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The following are external scholarship opportunities that may be of interest to students. Inclusion of an external scholarship opportunity is intended only as a resource for students and does not express or imply any WMed involvement with, or endorsement of, the external program.

External Scholarships for WMed Students

	External Scholarships	Deadline	Eligibility	How to Apply
National Health Service Corps Scholarship Program (NHSC SP) Service Commitment	The NHSC SP is a competitive federal program that awards scholarships to students pursuing eligible primary care health professions training leading to a degree in medicine (allopathic or osteopathic). In return for scholarship awards, scholars commit to providing primary care health services to underserved communities. The program provides support to students who seek financial assistance to complete primary care health professions education. The NHSC SP pays for tuition and various other reasonable education-related costs and also provides a monthly stipend to assist with living expenses in exchange for a minimum of two (2) years of full-time service. The service obligation must be completed at an NHSC-approved site in a HPSA. The total number of years of full-time service a scholar is obligated to serve will depend on the number of school years of NHSC SP support received by the scholar.	5/8/2025	Full-time medical student willing to commit to service in a HPSA after graduation.	<u>Apply ONLINE</u>
<u>NBME Fee Assistance</u> <u>Program for USMLE Step 1</u> <u>or Step 2</u>	As a part of NBME's ongoing effort to assist medical students on their path to licensure, we have opened the first application cycle for the 2025 Fee Assistance program. Medical students with demonstrated financial need are encouraged to apply for a \$680 award to be used toward the registration cost of the United States Medical Licensing Examination® (USMLE®). Through this initiative, NBME aims to reduce financial strain for learners.	5/11/2025	Medical Students with financial need who have registered and are taking Step 1 or Step 2 by May 11, 2025	<u>Apply Online</u>
<u>Fresno Madera Medical</u> <u>Society Scholarship</u> <u>Foundation: Medical</u> <u>Student Scholarship Fund</u>	The Fresno County Medical Society Scholarship Foundation was created to establish and administer a perpetual and revolving medical student scholarship fund dedicated to helping deserving residents of Fresno and Madera counties finance their medical education. Administered by a board of physicians who are members of the Fresno-Madera Medical Society, the goal of this scholarship program is to encourage medical students to practice in Fresno and Madera counties which have insufficient numbers of physicians to care for their citizens. To be eligible for a scholarship, you must be a resident of either Fresno or Madera County for a minimum of three years. You must be enrolled in or accepted to an accredited allopathic or osteopathic medical school. Students waiting for confirmation of acceptance to medical school may apply. Award amounts vary each year.	5/15/2025	Previous Resident of Fresno or Madera County for 3 or more years prior to College or Medical School	<u>Mail Completed</u> <u>Application and All</u> <u>Supporting Documents</u>

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National Medical Fellowships (NMF) Scholarships	You will submit one application per cycle and you will automatically be considered for every individual scholarship you are eligible for. Application Cycle #2 will be open until May 18th. Interested applicants must create an account and complete the eligibility form. Once complete, all open opportunities for which you are eligible will automatically populate to your account.	5/18/2025	Varies by Scholarship	<u>Apply Online</u>
ExtraSpace Storage: There's Space for Everyone Scholarship	Nobody is better suited to change the way we look at the world than you, the leaders of tomorrow. We will award a total of eight \$3,000 scholarships: Five (5) scholarships to any student attending an accredited college or university in the U.S., and three (3) scholarships to employees or immediate family members of Extra Space Storage.	5/31/2025	Any student enrolled at Wmed during Fall 2025.	<u>Apply Online</u>
Elevate Mental Health Awareness Scholarship	The scholarship is open to students at any educational level and field of study. The only application requirement is that students have personally experienced challenges with mental health or have had people close to them who have experienced mental health challenges. Students applying to the scholarship will be required to write an essay about how their experience with mental health has influenced their beliefs, relationships, and career aspirations. While not required, working or volunteering at organizations that increase mental health awareness, provide mental health support, or research mental health solutions will be a plus on student applications.	6/30/2025	Students who have personally experienced challenges with mental health or have had people close to them who have experienced mental health challenges	<u>Apply ONLINE</u>
Sierra Sacramento Valley Medical Society: Medical Student Scholarship Fund	The Sierra Sacramento Valley Medical Student Scholarship Fund provides scholarships to deserving medical school students who have graduated from a high school in El Dorado, Sacramento, or Yolo counties. To be eligible to apply, students must have graduated from a high school in El Dorado, Sacramento or Yolo counties, and must be enrolled in an accredited American medical school on a full-time basis. Applications are evaluated primarily on the basis of financial need and academic achievement.	7/1/2025	Full Time Medical Student who graduated from a high school in El Dorado, Sacramento or Yolo counties	Mail Application Packet and All Supporting Documents

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