



# *Epilepsy Newfoundland and Labrador*

## **Jim Hierlihy Memorial Scholarship Criteria**

The Jim Hierlihy Memorial Scholarship, valued at \$1000, is awarded to a mature student with epilepsy who has taken the initiative to return to studies to advance in their present job or train for a new career. It honours one of ENL's incredible volunteers, Jim Hierlihy, who was on the Executive of the ENL support group in Gander and a great supporter of all those living with seizures.

**Field of Study:** Any post-secondary institution (university, community college, private college, etc) where one can complete an education or be retrained in another field

**Value of Scholarship:** One thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) non-renewable

**Number of Scholarships:** One (1)

**Qualifications:** Applicants must:

- have diagnosed epilepsy,
- be 21 years of age or older,
- be a member in good standing of Epilepsy NL at the time of application.

Current board or staff members are not eligible to apply for scholarships. Former board or staff members and/or their family members can apply for scholarships if they have been out of the service of Epilepsy Newfoundland and Labrador for two years. This two year period will be calculated as two years prior to the scholarship award date.

**Obligations:** Award holders must be prepared to enter or be currently enrolled in a post-secondary training institution in the academic year of application.

The award holder must submit to Epilepsy Newfoundland and Labrador confirmation of admission or enrollment to the training institution as soon as possible after the selection, but no later than January 15<sup>th</sup> of the academic year.

**Where Tenable:** This scholarship is tenable at any post-secondary institution in Canada or the United States.

**Closing Date:** Scholarship applications must be received by Epilepsy Newfoundland and Labrador no later than November 1<sup>st</sup> of the academic year.

**Award:** This award will be paid directly to the successful applicant.

Notification of award will be made no later than November 15<sup>th</sup>. The successful applicant should be available in person to receive their award at a formal presentation if possible.

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For scholarship consideration, please forward application to:

**Epilepsy Newfoundland and Labrador, 351 Kenmount Road, St. John's, NL A1B 3P9**

Phone: (709) 722-0502 or 1-866-EPILEPSY Fax (709) 722-0999

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## **Jim Hierlihy Memorial Scholarship Application**

<b>PERSONAL INFORMATION</b>	
<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>
<b>Address</b>	
<b>City/Town</b>	<b>Province</b>
<b>Postal Code</b>	<b>Email</b>
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)</b>
<b>EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION</b>	
<b>Highest Education Completed</b>	<b>Date of Graduation</b>
<b>Post-Secondary School You Are Currently or Will Be Attending</b>	<b>Start Date for Post-Secondary</b>
<b>Educational and Career Goals</b>	
<b>Community and Extra-curricular Activities</b>	
<b>Other Assistance or Scholarships Applied For</b>	
<b>Other Assistance or Scholarships Awarded</b>	
<b>MEDICAL INFORMATION</b>	
<b>What type of epilepsy/seizures do you have?</b>	
<b>When were you diagnosed?</b>	
<b>How did you find out about this scholarship?</b>	
<b>Tell us a little about yourself (your experiences, your goals, etc.). Explain how epilepsy has affected your life.</b>	
- Please use a separate sheet or the back of this application form -	

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