



THE JOCELYN-DEMERS AWARD

REFERENCE AND MANAGEMENT GUIDE

Please read this guide carefully before completing the application form. This guide explains the eligibility criteria and nomination procedure.

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HISTORY

The Award Jocelyn-Demers was established in 1999 in tribute to Dr. Jocelyn Demers, pediatric hematologist-oncologist and the co-founder of Leucan in 1978. This prize consists of four scholarships totaling \$4,000 awarded once a year as part of Leucan's Annual General Meeting (AGM), to four young people in order to support them in the pursuit of their studies.

- Two \$2,000 scholarships to two deserving people
- A scholarship of \$1,000 for the Jury's favorite student (Coup de Coeur du jury)
- A \$1,000 bursary awarded to a student with a particular academic background

MAIN GOAL

This distinction aims to recognize a candidate who has persevered and surpass him/herself on the academic level. However, it should be precise that the academic performance of the candidate is not a preponderant criterion in the awarding of this prize.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The candidates must:

- Be a Leucan's child member and be diagnosed, or had been diagnosed with a form of leukemia or pediatric cancer; and the diagnosis has been approved by Leucan;
- Never have been a recipient of the Jocelyn-Demers award;
- Be enrolled in secondary IV, V, or a post-secondary study program, or in a special education program.

NOMINATION PROCEDURES

The candidates will be required to submit their application online via the designated web form. Here are the steps to follow to complete your application file:

1. Complete the registration form;
2. Attach a letter of support from a school stakeholder (teacher, teaching assistant, principal or other);
3. Submit a testimonial that presents the academic background, while taking care to highlight the difficulties experienced or overcome in connection with the treatments and the sequelae of these treatments. The testimony can be presented in two ways:
 - Text of up to three (3) pages on 8 1/2" x 11" double-spaced paper using an Arial 10 font (written in French or English) or
 - A video of a maximum of 3 minutes, in French or English

AWARD

The deadline for the applications is **August 1st, 2022**.

The award will be presented at the ceremony to be held on **September 25, 2022** at Leucan's Annual General Meeting (AGM).

EVALUATION OF FILES

An award jury will evaluate the applications. They will be meeting in the month of August. The Family Services Department coordinates this award and sees to convening the jury when the time comes.

JOCELYN-DEMERS AWARD – APPLICATION FORM

Identification			
Surname and First Name			Date of birth:

DAY/MONTH/YEAR			
Contact Information			
Phone	Home:	Cell:	Email:

PLEASE LIST THE TREATMENTS RECEIVED (TYPE AND DURATION), AS WELL AS YOUR AGE AT THE TIME OF TREATMENT

PLEASE SPECIFY IF YOU HAVE ANY PHYSICAL OR COGNITIVE SEQUELAE; IF ANY, WHEN DID THE SEQUELAE OCCUR AND ARE YOU STILL SUFFERING FROM THEM?

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EXPLAIN HOW THIS SCHOLARSHIP CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE FOR YOU.

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Candidate signature:

Date: