

Calling all Candidates -

INTEREST-FREE LOANS FOR TRAINING

APPLICATIONS DUE MAY 1

The **Candidate Assistance Fund** of the **American Psychoanalytic Association** provides loans up to \$5,000 to candidates training to be psychoanalysts. The loans, to be repaid within a maximum of six years, are made from a revolving fund so repayment is critical in order to continue making loans. Currently, between five and seven loans are made annually. Loans are interest-free but carry a one-time 1% service charge that is deducted when the loan is made. Two criteria will be considered in approving a Candidate Assistance Fund loan:

- the need as evidenced by an applicant's financial need.
- the ability to repay the loan as evidenced by the applicant's overall financial health.

Eligibility: APsaA Affiliate Members in good standing are eligible to apply to the Fund. Affiliate Members must have completed one year of training. Financial need must be demonstrated.

Application Procedure: Email Dean Stein, APsaA's Executive Director, for an application form at: deankstein@apsa.org.

Application Deadline: Applications for loans from the Candidate Assistance Fund are due Tuesday, May 1.

