



HPD Scholarship Application Form

Application Due Date: September 3, 2014

About the Hospital Professionals Division (HPD) Scholarship:

The Hospital Professionals Division offers up to seven scholarships (one per region) of \$750 each annually to students who are entering professions within the HPD. For more information about the HPD, and a list of professions included, [click here](#).

Who can apply:

Open to OPSEU members in good standing or their dependents who are confirmed as enrolled in a Hospital Professionals program at a publicly-funded, recognized Canadian university or college.

Please fill out this application form in its entirety, and use the checklist on page 2 to ensure your application is complete.

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name of applicant: _____

Name of post-secondary institution: _____

Program of study: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone number: _____ E-mail address: _____

OPSEU MEMBER INFORMATION:

Name (must be an OPSEU member in good standing): _____

Member number: _____ Local: _____

Applicant's relationship to member ("self" if applicant is a member): _____

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CHECKLIST:

The following items must be submitted with your application, and received by OPSEU **on or before September 3, 2014**. Applications received after September 3, 2014 will not be considered.

- This application form, completed fully
- Personal statement about why you have chosen a hospital profession, and what your future goals are.
- 1,500 (max) word essay responding to **BOTH** of the following questions:

What are the major issues facing Hospital Professionals today and how does OPSEU help workers deal with these issues? In your opinion, what are the strengths of a publicly-funded health care system?

Ways to submit your application (choose one):

1. E-mail your application to: scholarships@opseu.org
2. Mail your application to: OPSEU HPD Scholarship Fund
c/o OPSEU Training and Development Unit
100 Lesmill Road
Toronto, Ontario M3B 3P8

Essays and personal summaries are reviewed and marked by an independent adjudicator appointed by the Hospital Professionals Division of OPSEU. Essays will not be returned to applicants. Successful candidates will be asked to provide confirmation of university or college enrollment before the scholarship is issued. An appointed OPSEU representative will, to the extent possible, follow up with the award winners and the schools they are enrolled in at the time the award is issued to offer congratulations and ensure the scholarship is recognized as part of the students' records of achievement. For more information about OPSEU Scholarships, contact the Training and Development Unit, 1-800-268-7376 ext. 8299, or scholarships@opseu.org.