



## DOGS FOR INVISIBLE DISABILITIES

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### Scholarship Application Form

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Address (if less than 2 years)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Monthly** Household Income: \_\_\_\_\_ **Monthly** HUD (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

**Monthly** SNAP = food stamps (if any): \_\_\_\_\_ **Monthly** WIC (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Number in Household: \_\_\_\_\_ Household Makeup: Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_\_\_

Do you Rent or Own: \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly Rent or Mortgage: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever filed bankruptcy? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you receive additional funding support or benefits? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what is the **monthly**  
amount? \_\_\_\_\_ Explain this/these. \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been arrested or convicted of a crime? \_\_\_\_\_ Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for Applying for Scholarship: \_\_\_\_\_

This is a **need based** scholarship awarded at the discretion of Dogs for Invisible Disabilities in the amount of \$500 or \$1000. It is given in the form of a reduction in the program cost. In exchange for this reduction I understand that I will be required to provide “sweat equity” hours as outlined in the Scholarship Application Criteria at an approved organization.

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Initials

I understand that Dogs for Invisible Disabilities will run a criminal background. I understand that a criminal background in not necessarily grounds for disqualification.

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Initials

I understand that I will be required to provide a verifiable source of income, either in the form of a bank statement, tax return, Social Security statement, or some other form.

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Initials

I understand that I will be required to abide by all criteria listed on the Scholarship Application Criteria.

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Initials

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## Scholarship Application Criteria

To qualify for a cost reduction scholarship you must meet the follow criteria:

1. Applied to Dogs for Invisible Disabilities (DID) and paid the application fee in full.
2. Have your dog pass the DID temperament test.
3. Turned in all documentation required to accompany the DID program application (doctor's note or medical form, veterinarian form, media release form, responsibilities form, etc.) prior to submitting your Scholarship Application. This must be completed prior to end of Application Period.
4. Be willing to volunteer hours to a non-profit in the form of Sweat Equity (volunteer hours), choosing from a list provided by DID or submitting an additional non-profit for consideration.
5. You will be required to submit written confirmation of your hours by the non-profit to which you volunteer.
6. You must be willing to provide financial information to verify source of income. A tax-return, bank statement, or Social Security statement will suffice.
7. You will be subject to a criminal background check. Having a criminal background does not necessarily mean you will be disqualified from consideration.
8. This is an owner-trained program. You must be willing to put in the hours and hard work needed to train your dog. You also must be willing to follow the directions and guidance given by the DID trainers.

Additional information:

1. Sweat Equity Hours: \$1,000 Award – 100 hours of volunteer time  
\$500 Award – 50 hours of volunteer time
2. Adult family members may donate sweat equity hours towards your time using the same criteria in 4 and 5 above.
3. Volunteer hours may not be utilized to meet multiple requirements, i.e., if your church requires or request you to volunteer at the soup kitchen then this cannot also be counted towards DID sweat equity hours.
4. Dogs for Invisible Disabilities has the right to discontinue offering scholarships at any time.
5. Dogs for Invisible Disabilities has the right to determine the number of scholarships and the amounts that it will offer each year.

Application Period

Currently applications are only accepted once a year. This is subject to change. The Fall application period is from July 1 to August 31 of each year. The cohort will start September 1.

Approved Volunteer Locations

ABC House	Gleaners – Lebanon	Safe Haven Humane
ARC of Benton County	Gleaners – Mary's River	Senior Center
Benton Hospice Services	Heartland Humane	Soup Kitchen
Boys and Girls Club	Helping Hands Homeless Shelter	South Corvallis
CARDVA	Jackson Streen Youth Shelter	Food Bank
Chintimini	Linn-Benton Food Share	Vina Moses
Corvallis Homeless Shelter Coalition		
Evergreen Hospice	Mennonite Village	
FISH	Public Libraries	