



CASCADE MEDICAL FOUNDATION

Mark Judy Memorial Caregiver Education Fund

About the Mark Judy scholarship fund

Goal: Encourage Cascade Medical employees to continue their career training, thus enhancing Cascade Medical's skilled workforce and the community's access to quality care.

Criteria: Applicants (.6 FTE and above in any department) must have worked at Cascade Medical for one year and commit to continuing employment at CM for at least one year after their training is complete. Funds are for training, conferences, continuing education, certifications, coursework, etc., from April 1, 2026, to March 31, 2027.

Notes: *The Foundation may ask recipients to participate in publicity for the scholarship program. Anticipated scholarship awards range from \$250 to \$1,500. Cascade Medical employees who receive tuition or education reimbursement as part of their contract are not eligible for this fund.*

Timeline: 2026 application period is Jan. 5 – March 16

Email completed application package to foundation@cascademedical.org

or drop it off at the Cascade Medical Foundation office by noon on Monday, March 16.

- Application review: March 17-20
- Scholarship awards are expected to be announced before March 31.

Application information

Please provide:

Cover letter with the following information:

- **Name**
- **Job title, role, FTE status**
- **How long** (approximate number of years) **have you been employed at Cascade Medical?**
- **Amount requested**
- **Brief description of training course, conference, certificate to be funded, etc:** *Please include link and/or documentation and date when funds are needed.*

Personal statement (500 words): *Explain why you are requesting the funds and how the training will benefit you, Cascade Medical and/or the community. If part of your request is based on financial need, please provide basic information about your financial situation.*

Letter of support from your director *(Please share this section with your supervisor):*

In addition to information about the importance of training for the applicant, please include relevant strategic and/or business reasons for tuition requests (i.e.: This training will help the department start a new service, expand and enhance services or improve service to patients, our community.) The letter may also include personal statements about the applicant or about the applicant's contribution to Cascade Medical and its values.

CMF's Mission: *To enhance and financially support Cascade Medical's ability to deliver quality healthcare to our community. CMF is an equal-opportunity organization and will not discriminate based on race, sex, gender identification, sexual orientation, national origin, native language, religion, age, disability, marital status, citizenship, genetic information, pregnancy, or any other characteristic protected by law.*