

**Illinois Recreational Therapy Association (ILRTA)
Professional Development Grant Application Form**

Due Date: October 10, 2015

The ILRTA Professional Development Grant is designed to provide financial support for a person to attend the ILRTA Annual Conference. Funds are usually allotted as a partial reimbursement for expenses related to the conference. Recipients must be a members of either ILRTA or the American Therapeutic Recreation Association (ATRA). You must submit a current professional resume along with this completed form and supporting information from your agency.

The 2015 ILRTA Annual Conference will be held at the Chicago-Alsip DoubleTree Hotel, Alsip, IL, November 2-3, 2015. Information about the conference can be found on the ILRTA web site.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home or Cell Telephone: (____) _____ Work Telephone: (____) _____

Email: _____

Agency: _____

Dates of Current Employment: _____

Membership, please check: ILRTA: _____ ATRA: _____

Have you ever received an ILRTA grant before? Yes: _____ No: _____

If yes, please provide the date you received the grant: _____

Provide sufficient information to assist the Board in making a decision regarding this request. Please provide the following information:

1. What will receiving the Professional Development Grant enable you to do?

2. What are the professional goals you hope to accomplish by attending this conference?

Return completed form, agency supporting information, and resume electronically to: Sandra Klitzing (sklitz@ilstu.edu). If you have questions, please call Sandra at (217) 493-8003.