:

- Official transcript – transcript must reflect one semester of dental hygiene course work
- Two page essay (double spaced) that must include:
 - Biographical sketch
 - An experience that reflects personal growth
 - Why you should receive this scholarship
 - What your goals and aspirations are inside and outside of dental hygiene upon graduation
- Tri-State Dental Hygienists' Society membership application (if it applies)
- Photograph (preferably black and white)

*******DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION - MARCH 31, 2010*******

All information must be received by deadline date in order for application to be considered.
Scholarship will be awarded at our annual luncheon. Recipient must be present to receive scholarship.

Submit Information To: Tri-State Dental Hygienists' Society
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