

The Holly's Heart Fund

The Holly's Heart Fund was founded by an anonymous donor in memory of her beloved Boston Terrier, Holly. Recognizing that not every pet owner can afford physical rehabilitation therapy for his or her pet, the donor created the Holly's Heart Fund to underwrite the cost of rehab therapy at Scout's House for eligible pet owners, including homeless or marginalized individuals and people living on fixed incomes, such as senior citizens.

Today, the Holly's Heart Fund provides initial examinations and physical rehabilitation therapy sessions at Scout's House on a regular basis throughout the year. This financial assistance is offered on a funds-available basis.

POLICIES

- Recipients must apply in advance. Payment will not be made for services or expenses incurred prior to approval.
- Grants are made on a funds-available basis. There is no guarantee that funds will be available when an applicant applies.
- **The maximum grant that may be given is \$1055.00.**

All exceptions to the Holly's Heart Fund policies are at the sole discretion of the Supervising Veterinarian or CEO of Scout's House, Inc.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

- 1) Complete the Application for Financial Assistance
- 2) Gather the required attachments
- 3) Return the completed application and attachments to Scout's House by mail, fax, or personal drop off

If you qualify and funds are available, you will be notified promptly by telephone or mail.



ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for assistance from the Holly's Heart Fund you must:

- Be the regular caretaker of the animal for whom you are seeking a grant
- Qualify as low-income* or moderate-income**

APPLICANTS IN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORY WILL RECEIVE 100% ASSISTANCE:

*Applicants are eligible for complete assistance if their family incomes are at or below the levels shown in the following table:

Number of Persons	Annual Income
1	\$40,420
2	\$47,380
3	\$54,340
4	\$61,300
5	\$68,260
6	\$75,220

APPLICANTS IN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORY WILL RECEIVE PARTIAL (50%) ASSISTANCE:

**Applicants are eligible for partial assistance if their family incomes are at or below the levels shown below:

Number of Persons	Annual Income
1	\$50,520
2	\$57,480
3	\$64,440
4	\$71,400
5	\$78,360
6	\$85,320



ATTACHMENTS

- 1) Proof of income, such as one of the following:
 - Copy of your most recent tax return or
 - Copy of your most recent social security income statement

- 2) Proof that you are the caretaker of the animal, such as one of the following:
 - Copy of an adoption contract showing this pet was adopted by you
 - Copy of your rabies certificate for this pet
 - Note from your vet acknowledging you as the known caregiver

