



MISSISSIPPI SICKLE CELL
FOUNDATION

IYER-SMITH SCHOLARSHIP

Application Deadline: June 30 | Awards given in August

Scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$2,500 (1st), \$1,000 (2nd), and \$500 (3rd) to eligible students.

ELIGIBILITY:

1. Must be graduating high school senior in Mississippi, with minimum GPA of 2.5 and a 15 on the ACT or an 830 on the SAT.
2. Must have a history of sickle cell disease (Hemoglobin SS, Hemoglobin SC, or Sickle Beta Thalassemia).
3. Must have been active in community service.
4. Must be accepted to an accredited two or four-year college/university.
5. Must present proof of enrollment

(See your high school counselor for class ranking, cumulative GPA and ACT/SAT score.)

CRITERIA (Required Documents):

A completed typewritten application; one (1) page typewritten essay on the reason(s) for selecting prospective college/university/major; three (3) letters of recommendations - two (2) from school administrators (i.e., teacher, counselor, coach or principal) and (1) from a community service leader; a copy of ACT score; and an official copy of final transcript.

