



KSA Extended Health & Dental Hardship Bursary Application Fall 2015

Personal Information - Please Print

Name: _____

Student #: _____

Phone #: _____

Degree Program: _____

Year of Study: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Purpose

In order to improve the lives of Kwantlen students, the KSA offers a subsidy to KSA members who are experiencing financial hardship that impedes their access to education. If you are able to demonstrate financial hardship or a significant personal obligation, you may be eligible to receive a Family Add-on Subsidy, an Extended Health subsidy (\$80), a Dental subsidy (\$110), or a full Health & Dental subsidy (\$190). Once the final date for application submission passes, the KSA Bursary Committee will review all applications.

Funding for these subsidies is limited. Your ability to demonstrate financial hardship does **not** guarantee a subsidy, and applicants may receive a partial or full subsidy. Please note that students must be eligible for the KSA Health & Dental plan to be eligible for the Health & Dental subsidy. Only successful applicants will receive notification in the form a cheque that will be mailed to the address provided one month after the deadline for submissions.

Financial Hardship

Please check at least one of the following boxes that applies to your situation. **You will also need to attach copies of all supporting documentation** to submit with your application form. Personal statements must be submitted along with this application in order to be considered.

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Financial Hardship

Please include a brief written statement detailing your situation, evidence of any outstanding debts, including student loan "Notice of Assessment," private loan contracts, "line of credit" statements, income tax assessments, and/or credit card statements.

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Personal Obligation

Please provide an explanation of why your familial obligations or personal circumstances prevent you from using the Health & Dental plan. Please include supporting documents such as copies of child-care receipts or medical certificates.

Proof Of Eligibility

A copy of your Health & Dental Eligibility Page must be included in your application. When printing, please ensure the months of the current semester are included in the printed screen. To find your Health & Dental Eligibility Page, you must:

1. Access mykwantlen.ca
 2. Click Student Menu
 3. Click Registration
 4. Click Account Summary by Term- this is the page that must be printed
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Select which subsidy you wish to be considered for:

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Full Health & Dental Subsidy (\$190)

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Health Only Subsidy (\$80)

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Family Add-on Subsidy

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Full Dental Subsidy (\$110)

I hereby certify that I have read the instructions outlined above and have included the following items:

- ☐ Personal statement detailing the situation in the context of either financial hardship or personal obligation.
- ☐ Supporting documents as outlined under financial hardship or personal obligation. Printed copy of your Health & Dental Eligibility for the semester.
- ☐ I am applying for a financial hardship subsidy because of one or more of the above reasons. I understand that if my application is incomplete, my application will not be processed. I also understand I may not receive the subsidy simply by applying for it.

Student Signature _____

Date _____

The information provided on this form will be kept confidential and will be used solely for processing the application. The information will be kept on record for one full year before being destroyed.

How to Submit Application

There are two ways to submit this application:

In Person: You may drop off your application in person to any **KSA Member Services** office located on each campus, or directly to our main office in Surrey.

By Mail: You may mail your application to:

Kwantlen Student Association
Kwantlen Polytechnic University
12666 72nd Avenue, Surrey, BC V3W 2M8

Deadline for Submissions: Friday October 9, 2015 at 4:00pm