

CITYWIDE DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY MEDICINE

THE DR. KEITH JOHNSTON SCHOLARSHIP IN FAMILY MEDICINE

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

In 1995 Victoria Hospital's Department of Family Medicine established a postgraduate training scholarship for Department members wishing to pursue a program of professional development. The Scholarship is named for the late Dr. Keith Johnston in recognition of his service to London Health Sciences Centre (previously Victoria Hospital) where he was a widely respected Chief of Family Medicine for many years.

The Dr. Keith Johnston Scholarship is awarded on an annual basis. The recipient will receive a scholarship in an amount not to exceed \$5000.00. It is intended to defray a worthy family physician's expenses in completing a personal program of professional development for the duration of three or more working days. The program may include activities that are primarily education or research in nature.

Any family physician in Southwestern Ontario is eligible to apply for the scholarship. Applications are solicited annually and the successful applicant will be expected to fulfill the terms of the scholarship between the 1st of July in the year of the award and the 30th of June the following year. Monies attached to the scholarship will be paid upon the submission of (1) proof of completion of the education or research activity, and (2) appropriate receipts to the Citywide Department of Family Medicine.

Guidelines: i. Daily meal allowance is not to exceed \$100 per day.
ii. Mileage will be reimbursed at \$.55 per kilometre.

The Citywide Department of Family Medicine *Site Chiefs Committee* will be the selection committee. Applications must be in writing and must contain a description of the applicant's learning objectives, a proposed program of education and proof of acceptance from the appropriate institution or supervisor of the professional development being undertaken and estimated cost.

Recipients of the scholarship will provide a letter documenting a summary of their activities and how it influenced their clinical practice, teaching and/or research.

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