

Scholarships and Grants Program

Learning and Development Grants Guideline - 2022 Activity

Governing Policy: Learning and Development Grants

Rural Junior Doctors Surgical Skills Course Grant

The Rural Junior Doctors Surgical Skills Course Grant supports junior doctors who are based in a rural or regional area to undertake a surgical skills course in a rural or regional location.

Conditions

Applicant eligibility

Applications are open to junior doctors who are:

- practising in rural or regional Australia or Aotearoa New Zealand
- registered with RACS JDOCs
- a member of RACS Rural Surgery Section.

Eligible activity

The grant funds travel, accommodation or course fees to enable attendance at a surgical skills course.

Selection

Selection is based upon:

- your activity proposal including: how your activity will benefit your professional development; and contribute to improving Australian and/Aotearoa New Zealand surgical standards and knowledge base
- the expected outcomes of your activity
- proposed costs
- references

Preference may be given to applicants who wish to attend a surgical skills course delivered in a rural or regional area. The selection panel is comprised of representatives of the Rural Surgery Section, the Fellowship Services Committee and the Rural Surgery Section.

Acknowledgment

The grant is to be acknowledged by the recipient in all related communication as the Rural Junior Doctors Surgical Skills Course Grant (supported by the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons) and is to be accompanied by the Foundation for Surgery logo on all related presentations.

This guideline provides details regarding the purpose, eligibility and requirements specific to this grant. Additional Scholarships and Grants Program conditions are outlined in the Learning and Development Grants Policy.