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Project iAm's goal is to introduce and help facilitate early and on-going treatment by providing the necessary resources including funding, guidance, referrals and follow up to individuals and their families in our local community with Autism Spectrum Disorders. Project iAm is proud to offer a scholarship program for assessments and treatments that may not otherwise be covered privately or by other third-party funding sources such as school districts, county programs, insurance, and/or other scholarship making entities.

Applicants who meet the following scholarship program criteria and complete the Scholarship Application completely and by the deadline date, will be considered for Project iAm scholarships. Since in most cases, the applicant's parent or guardian will be completing the application, it is understood that the applicant living with ASD will be the individual receiving the benefits of the scholarship.

### **Scholarship Making Philosophy**

Project iAm scholarships are designed to provide financial support to individuals and families affected by Autism Spectrum Disorders. **Scholarship payments will be made directly to pre-approved treatment providers, assessors or materials vendors for the applicant's needs.**

### **Amount Requested**

Scholarships will be allocated based on annual fund-raising activities. The Board of Directors will determine the number and amounts of each scholarship at the beginning of each term. Requests for endowments or multi-year scholarships will not be accepted and scholarship recipients must re-apply each term. Once an applicant receives a scholarship, there will be a three year waiting period before reapplying.

- Applicants must demonstrate financial need by providing the following:
  - proof of Household income for two years
  - Number of Dependents
  - Number of Dependents with Autism Spectrum Disorders
  - Information about access to third-party funding sources
  - Previous attempts at securing financing through Providers
  
- The Following must be sent to Project iAm in order to be eligible for scholarships:
  - Completed, signed and dated scholarship Application by deadline
  - Verification of Diagnosis from an M.D. Or D.O.
  - Assessment from Provider of Treatment Assessment
  - Documentation from Provider of Treatment of Applicant's Enrollment
  - Assessment of Costs from Provider for Applicant's therapy
  - 500 Word Description of your child's story
  - Copy of Previous two Years' Tax Returns

The Board Members will review scholarship Applications and make decisions on who should receive scholarships. Please note, there are no set application deadlines; they are posted on our website as scholarships become available. Scholarship Applications must be post marked no later than the deadline date specified. Incomplete scholarships will not be considered. No Faxed or Emailed scholarship Applications will be accepted  
scholarship Applications must be mailed to :

**Project iAm**  
**ATTN: Scholarship Committee**  
**3818 Frampton Dr.**  
**Toledo Oh 43614**

**Applicant receiving a scholarship agrees to repay the scholarship if any services paid for with the scholarship are reimbursed by another funding source, such as, a school district or insurance company.**











