



### **Real Life Angels Continuing Education Scholarship**

*Real Life Angels* is accepting applications from teenagers and young adults in Recovery\*, who have successfully completed a treatment program or have been involved in counseling, to receive a scholarship for continuing education. If awarded, the scholarship funds will be transferred directly to the continuing education institution for the selected student from *Real Life Angels*.

\* Real Life Angels ascribes to a SAMHSA description of *Recovery: A process of change through which individuals improve their health and wellness, live a self-directed life, and strive to reach their full potential.*

#### **The minimum qualifications for the Real Life Angels scholarship are:**

- Must be currently attending or have completed a Recovery program, or have been involved in ongoing Recovery counseling
- Must have graduated from high school, completed a GED, or be on pace to graduate from high school or receive a GED, or attending an educational institution
- Must plan on continuing education (university, trade school, etc.)
- Must have a recommendation letter from one of the counselors, teachers, or staff members that assisted you during your path to Recovery
- Must be currently living in a manner demonstrated by a commitment to Recovery

#### **If you meet all of the requirements above, please complete the following steps:**

- 1) Fully complete the attached scholarship application and the client consent and release
- 2) Obtain at least one sealed recommendation letter from an above-mentioned professional
- 3) Include a copy of your current school transcript, GED, or diploma
- 4) Complete the "Recovery" Essay (up to 2 pages in length, 12 font, single spaced)
- 5) Combine ALL required documents in one sealed envelope and submit to Real Life Angels

#### **Submission options:**

- Mail directly to *Real Life Angels*:  
*Real Life Angels*  
ATTN: *Real Life Angels* Scholarship Application  
P.O. Box 170735  
Austin, TX 78717
- Scan and email required documents to [info@reallifeangels.org](mailto:info@reallifeangels.org)
- Email a confirmation to [info@reallifeangels.org](mailto:info@reallifeangels.org) or call (512) 763-7752 when you send the completed application package: (include full name, contact number, and date sent)
- Call Real Life Angels to discuss possible additional options @ (512) 763-7752

#### **"Recovery" Essay Requirements:**

- 1) Briefly describe your life experiences and how the treatment program and/or counseling aided in your Recovery.
- 2) Incorporate key Recovery *concepts* and *recovery philosophy* throughout the essay.
- 3) Reflect on how you have become, or aim to become, a positive member of society.
- 4) Describe how this scholarship will help you make a positive impact within your community.



**Real Life Angels Continuing Education Scholarship Application**

(Please type or print your answers legibly)

I am in Recovery from: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Last Name:</b>	<b>First Name:</b>	<b>Middle Name/Initial:</b>
<b>Mailing Address &amp; Contact Info:</b>		
Street: _____ City: _____		
State: _____ ZIP: _____ Email: _____		
Primary Phone: (____) _____ Indicate cell/home/work: _____		
Secondary Phone: (____) _____ Indicate cell/home/work: _____		
<b>Date of Birth:</b>	<b>Grade Level (or) Date of Graduation/GED completion:</b>	
<b>Current or Graduated School Name/GED Program (Phone # of HS/GED Org)</b>		
School/Program Name: _____		
<b>Treatment /Counseling Provider &amp; Address:</b>		<b>Phone # of Provider:</b>
_____		(____) _____
_____		<b>Successful completion of Program/Service</b>
<b>Provider Type (residential, IOP, OP, etc.):</b> _____		___ Yes ___ No
<b>Started:</b> _____ <b>Completed:</b> _____		*if no, please discuss circumstances in essay
<b><u>CONTINUING EDUCATION INFORMATION</u></b>		
<b>Name, Phone, &amp; Address, of institution that funds will be used for <u>PLUS</u> tuition estimate:</b>		
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<i>Check one below with regard to Continuing Education Institution (not current high school)</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Current student: start date</b> _____ <b>estimated completion date:</b> _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Future student: start date</b> _____ <b>estimated completion date:</b> _____		