

Medical Student Scholarships

How to apply

Our application form is available to complete online here.

Information required for Scholarship application submission

Our application processes assess your suitability for assistance under circumstances of financial, personal or medical hardship. To ensure that we understand your situation completely, we ask that you supply a range of supporting information to enable the AMA Queensland Foundation to make an informed and just decision from our pool of applicants.

To help with the Scholarship application process, here is a list of the relevant information you will need to provide when completing your form:

- University and course details
- Centrelink eligibility for means-tested income support payment
- Details of other scholarships or, bursaries you are in receipt of (including Indigenous Access Scholarships, Centrelink relocation and student start up scholarships)
- Your income details before and after tax and those of your partner (if you have one)
- The dollar value of your government support payments and those of your partner
- Any other sources of income

- Your expenditure per fortnight and those of your partner
- Total dollar value of your assets (e.g. bank accounts, superannuation) and those of your partner

Supporting statement

We also ask for additional supporting information in the form of statements of **approximately 150 words per section**. Tip: it may be helpful to write these ahead of time and paste these in from a Word Document..

Please email us the following documents:

- Personal background general background, home environment, personal illness, disability, educational disruption, challenges experienced etc.
- ▶ Career goals and aims what is your motivation behind choosing to study MBBS?
- ▶ **Scholarship benefit** why do you require financial assistance? How will this scholarship assist you to successfully complete your studies? How will you use the funds?
- ▶ **Family** what are you and/or your family sacrificing financially in order for you to attend university? Does your family have the financial capacity to support you through your university degree? Have other members of your family attended university, or are you the first?









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Supporting documentation

After completing your online application, please email the AMA Queensland Foundation **amaqfoundation@amaq.com.au** with your supporting documentation. This is also required prior to 31 March 2025 5pm AEST.

Please email us the following documents:

- A certified copy of your proof of Citizenship or permanent Visa
- Your current Curriculum Vitae
- A certified copy of your academic records
- A certified copy of your documented financial situation and gross household income reported to the Australian Tax Office for the previous financial year
- A certified copy of your Centrelink income statement letter if relevant.



Frequently Asked Questions

What does a certified copy mean?

A justice of the peace or other authorised person must sight the document and witness that you are the correct person and will sign and stamp the document as a true record.

Can I apply if I have completed undergraduate studies?

Yes, we will accept applications from post graduate students, must be studying medicine and be attending a Queensland University.

► How do I prove my citizenship?

A copy of an Australian or New Zealand Passport or Birth Certificate, both of which need to be certified. Permanent Visa documentation is to be certified.

▶ Will you accept an Unofficial Transcript?

Yes, as long as it is certified.

Can I apply if I have received Centrelink Start Up Loan, Indigenous Access Scholarship or Centrelink Relocation?

Yes, please state in the application form any support you have received.

▶ Can I apply if I am an international student?

Applicants must be an Australian citizen, New Zealand citizen or Australian permanent visa holder.

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