



2024 Real Voices – Real Choices Scholarship Application

Conference Logistics: The Real Voices Real Choices Conference will be held on August 25 - 27, 2024 at Margaritaville Resort in Osage Beach, Missouri. For more information and to complete a digital application, please visit: <https://www.missourimhf.org/real-voices-real-choices-conference/scholarship/>

Scholarship Includes: If you are awarded a scholarship, your registration will be covered. Your registration includes all conference materials and activities, your hotel room on August 25th and 26th at Margaritaville Resort and four meals.

Travel expenses are not included. All other meals and expenses are the responsibility of the scholarship recipient.

Application Timeline

Monday, April 24 – Scholarship Application DUE. *No late applications will be accepted.*

Mid May – Notification of approval or denial will be sent.

Thursday, June 15 – Registration due for scholarship recipients. If your scholarship application is approved, you are **REQUIRED** to complete a registration form. If the registration form is not received by the due date, your scholarship will be **forfeited**. Sorry, **NO EXCEPTIONS**.

Scholarship Eligibility

Scholarship funding comes from a variety of sources. **Please identify your primary treatment category (select one):**

- Mental Illness
- Developmental Disabilities
- Addiction Disorders
- Professional Only

Note: There are a limited number of scholarships available for Consumers, Self-Advocates, Persons in Recovery and Family Members. Submitting a scholarship application does not guarantee acceptance; if awarded, you must still complete registration!

Contact Information

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zipcode _____

Email Address _____ Phone _____

Additional Information

Are you attending as part of a group?

Yes

No

Group Name _____

Group Contact _____ Phone _____

Email Address of Group Contact _____

Are you sharing a room with another attendee?

Yes

No

Name of Roommate (if applicable) _____ Phone _____

Please Print Your Name _____

Why are you interested in attending the conference?

How many years have you been awarded a scholarship? (REQUIRED)

Attendance in breakout sessions by scholarship recipients is required and monitored. By applying for a scholarship, you are agreeing to attend sessions during the conference. Failure to attend sessions will result in possible forfeiture of future scholarships.

If you have additional questions, you may contact conference staff at consumerconference@dmh.mo.gov.

Completed Scholarship Applications can be sent via:

Mail:

Missouri Department of Mental Health
Attn: Real Voices Real Choices Conference
1706 E. Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Fax:

573-526-7926
Attn: Real Voices Real Choices Conference

Email:

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