



Central Pennsylvania Coalition United to Fight Cancer, CATALYST 2021 Scholarship Application

This application is to be used if you are applying for ONE of the scholarships listed below:

- ❑ **Dr. Harold A. Harvey Scholarship Award (\$500)**
This scholarship is named for Dr. Harold A. Harvey, a great supporter of CATALYST since the inception in 1996. He exemplifies an outstanding commitment to his patients and the community. Dr. Harvey is a Professor of Medicine at the Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center in Hershey, Pennsylvania and a member of CATALYST.
The scholarship is for any high school senior living in Central Pennsylvania who has been accepted to a college or university and is going into the area of health or medicine in his/her freshman year in college.

- ❑ **Esther M. Keys Davis Spirit Award Scholarship (\$500)**
This scholarship is named for the spirit of Mrs. Davis who survived cancer for years and was an officer as well as avid supporter of CATALYST. Esther was a motivating, enthusiastic, loving and positive person. She always put others first and demonstrated that her reason for living was to help and serve others. Esther never accepted defeat. Her presence taught us that nothing is impossible when you have the faith and determination to fight on. This scholarship is for any current college student living in Central Pennsylvania studying in the area of health or medicine.

- ❑ **Collette V. Dickason Cosmetology Scholarship (\$200)**
This scholarship is named for Mrs. Dickason, a Retired professional beautician for 65 years. She is a 20-year cancer survivor and a member of CATALYST. This scholarship is for any student living in Pennsylvania and has been accepted to or is currently attending a Cosmetology School in Central Pennsylvania.

General Instructions to Applicant

1. Return a typed or neatly printed application to the scholarship committee via email to CATALYSTcaresforyou@gmail.com, fax to 717-695-7884 or mail to: 2316 Thornton Road, Harrisburg, PA 17109 by **December 31, 2020**.

2. Scholarships and Awards will be reviewed and awarded by **January 31, 2021**. Notices will be sent to winners via email. Funds will be sent directly to the college or university to be applied toward tuition or fees for one academic semester or academic year. Scholarships may be awarded based on availability.

Criteria for Selection/Considerations for selection of scholarship recipient will be:

- 1. Academic standing with the high school/college as confirmed by official transcripts**
- 2. School and community service record**
- 3. Financial need will be considered for selection**
- 4. Two Reference Letters**

1. Personal Information

Full name of applicant					
Home address					
City		State		Zip	
Home Phone Number		Cell Number			
Date of Birth		SS#			
Name of College/University you plan to attend					
Financial Aid Address of College or University					
Financial Aid Phone# of College or University					

2. Education

a. Name all secondary and/or technical schools you have attended in the last five years. List the school you are presently attending first.

b. How many years do you plan to attend college, and what course of study would you like to pursue?

c. What future business or educational career will you likely pursue after finishing college?

d. What colleges have you applied to for admission? Please indicate acceptance status.

	Accepted Y or N	
	Accepted Y or N	
	Accepted Y or N	

f. List scholarships, grants or loans for which you have applied, and check the ones you plan to use. Indicate funding amount you will receive.

Name	Plan to Use Y N	Amount	Plan to Use Y N

3. Academic, athletic, service, and extra activities. Use additional pages or attach resume for sections 3a, 3b, and 3c.

a. List academic awards, achievements, and dates.

b. List participation in athletic activities.

c. List participation in community service and extra-curricular activities.

4. Employment History.

List jobs you have held in the last three years.

Employer/Position

5. Your Expected Cost of College:

Please provide the following information for each school that you apply.

	<i>College</i>	<i>College</i> _____
<i>Tuition</i>		
<i>Room/board</i>		
<i>Books/supplies</i>		
<i>Fees</i>		
<i>Loans/Grants</i>		
<i>Scholarships/Awards</i>		
<i>Total Annual Cost</i>		

6. Financial Need Summary

Complete this section regarding Estimated Combined Net Income of you, your parent(s) or guardian(s) for the current year. Please attach a copy of your and your parent's most recent Federal Income Tax statement to the back of this application form.

a. Name of person Income and year Total annual income

- b. Have you filed a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)? If so, please submit a returned copy showing your EFC (expected family contribution).

- c. Describe any special circumstances such as medical conditions, disabilities, etc. that may affect your ability to pay for your college tuition. Use additional pages if necessary.

7. Reference Letters

Please provide 2 letters of reference from School, Church or Community (excluding family).

8. Transcript History

This section is to be completed by your principal, guidance counselor or admissions office. Attach an official transcript to this sheet.

Ranking in class: ____ of _____ GPA: _____ on a _____ scale

Best Combined SAT Score: Verbal _Math _____ Writing _____

Best ACT Score: Date _____ Score _____

Name of principal or guidance counselor _____

Signature of principal or guidance counselor _____

Date _____

I do state the above information is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Name of Applicant (print) _____

Signature of Applicant _____

Signature of Parent is under 18 _____

Date _____

NOTE: This scholarship application form **must be submitted with required documentation** to be considered. If you are applying for multiple scholarships, a new application does not need to be completed. Only one scholarship will be awarded per recipient per academic year. Applicants and family members of CATALYST members may apply. Applicants will be notified by email.