

CBIC Scholarship Guidelines

There are **two** Scholarships for CBIC certification. The Pat Schlegel Scholarship is for an APIC - NC member taking the exam for the first time; the other is for an APIC - NC member renewing certification. Acceptance of the scholarship award will require that a “talk” be given within one year of taking the exam, either through an article on the APIC - NC web site or an oral presentation at one of the APIC-NC educational conferences. If the member should accept the scholarship and not take the exam, reimbursement to APIC-NC of the full amount of the scholarship is required.

The Board would like to express their gratitude to Pat Schlegel for her generosity in making this award possible.

Guidelines for Dispensation of Pat Schlegel CBIC Scholarship

Who is eligible: Any APIC-NC member who has never been certified in infection control and meets CBIC eligibility requirements.

Who is not eligible: Any member of the APIC-NC Board, any APIC-NC member who has been CBIC-certified, any infection control practitioner who is not a member of APIC-NC.

Selection Guidelines:

1. Complete the application and return it before the designated deadline. (e-mail accepted)
2. All applications will be reviewed for current APIC-NC membership.
3. The scholarship winner will be selected by lottery drawing from eligible submissions
4. Scholarship winner will receive a check in the amount of \$250 to be used for expenses directly incurred with registration and/or taking the CBIC certification exam.
- 5. The scholarship winner will be expected to take the exam within one year of receiving the award.**

Guidelines for Dispensation of CBIC Recertification Scholarship

Who is eligible: Any APIC-NC member who is currently certified in infection control and meets CBIC eligibility requirements for recertification.

Who is not eligible: Any member of the APIC-NC Board, any APIC-NC member who is not CBIC-certified, any infection control practitioner who is not a member of APIC-NC.

Selection Guidelines:

1. Complete the application and return it before the designated deadline (e-mail accepted)
2. All applications will be reviewed for current APIC-NC membership.
3. The scholarship winner will be selected by lottery drawing from eligible submissions
4. Scholarship winner will receive a check in the amount of \$250 to be used for expenses directly incurred with registration and/or taking the CBIC certification exam.
- 5. The scholarship winner will be expected to take the exam within one year of receiving the award.**

Guidelines for Dispensation of Eva Clontz CBIC Review Course Scholarship

There is one scholarship for the CBIC Review Course. The Eva Clontz Scholarship is for an APIC - NC member taking the certification review course. Recipient will be expected attend the course within one year of receiving the award.

The Board would like to express their gratitude to Eva Clontz for whom this Scholarship is named for her many years of service to APIC-NC.

Who is eligible: Any APIC-NC member who is currently seeking certification or re-certification in infection control and meets CBIC eligibility requirements for re-certification.

Who is not eligible: Any member of the APIC-NC Board, or any infection control practitioner who is not a member of APIC-NC.

Selection Guidelines:

1. Complete the application and return it before the designated deadline. (e-mail accepted)
2. All applications will be reviewed for current APIC-NC membership.
3. The scholarship winner will be selected by lottery drawing from eligible submissions
4. Scholarship winner will receive a check in the amount of \$125 to be used for expenses directly incurred with registration for the CBIC Review Course. If the exam is not taken within one year of receiving the award, recipient will reimburse APIC-NC the full amount of the scholarship.
- 5. The scholarship winner will provide written feedback to the APIC-NC Board regarding how the review course was beneficial in preparing for the exam as well as any outstanding infection prevention/control issues identified within the exam content.**