

Hello UAMT members!

It's time to open up grant applications to our members. Because of the challenges we know many of our professional members have faced this past year, the UAMT board has voted to award two Professional Development Grants of \$750 each. Additionally, we have added a section under the 'examples of appropriate activities for consideration' in the Grant application for needed funding during Covid-19. If you'd like to verify your membership status please reach out to Amylee Waldron (via this email address-- utahmusictherapy@gmail.com) When submitting grant applications and/or questions please state in all caps "GRANT APPLICATION" in the email subject line.

Grant opportunities this year:

Clinical Internship Grant:

The purpose of the Clinical Internship Grant is to provide funding in support of prospective or current interns who are members of the Utah Association of Music Therapists (UAMT). Prospective interns must be completing their internship in Utah or have attended Utah State University. The grant is only available to prospective or current interns who maintain UAMT membership for the duration of their internship. Applicants may apply for the Clinical Internship Grant in any amount up to the total amount budgeted each year.

2020 amount for Clinical Internship Grant: \$200

Deadline: Midnight, Tuesday, October 13th 2020

New Professional Grant

The purpose of the New Professional Grant is to provide funding in support of activities of new professional members of the Utah Association of Music Therapists (UAMT). The grant is only available to UAMT members who maintain their membership for the duration of the activity/project and have been professionals for 2 years or less (from the time of their initial board certification). Professional members may apply for the New Professional Grant in any amount up to the total amount budgeted each year. There is no limit to the types of professional activities that qualify for consideration. Applicants for this grant may not submit a Professional Development Grant application in the same year. Professional members may not submit more than one application within a budget year. If more than one application is submitted, those applications will be disqualified.

2020 amount for New Professional Grant: \$400.00

Deadline: Midnight, Tuesday, October 13th, 2020

Two Professional Grant

The purpose of the Professional Development Grant is to provide funding in support of activities of professional members of the Utah Association of Music Therapists (UAMT). The grant is only available to UAMT members who maintain their membership for the duration of the activity/project. Professional members may apply to the Professional Development Grant for any amount up to the total amount budgeted each year. There is no limit to the types of professional activities that qualify for consideration. Applicants for this grant may not submit a New Professional Development Grant application in the same year. Professional members may not submit more than one application within a budget year. If more than one application is submitted, those applications will be disqualified.

2020 amount for Professional Grant: \$750.00 (each)

Deadline: Midnight, Tuesday, October 13th, 2020

Winners of a grant may not submit an application for the same grant within three years of winning. This means those winners of 2017, 2018, and 2019 grants may not submit a 2020 application for the same grant they were awarded.

All applications will be blinded and judged by 4 judges: 2 local and 2 out of state.

Winners will be announced on November 19th 2020. Please see the attached application forms for more details.