

TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF ADDICTION PROFESSIONALS

CRITERIA FOR THE TAAP JOHN PENA SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

*This annual award was created in honor and memory of John Pena,
and is presented to a student in recovery who is pursuing his or her college degree.*

Please complete the questions below and submit them along with all of the supporting documentation. Incomplete nomination packets will NOT be considered.

Procedure: Individual portfolios containing supporting documentation and completed nomination form ***must be submitted to Keith Liles/ Credentials and Awards Committee no later than June 12, 2009.*** Please ensure that the following questions/information has been included:

1. Nominee's name, address, and phone numbers.
2. Proof of a High School Diploma or G.E.D., or letter from high school guidance counselor or principal stating anticipated date of graduation.
3. Proof of acceptance at a college.
4. List any student activities you have participated in and supporting documents.
5. List any recognitions you have received and supporting documents.
6. List of community service involvement, and supporting documents.
7. Proof of financial need along with supporting documents.
8. Include an essay on your educational focus and/or career interests and goals.
9. Include a letter from someone attesting to your sobriety.
10. Include a minimum of two recommendation letters including one from a TAAP member.

Submit Nominations to:

Keith Liles
TAAP
2009 Credentials & Awards Committee
5002 N. Shepherd Street
Houston, Texas 77018

For more information, contact Keith Liles at 713/299-5719 or email to klbaylor80@aol.com