Scholarship Application

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 15, 2027

The Hugs From Sherilyn Scholarship is open to graduate students pursuing higher education in Southern California and preparing for a career in pediatric physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, and/or feeding therapy, with a focus on children with special needs. This year we are granting two scholarships of $2000 each.

Application Packet Checklist

To be considered, all of the following must be included:

- ☐ Completed and signed scholarship application
- ☐ Academic letter of recommendation
- ☐ Community or volunteer letter of recommendation
- ☐ Academic transcript verifying a GPA of at least 3.0 in your chosen field

1. Applicant's Personal Information

Full Name:	
Phone Number:	
Email Address:	
Mailing Address:	
Permanent Address (if any):	

2. Applicant's Educational Information

Current College or University:	

Current Graduate Program / Course of Study:	
Other Colleges Attended (institution, dates, major, degree):	

3. Applicant's Experience

Therapy Experience (include organization/agency name and location, dates, and a description of duties):

Other Community Involvement and Volunteer Experience (include organization, dates, and responsibilities):

4. Short-Answer Questions

Please answer each question in a few sentences.

1. What inspired or motivated you to pursue a career in pediatric therapy?

2. How do you intend to honor a long-term commitment to the therapy profession?

3. In what way(s) will this scholarship be useful to you?

4. Share an instance when you exhibited patience and/or compassion toward someone in need.

5. Submission Instructions

Combine the completed application and all supporting documents into *ONE PDF file* and name as follows: LASTNAME-FIRSTNAME-Your field of study.pdf

Email to: HugsFromSherilyn@gmail.com **Subject line:** Scholarship Application

Alternatively, you can mail your packet of information to:

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ATTN: Scholarship Application

Deadline: ***January 15, 2027.*** Mailed applications must be postmarked on or before this date.

Finalists will be selected for an interview, likely via Zoom. Scholarship recipients will be contacted no later than February 28, 2027.

6. Applicant Certification

I certify that the information provided in this is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date:_____