



The Ostomy Canada Post-Secondary award shall be awarded annually, pending funding availability, to encourage and assist individuals living with a permanent ostomy or other bowel or bladder diversionary surgery, to pursue Post-Secondary Education.

OBJECTIVES

- > To motivate post secondary students to be informed about Ostomy Canada Society services and its support of people in Canada living with an ostomy.
- > To provide financial support to a postgraduate student
- > To encourage volunteerism and leadership that “gives back” to the ostomy community.

HOW TO APPLY

- 1.** The applicants must be:
 - a.** A Canadian citizen and resident
 - b.** A Member of Ostomy Canada Society
 - c.** Selected by Ostomy Canada Society awards committee and board
 - d.** Living with a permanent ostomy or other bladder or bowel diversionary surgery
- 2.** Applicants have up to 2 years from the date of completion of their Canadian education program such as one year of university or apprentice or trade program to apply. Proof of date of completion must be provided.
- 3.** The Applicant:
 - a.** Provide their social insurance number
 - b.** Must give permission and provide a photo and background story to be published in *Ostomy Canada magazine*
 - c.** Must submit an essay (up to 2000 words, may include pictures) describing their thoughts on and approach to volunteerism including a description of their extracurricular, unpaid work with people living with an ostomy on a local or nation level. All essays become the property of Ostomy Canada Society and may be published in any Society materials.
- 4.** All applications must be submitted by email to **info1@ostomycanada.ca** with Award committee in the subject line.
- 5.** Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.
- 6.** Only award winners will be contacted.
- 7.** This award can only won once.
- 8.** All applications must be received by December 31 of the year prior to the awarding.
- 9.** Awards funds will be mailed in a cheque to the recipient.

For more information and an application form visit www.ostomycanada.ca/support/awards-program/



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APPLICATION FORM

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE NUMBER _____

EMAIL _____

- Are you a member of Ostomy Canada?
- Are you living with a permanent ostomy or other bladder or bowel diversionary surgery?
- Are you aware you must give permission and provide a photo and background story to be published in *Ostomy Canada magazine* when requested?
- I understand that incomplete applications will not be reviewed.
- I have read and understand the deadline dates for application.

A COMPLETED APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE:

1. Proof of completion of at least one year of university, college, apprentice or trade program.
2. Submit an essay describing thoughts and description of volunteer work done through Ostomy Canada at a local or national level.

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