



Affidavit of Support

PLEASE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS ENTIRE AFFIDAVIT BEFORE COMPLETING IT.

This affidavit is for an individual using his/her own income and savings to provide an international student with financial support. Complete this form legibly and have your signature notarized before returning it to the student with all required proof of financial support as indicated below.

Note: Other F or J status individuals MAY NOT provide cash support for a student.

SPONSOR INFORMATION – must be completed by all sponsors.

- 1) I, \_\_\_\_\_, citizen of \_\_\_\_\_ living at \_\_\_\_\_ (street address) \_\_\_\_\_ (city, state/province) \_\_\_\_\_ (country) \_\_\_\_\_ (postal code)
2) IMMEDIATE CASH SUPPORT: Provide bank statements showing the most recent two months of transactions. NOTE: Bank statements only verify the immediate availability of funds. A bank statement by itself will not show the ability to provide continuing support. have current available (checking or savings) \$(U.S.) \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ (name of bank) located at \_\_\_\_\_ (full address of bank)
3) PROJECTED FUTURE SUPPORT: Provide letter in English confirming current employment and annual income. Retired or self-employed sponsors must also provide appropriate proof of annual income. NOTE: Annual income is the only documentation that can verify your ability to support the student in the future. In addition, I certify that I am employed as \_\_\_\_\_ (job title) with \_\_\_\_\_ (name of employer) located at \_\_\_\_\_ (full address of employer). I receive an annual income of \$(U.S.) \_\_\_\_\_. I am currently responsible for the financial support (including myself) of \_\_\_\_\_ individuals. My total annual expenses are \$(U.S.) \_\_\_\_\_.

CASH SUPPORT INFORMATION – must be completed by sponsors providing cash support.

- 4) I certify that I am the student's \_\_\_\_\_ (relationship to student) and that I am able to and do commit to provide \_\_\_\_\_ (name of student) with an annual cash amount of \$(U.S.) \_\_\_\_\_ to meet his/her expenses each year during study at SPH until \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ month year

ROOM AND BOARD SUPPORT INFORMATION – must be completed only if the student will live permanently in the sponsor's home in the United States.

Note: The value of this support should not be included in Item 4 above. Please submit a copy of proof of home ownership or a lease agreement.

- 5) I certify that I will provide \_\_\_\_\_ (name of student)
[ ] free room in my home as listed above in #1 (valued at \$15,229 per academic year) OR
[ ] free room and meals in my home as listed above in #1 (valued at \$18,123 per academic year) while the student follows a program of study at the CUNY SPH.

DEPENDENT SUPPORT INFORMATION – must be completed by sponsor providing support for the student's dependents in addition to amounts in Item 4.

- 6) I certify that I am able to and do commit to provide support for the following individuals who will accompany \_\_\_\_\_ (name of student) to the United States as his/her dependents:
\_\_\_\_\_ with a minimum of \$(U.S.) 7,000 for student's spouse per academic year. (name of spouse as in passport)
\_\_\_\_\_ with a minimum of \$(U.S.) 6,528 for each minor child per academic year. (name of each minor child as in passport)
\_\_\_\_\_ with a minimum of \$(U.S.) 6,528 for each minor child per academic year. (name of each minor child as in passport) – use an additional sheet if more children.
Total support for all dependents will be \$(U.S.) \_\_\_\_\_ each academic year until \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ month year

VERIFICATION OF SPONSOR'S SIGNATURE – this Affidavit must be signed by sponsor in the presence of a notarizing or verifying official.

I affirm that the contents of this affidavit signed by me are true and correct, and I authorize the release of the documentation presented to the student and/or U.S. government official if requested.

(name of sponsor signing this affidavit) (signature of sponsor) (date)
(printed name and title of official verifying the sponsor's signature) (signature of official) (date)