

# Betty Breen Foundation Scholarships

The Betty Breen Memorial Tuition Foundation was established by Betty's family in her honor. Its purpose is to help ease financial barriers faced by persons attempting to gain education and experience to become certified in Substance Abuse Counseling. The Foundation funds are administered by LASACT.

Maximum amount of assistance for approved applicants is \$300 per year.

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## **Who can apply for scholarships?**

Registered CIT's only, regardless of race, creed, or gender

## **What can scholarships be used for?**

Professional workshops, LASACT Conference, and college classes that are specific to chemical dependency and DSM based. Co-dependency is excluded.

## **What are Other Eligibility Requirements?**

- ◇ Completed application form that reflects the ability to write appropriately and effectively.
  - ◇ All classes/conferences/materials must meet approval requirements of Addictive Disorders Regulatory Authority (ADRA)
- ◇ Clear statement of need for financial assistance - Item 6 on Application Form

## **What is the Process for Getting a Scholarship?**

Applicant completes and submits an Application Form to LASACT two weeks prior to the program for which funds are requested.

LASACT reviews the Application, and submits it to the Scholarship Review Committee.

Committee notifies LASACT of its decision on applications.

LASACT notifies applicant of Committee's decision.

If any deficiencies are noted, applicant is given time to correct them.

LASACT sends funds to the educational institution/agency for approved applicants.

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## **Where Can I Get A Betty Breen Application Form?**

Contact LASACT as follows and request a form:

P.O. Box 80235 – Baton Rouge, LA 70898-0235

or

Phone: 225-766-2992; Fax 225-766-8552

e-mail [admin@lasact.org](mailto:admin@lasact.org)

or

Download from LASACT's web page: [www.lasact.org](http://www.lasact.org)