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EFN FOR **██████████**

OMB No.: 0925-0299
Expiration: 31 May 2024



Instructions: Please complete the form below and press the [Preview & Continue] button at the bottom of the page to review your entry.

██████████ has submitted an application to the **NIH Undergraduate Scholarship Program (USGP)**. As part of the application, the student has agreed to release their financial aid information. If your university requires an additional release, please contact **██████████** directly to obtain authorization.

Exceptional Financial Need (EFN) form

The NIH **Undergraduate Scholarship Program (USGP)** is a program for undergraduate students from disadvantaged backgrounds who are committed to careers in biomedical, behavioral, and social science research. The program provides scholarship recipients up to \$20,000 per academic year for tuition, educational, and reasonable living expenses. Students qualify for 'Exceptional Financial Need (EFN)' based on either their family's 2022 or 2023 tax forms. To be eligible, their family's Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) must be less than or equal to the values listed in the provided EFN table. Please use the attached form to indicate whether the student is eligible for award, provide the financial aid officer information requested on the form and forward it to us using the email address provided.

Enrollment Status:

Is this student enrolled or accepted for enrollment as a full-time student for the Year-Range academic year?

If currently enrolled, is this student in good standing?

What is the anticipated graduation date (MM/YYYY) for this student?

Month: Year:

Exceptional Financial Need Status:

Does this student meet the threshold for EFN status for the Year-Range academic year, based on either 2023 or 2022 tax information? ([see table](#))

Tax year during which the student meets the EFN status:

Educational Institution:

Name of school:

University's Unique Entity Identifier Number: (Optional)

Financial Aid Administrator:

Prefix:

First name:

Last name:

Email address:

Telephone:

Fax Number: (Optional)

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