

SAMHSA-NAADAC Workforce Forums



Scholarship, Loan Forgiveness, and Grant Information

Private Sector Scholarship Options		
<i>Hope for Addiction Scholarship Program</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scholarships of \$1,000 awarded to individuals in recovery who are 28 years or younger and have committed to abstain from drugs and alcohol. • Awards can be used for continuing education at a community college or other secondary school or attendance at a trade school or a technical school working towards a certification. 	https://ppcc.academicworks.com/opportunities/977
<i>Addiction Resource Scholarship</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scholarships of \$2,000, \$700, and \$300 are awarded to three winners of an essay contest. • Awards may only be used to pay for college tuition and/or education-related expenses. 	https://addictionresource.com/scholarship
<i>Predoctoral Fellowship in Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fellowship includes financial support, travel support, dissertation support, and other assistance. • Applicants must have a strong commitment to a career in ethnic minority behavioral health services or policy and be enrolled full-time in an APA-accredited doctoral program during the fall term immediately following the application deadline. Doctoral programs must receive APA accreditation by the application deadline to be eligible. 	http://www.apa.org/pi/mfp/psychology/services.aspx
Student Loan Forgiveness Programs		
<i>The Public Service Loan Forgiveness</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The remaining balance on Direct Loans is forgiven after 120 qualifying monthly payments are made under a qualifying repayment plan while working full-time for a qualifying employer. • Qualified employers include government organizations, tax-exempt not-for-profit organizations, and other not-for-profit organizations providing qualifying public services. 	https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/repay-loans/forgiveness-cancellation/public-service
<i>National Health Services Corps Loan Repayment Program</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Licensed health care providers may earn up to \$50,000 toward student loans in exchange for a two-year commitment at an NHSC-approved site. 	http://www.nhsc.hrsa.gov/loanrepayment
Grants		
<i>Pell Grants</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Need-based grants are provided to low-income undergraduate and certain postbaccalaureate students to promote access to postsecondary education. Grants at any one of approximately 5,400 participating postsecondary institutions. • Grant amounts are dependent on expected family contribution, the cost of attendance, enrollment status, and duration of attendance. 	http://www2.ed.gov/programs/fpg/index.html

Disclaimer: The above table does not include all benefits, eligibility requirements, application requirements, or other information pertaining to the scholarships, loan forgiveness programs or grants listed. For more information, please visit the respective websites.