

\$1500 Student GRANTS for Treatment Research



Four \$1500 Student Grants for Behavioral Treatment Studies with Adult and/or Pediatric Neurological Disorders

Purpose: Provide funding to PT and OT graduate students planning on completing behavioral treatment studies related to any motor and/or sensory related disorder that results from a neurological condition.

Note: Awards are non-restricted - behavioral treatment does not need to be related to LSVT BIG. Two \$1500 awards are reserved for PT students, and two \$1500 awards are reserved for OT students.

Eligibility: Domestic (USA) and international applications are welcome. Graduate students (masters, doctoral) in PT or OT training programs whose university supports research are eligible to apply.

IMPORTANT DATES

Letter of Intent Due: May 26, 2023

Full Proposals Due: July 7, 2023

Award Period: September 1, 2023 - August 31, 2024

HOW TO APPLY

Email geralyn.schulz@lsvtglobal.com for submission instructions.



Prior Student Research Grant Awardees



Chelsea Duppen, PhD candidate, University of North Carolina

“How to get started: Identifying the critical ingredients to improve gait initiation in Parkinson disease”

The purpose of this study is to understand the treatment approach that is most effective at improving gait initiation dynamics. We hypothesize that training for larger amplitude weight shift during gait initiation will yield improved gait initiation dynamics compared to training with large amplitude movements during steady-state walking.

Neda Alizadeh Takhtehchoobi, PhD (OT) Candidate, Dalhousie University

“Evaluating the Feasibility of Managing Fatigue: Individual Program for People Living with Parkinson’s Disease (PD).”

This randomized controlled pilot study will evaluate the feasibility, and the preliminary effectiveness of the individual format of the Managing Fatigue program, named “Managing Fatigue: The Individual Program (MFIP)” delivered to 54 community-dwelling people with PD.

