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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
<a href="#">Veterans United Foundation Scholarship</a>	The Veterans United Foundation Scholarship creates opportunities for family members of service members and Veterans to achieve their educational dreams. Launched in 2012, the scholarship program is funded by contributions from Veterans United Home Loans and its employees. Since our scholarship program was created, over \$1 MILLION has been awarded to support the educational dreams of military families across the U.S.	4/30/2026	Veteran with a 100% service connected disability or a surviving spouse or child of a deceased servicemember from a service-related death	<a href="#">Apply Online</a>
<a href="#">The Pisacano Scholars Leadership Program</a>	The Pisacano Scholars Leadership Program provides educational programs, leadership training, and funding for outstanding medical students for a four-year period beginning in the final year of medical school and through three years of residency training in Family Medicine. Applicants must have declared family medicine as their specialty. The maximum award is up to \$28,000 over four years.	5/1/2026	Class of 2027 students who have declared family medicine as their specialty	<a href="#">Apply Online</a>

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<a href="#">The Muhlenberg Foundation: Howard G. Lapsley Memorial Scholarship Fund</a>	<p>The goal of the fund is to assist eligible candidates with financial requirements for the study of medicine or osteopathy. Students must have been raised (attended or eligible to attend elementary or secondary school) in one of these communities: Union County Clark/ Fanwood/ Garwood/ Plainfield/ Scotch Plains/ Westfield Somerset County Bridgewater/ Bound Brook/ Green Brook/ North Plainfield/ Somerville Middlesex County Dunellen/ Edison/ Iselin/ Metuchen/ Middlesex/ Piscataway/ South Plainfield</p>	5/1/2026	<p>Students who grew up in one of the following New Jersey communities: Union County Clark/ Fanwood/ Garwood/ Plainfield/ Scotch Plains/ Westfield Somerset County Bridgewater/ Bound Brook/ Green Brook/ North Plainfield/ Somerville Middlesex County Dunellen/ Edison/ Iselin/ Metuchen/ Middlesex/ Piscataway/ South Plainfield</p>	<a href="#">Download Application and Email application and all supporting documents to heidi.cimilluca@hmn.org</a>
<a href="#">Fresno Madera Medical Society Scholarship Foundation: Medical Student Scholarship Fund</a>	<p>The Fresno County Medical Society Scholarship Foundation was created to establish a scholarship fund dedicated to helping deserving residents of Fresno and Madera counties finance their medical education. The goal of this scholarship program is to encourage medical students to practice in Fresno and Madera counties which have insufficient numbers of physicians. Eligible candidates must be a resident of Fresno/Madera County for three (3) years. Must be enrolled in or accepted to an accredited allopathic or osteopathic medical school. Students waiting for confirmation of acceptance may apply. Award amounts vary.</p>	5/15/2026	<p>Previous Resident of Fresno or Madera County for 3 or more years prior to College or Medical School</p>	<a href="#">Mail Completed Application and All Supporting Documents</a>
<a href="#">National Medical Fellowships Scholarship Cycle #2</a>	<p>Since its inception, National Medical Fellowships financial empowerment has been at the core of its programming. NMF scholarship programs recognize merit as well as financial need. Over the years, funding for scholarships has come from hundreds of foundations and from individuals. NMF actively seeks and welcomes partnerships to build and expand the types and amount of support we provide to our scholars.</p>	5/17/2026	<p>Qualifications vary by scholarship</p>	<a href="#">Start Your Application Here</a>

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<a href="#">ExtraSpace Storage: There's Space for Everyone Scholarship</a>	Nobody is better suited to change the way we look at the world than you, the leaders of tomorrow. You're not afraid to challenge authority and the status quo in order to make the world a fairer and more inclusive place for all people. 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.	5/31/2026	Any student enrolled at WMed during Fall 2026.	<a href="#">Apply Online</a>
<a href="#">Southern Medical Association Scholarship Funds</a>	With the South facing a physician shortage of more than 100,000 by the year 2030, there is now more need than ever to support the journey of the next generation of healthcare leaders. SMA's Awards, Scholarships, and Grants Committee, composed of senior leadership including PIT representation, under the guidance of the SMA Board of Directors determines the qualifications of all applicants/recipients. Scholarships are awarded to those who are enrolled in an appropriate health professions school that is accredited by the corresponding accreditation body.	7/31/2026 (Opens 5/1/26)	Open to students entering their M3/M4 years	<a href="#">Create Account to Apply</a>

Scholarship Search Tools	
<a href="#">College Board</a>	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
<a href="#">Fastweb</a>	Find and discover unique college scholarships, grants, internships, college tips, and more. Also available as an app on App Store and Google Play.
<a href="#">Tuition Funding Sources</a>	Massive scholarship database with access to \$41 billion in funding. Also offers free guidance webinars for graduate students seeking scholarships.
<a href="#">SuperCollege</a>	Searchable database for scholarships and grants. Also offers a free Scholarship Match Service with weekly emails of scholarship matches as well as online guides.
<a href="#">CollegeScholarships.com</a>	Features a list of medical scholarships currently available or use their search feature.
<a href="#">UNIGO</a>	Create a free account to save essay questions and complete applications quick and create a free profile to view personal scholarship results.
<a href="#">Cappex</a>	Create a free account of a large scholarship database and see personalized matches.

## Scholarship Opportunities by Location

<a href="#">The Physicians Foundation</a>	The Physicians Foundation provides a list of medical societies and associations by state. Explore your home state for scholarship and loan repayment program opportunities.
<a href="#">Council on Foundations</a>	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
<a href="#">National Health Service Corps Scholarship Program (NHSC SP)</a>	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.
<a href="#">National Health Service Corps Students to Service Loan Repayment Program (NHSC S2S LRP)</a>	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.
<a href="#">Armed Forces Health Professions Scholarship Programs (HPSP) - ARMY</a>	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.
<a href="#">Armed Forces Health Professions Scholarship Programs (HPSP) - NAVY</a>	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.
<a href="#">Armed Forces Health Professions Scholarship Programs (HPSP) - AIR FORCE</a>	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.
<a href="#">U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs - GI Bill</a>	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.