

## Pink Unity Grant Criteria - Coaches

Unite for HER nonprofit organization and GK Elite Sportswear are pleased to offer the Pink Unity Grant program created to ease the emotional and financial burden experienced by USAG and NCAA coaches and their families due to breast cancer.

Unite for HER may award up to three grants annually. The amount will be determined by the selection committee, and will not exceed \$2,000 per recipient. The actual number of grants given each year will be determined by fund availability. Only one coach per household may apply or be nominated. Submissions will be accepted and considered on a rolling basis throughout the year, and will only be awarded once per applicant/nominee.

To qualify, applicants/nominees must:

- ◆ Have been diagnosed with breast cancer or have a spouse who has been diagnosed within the last two years.
- ◆ Be a current USAG or NCAA professional member, or have been a member within the past three years.

The grant recipients will be chosen by the Pink Unity Grant Selection Committee based on:

- ◆ A personal essay or video (up to three minutes). Applicants are asked to share about the personal impact of having breast cancer, how it has affected their family, and the assistance a grant would provide. (Video essays may be submitted via YouTube link, or on a CD/DVD mailed to the address below.) If you are nominating a coach, you can complete the essay on their behalf. The essay should convey why this person is being nominated and deserving of the grant.
- ◆ Two letters of recommendation: Please include contact information for the person providing the recommendation (only one may be a family member).
- ◆ A physician's note confirming a breast cancer diagnosis for the applicant/nominee or their spouse.
- ◆ A copy of the applicant's/nominee's USAG or NCAA professional membership card.

The application and all supporting materials must be included. Applicants/nominees will be contacted within three weeks of grant submission.

**Mail To:**  
Unite for HER/Pink Unity Grant  
127 East Chestnut Street  
West Chester, PA 19380

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ELIGIBILITY: The Pink Unity Grant is open only to legal residents of the 50 United States or the District of Columbia (excluding Puerto Rico and all other territories), and coaches of participating international teams. Current and former employees, directors and board members of Unite for HER, and their siblings, are not eligible to apply for the grant. All federal, state and local laws and regulations apply.

## Pink Unity Grant Application - Coaches

Once you have reviewed the grant criteria and determined that you or the person you are nominating qualifies for the Pink Unity Grant, please complete this application form. Your submission must include this form and all required supporting materials. Submissions/nominations will be accepted and considered on a rolling basis throughout the year, and will only be awarded once per applicant/nominee. Unite for HER will contact the applicant/nominee within three weeks of receiving the grant request. (print legibly)

Applicant/Nominee Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Gym Club Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

USAG or NCAA professional member number: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Member (Y or N): \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

If submitting a nomination, please provide your name and the best contact phone number:

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Please be sure to include the following items in your Pink Unity Grant submission.

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