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## External Scholarships for WMed Students

	External Scholarships	Deadline	Eligibility	How to Apply
National Medical Fellowships: Dr. Prentiss Taylor Scholarship	Established in 2020, this scholarship in the amount of \$5,000 will be given to one underrepresented minority medical student, who is enrolled in an accredited US medical school for the 2022-23 academic year and has demonstrated financial need, academic excellence, leadership, and commitment to community service. As part of the application, students must discuss how they hope to make an impact in their career in health care.	8/7/2022	Underrepresented Minority Medical Student	<u>Apply Online</u>
Armenian Professional Society (APS): Graduate Student Scholarship	Applicants must be of Armenian descent and enrolled in a graduate degree program in the United States in Fall 2022 to qualify for a scholarship. You do not need to be an APS Member to apply for the APS Scholarship. Award Amounts Vary.	8/19/2022	Armenian Descent	Apply Online
White Coat Investor Medical School Scholarship	We're very grateful for the financial success The White Coat Investor has seen. Although it has always been a for-profit business, its primary purpose is to "help those who wear the white coat get a fair shake." The White Coat Investor Medical School Scholarship is a way for the entire WCI community to "pay it forward." The purpose of the scholarship is to directly reduce the indebtedness of a few students and to promote financial literacy in professional schools. There will be 10 winners, and we're going to split the prize money between all of them equally. Only professional students enrolled full-time in a professional school located in the United States for the 2022-2023 year and in good academic standing are eligible. An 800-1,200 word proofread essay written in English on any topic you choose. This limit is STRICTLY enforced.	8/31/2022	Medical Students	<u>Apply Online</u>
American Medical Womens Association (AMWA): Underrepresented Student in Medicine Scholarship	We want to be a part of minimizing health disparities and increasing diversity in medicine by supporting your medical education. AMWA will be awarding <u>2</u> (two) \$2,000 scholarships to underrepresented students in medicine. AMWA is dedicated to increasing the participation and fostering the leadership of women and minorities within the organization and in the broader medical community. Consistent with our founding principles, we recognize that our newly trained physicians and patients that we serve are from increasingly diverse ethnic backgrounds and communities. We actively promote a diverse culture through chapters and programs to a diverse group of pre-medical, allied health, and STE(A)MM students, medical students, residents and are committed to mentoring, training, professional development, community, and public service programs.	8/31/2022	AMWA Student Members who are Underrepresented in Medicine	Download Application and Email completed application and supplemental materials to awards@amwa- student.org Page 1

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Worcester District Medical Society Scholarship Fund	The Worcester District Medical Society founded in 1794, is a professional organization representing 2,500 physicians and medical students in Central Massachusetts. The Scholarship Committee awards scholarships to medical students each year. The number and amounts offered are evaluated each year based on the monies available through donations and fund raising. The Committee will accept applications for 2022 between June 1 and September 1, 2022. The criteria for scholarship awards will be based on scholastic achievement, financial need and community service.	9/1/2022	CL 2025, CL 2024, CL 2023 medical students who were legal residents of Central Massachusetts at the time of applying to medical school	<u>Apply Online</u>
American Medical Womens Association (AMWA): Medical Education Scholarship	We at national AMWA know that the cost of a medical education can be daunting, so we'd like to help. Supporting your medical education is important to us, and with this in mind, AMWA awards 4 (four) \$500 scholarships to women currently enrolled in medical school. Awardees will be chosen based on the embodiment of the goals of AMWA. Financial need, though not a requirement, is also considered.	9/15/2022	AMWA Student Members	Download Application and Email completed application and supplemental materials to awards@amwa- student.org
<u>National Hispanic Health</u> <u>Foundation: Hispanic Health</u> <u>Professional Student</u> <u>Scholarship</u>	As of January 2022, NHHF has awarded over \$1.737 million to 324 scholarship recipients. This year, the scholarship will feature an award of up to \$5,000 annually for 3 years, as well as individual scholarship awards of \$2,000 each. The 2022 National Hispanic Health Professionals Scholarship is open to any student enrolled full time in medicine. Applicants are not required to be Hispanic. However, an affinity for the health of Hispanic communities and an interest in participating in NHHF Scholars Alumni activities is required. Additional qualifications include 3.0 GPA or Passing (pass/fail system), exceptional academic performance, documented leadership activities, and have a commitment to a career providing healthcare services to the Hispanic community in the U.S.	9/23/2022	Medical Students who are a National Hispanic Medical Association Member	<u>Apply Online</u>
The Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans	The program seeks to create "a level playing field" for the consideration of applicants from different backgrounds, in different fields, at different stages in their educational development, and of different ages. Because New Americans and their families have had very different immigration experiences, we take those differences into account in assessing applicants' success in meeting the selection criteria. Award Amounts Vary, but the Maximum Award Amount is \$25,000.	-, , -	CL 2026 & CL 2025 Students who are Immigrants or a Child of Immigrants in the US who are 30 years old or younger as of 10/27/22	<u>Apply Online</u>



Scholarship Search Tools				
College Board	Find scholarships, other financial aid and internships from more than 2,200 programs, totaling nearly \$6 billion. Based on College Board's Annual Survey of Financial Aid Programs.			
<u>Fastweb</u>	Find and discover unique college scholarships, grants, internships, college tips, and more. Also available as an app on App Store and Google Play.			
Tuition Funding Sources	Massive scholarship database with access to \$41 billion in funding. Also offers free guidance webinars for graduate students seeking scholarships.			
<u>SuperCollege</u>	Searchable database for scholarships and grants. Also offers a free Scholarship Match Service with weekly emails of scholarship matches as well as online guides.			
CollegeScholarships.com	Features a list of medical scholarships currently available or use their search feature.			
<u>UNIGO</u>	Create a free account to save essay questions and complete applications quick and create a free profile to view personal scholarship results.			
<u>Cappex</u>	Create a free account of a large scholarship database and see personalized matches.			

Scholarship Opportunities by Location				
The Physicians Foundation	The Physicians Foundation provides a list of medical societies and associations by state. Explore your home state for scholarship and loan repayment program opportunities.			
Council on Foundations	Find community foundations in your area by clicking on a map. Explore community foundations for scholarship opportunities.			



	Service Commitment Scholarships	Deadline	Eligibility	How to Apply
National Health Service Corps	The NHSC SP awards scholarships to students pursuing eligible primary care health	April prior to	Full-time medical	Online application with
Scholarship Program (NHSC	professions training. In return, scholars commit to provide primary care health	academic	student willing to	required documents.
<u>SP)</u>	services in Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSAs). One year of scholarship	year	commit to service in a	
	support in exchange for a minimum of two years of full-time service. May be		HPSA as an MD.	
	eligible for NHSC Loan Repayment Program (NHSC LRP) once service commitment			
	is complete.			
National Health Service Corps	Students in their last year of medical school may be eligible to receive loan	November of	4th Year Medical	Online application with
Students to Service Loan	repayment assistance from NHSC S2S LRP. In return, three years of service at an	4th Year	Students willing to	required documents.
Repayment Program (NHSC	NHSC-approved site in a designated Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSAs).		commit to service in a	
<u>S2S LRP)</u>			HPSA as an MD.	
Armed Forces Health	Qualifying active duty students can receive full tuition plus a generous monthly	None	Full-time medical	Contact Army
Professions Scholarship	stipend.		student qualified as a	Recruiter.
Programs (HPSP) - ARMY			commissioned officer.	
Armed Forces Health	Qualifying active duty students can receive full tuition plus a generous monthly	None	Full-time medical	Contact Navy Recruiter.
Professions Scholarship	stipend.		student qualified as a	
Programs (HPSP) - NAVY			commissioned officer.	
Armed Forces Health	Qualifying active duty students can receive full tuition plus a generous monthly	None	Full-time medical	Contact Air Force
Professions Scholarship	stipend.		student qualified as a	Recruiter.
Programs (HPSP) - AIR FORCE			commissioned officer.	
Indian Health Service	The IHS Scholarship Program provides financial support to qualified American	February	American Indian or	Online application with
Scholarship Program	Indian and Alaska Native in exchange for a minimum two-year service	prior to	Alaskan Native enrolled	required documents.
	commitment within an Indian health program.	academic	full-time as a medical	
		year	student.	
U.S. Department of Veterans	The Post-9/11 GI Bill provides benefits to help pay for educational costs for	None	Veterans, service	Online application with
Affairs - GI Bill	Veterans, service members, survivors, and dependents.		members, survivors,	required documents or
			and dependents.	submit by mail.

