

Dear Scholarship Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in our scholarship program. For scholarship consideration, all of the following criteria **must** be met:

1. Complete **scholarship application** clearly and accurately.
2. Provide a letter of **certification** from your physician verifying that you are an Individual with Sickle Cell Disease and/or Thalassemia.
3. Provide **two** letters of recommendation – one from a faculty member and one from a non-family member.
4. For current college students:
 - a. Submit an unofficial transcript that reflects a cumulative GPA of at least 2.75 for the 2012-2013 academic year.
(Please note: An official transcript is required if selected as a winner).
 - b. Selected recipients **must** provide a **Bursar** receipt for the 2013-2014 Academic year.
5. Write a 300-500 word essay answering the **appropriate** question provided below.
6. All entering undergraduate freshmen must submit a copy of their college acceptance letter.

Entering Undergraduate Freshman: What challenges/obstacles do you anticipate facing as a college freshman? What steps do you plan to take to overcome them?

College Students: - What would you do to enlighten politicians about the importance of sickle cell awareness, and the need for financial support?

All required documents must accompany your application postmarked by July 19, 2013 to be considered..

All scholarships are distributed by October 31, 2013.

Please submit your completed application to:

SCTPN-Scholarship
1139 St. Johns Place
Brooklyn, N.Y. 11213
Or Email to: Scholarship@sctpn.org