

## HOW TO APPLY FOR FUNDING...

DEBRA Canada invites all interested DEBRA member families affected by Epidermolysis Bullosa to apply via written submission (maximum one page in length), explaining why you and a family member would like to attend the DEBRA of America 2018 Care Conference, and specifying how this opportunity will further the quality of life for the person affected by EB and their family/caregiver.

### Who can apply?

- Any person with EB or their parent/guardian, advocate, physician, etc.
- Those who demonstrate financial need – extenuating circumstances, emergency, or financial crisis

**Deadline for Funding Application:** **Monday, March 5, 2018** (please allow for mail delivery time if sending your application by regular mail/ Canada Post). We highly recommend sending your written submission via email to [debra@debracanada.org](mailto:debra@debracanada.org)

### Please provide the following with your written submission:

1. Name
2. Address
3. Telephone number and email address
4. Name of the person with EB, and type of EB if known
5. Brief 1-page explanation of why you and a family member would like to attend the DEBRA of America 2016 Care Conference, and specifying how this opportunity will further the quality of life for the person affected by EB and their family/caregiver.

### All requests should be sent to:

DEBRA Canada  
ATTN: Medical Assistance Fund Committee  
1500 Upper Middle Rd, Unit #3  
PO Box 76035  
Oakville, ON L6M 3H5  
(OR by email to: [debra@debracanada.org](mailto:debra@debracanada.org))

### Notification of Selection...

Each application will be assessed on a case-by-case basis. You can nominate a family for assistance or you can apply for your family. Those DEBRA Canada member families selected to receive funding will be notified by phone and email (if provided) **by Friday, March 16, 2018**

*\*Please note, all recipients of Medical Assistance Program funds should be prepared to provide a photo with a statement, briefly outlining the benefit of funds received from DEBRA Canada to attend the conference, to illustrate the positive impact of assistance through this program. We ask that this be received within one (1) month of returning from the conference.*

**We look forward to receiving your application for funding!**