
Family Medicine Bursary Program

Eligibility Criteria

1. To be eligible an Applicant must be either:
 - a fourth year Memorial University Medical School student who has matched to a Family Practice residency program through CaRMS (Canadian Resident Matching Service); **or**
 - enrolled in the Family Practice Residency program at Memorial University of Newfoundland; **or**
 - a Memorial University Medical school graduate enrolled in a recognized Family practice residency program outside of Newfoundland and Labrador; **or**
 - in a recognized third year Family Practice program, e.g. Emergency medicine.

2. An Applicant must:
 - demonstrate a commitment to practice in an area of need in the province;
 - commit to practice for one year return in service for each annual incentive received;
 - commence full-time clinical practice in a permanent capacity, no later than one month after being eligible for licensure;
 - negotiate with a Regional Integrated Health Authority and commit to provide either community-based coverage outside of regular office hours,(ie, weekend, evenings) or emergency coverage, reflective of the need of the Authority;
 - provide proof of contact with a Regional Integrated Health Authority.

Application process:

- The Department of Health and Community Services will provide an application form requesting all the necessary information.
 - The application deadline is **May 30th** of each year for each subsequent year of residency training.
 - A recipient must apply each year for bursary sponsorship.
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