

MyGOAL Autism Grant
FAQ

1. How often is the MyGOAL Autism Grant offered?
 - a. *Our grant program is offered once a year.*

2. When is the grant available and when will I hear if I am a recipient or not?
 - a. *The grant application is available at the start of the new year and decisions are rendered mid-June.*

3. How many grants are awarded each year?
 - a. *20 grants will be awarded yearly to families across the United States.*

4. How much is the grant worth?
 - a. *The MyGOAL Autism Grant ranges from \$500-\$1,000. The decision of the amount is based on the discretion of the organization.*

5. What documents are needed for the application?
 - a. *The MyGOAL Autism Grant requires 3 documents to be uploaded at the time of submission, these documents are*
 - i. *The Medical Health Assessment Questionnaire*
 - ii. *Grant Application Cover Letter*
 - iii. *Previous year's Tax Return or proof of SSI Statement*

6. What is the Medical Health Assessment Questionnaire?
 - a. *The Medical Health Questionnaire is used to determine the applicant eligibility, medical information must be provided for the applicant in order to be considered for the grant. It is essential for the grant committee to have the current health information, in order to be able to assess the degree of severity of the individual's health condition as a criteria for eligibility. This form should be completed by the applicant's physician and should be uploaded with the application for the MyGOAL grant.*

7. What is the Grant Application Cover Letter?
 - a. *This cover letter is used to describe your family's situation and the need for the grant in order to be considered for the grant. This form should be completed by the applicant's primary care-giver and be uploaded with the application for the MyGOAL grant.*

8. Are there any stipulations for what the MyGOAL Autism Grant can be used for?
 - a. *It is understood that this grant will be used to benefit the overall quality of life for the individual(s) with Autism. Although awarded to the primary caregiver, it is with the understanding that the grant will be used to benefit the individual(s) with Autism Spectrum Disorders.*

9. Am I eligible to apply for the MyGOAL Autism Grant even if I am a recipient from the year before?
 - a. *If the family was a recent (within 3 years of the date of this application) recipient of a grant award from MyGOAL, preference will be given to a first-time application, based on other evaluation criteria.*

10. Are there any other conditions I should be aware of regarding the grant?
 - a. *If you receive a grant, you agree*
 - i. *to submit a brief email testament report of your experience and use of funds with photographs.*
 - ii. *to grant the MyGOAL Inc. the right to use your email testament for marketing, publicity, or any other purposes*