



**ANZCA**  
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## Indigenous Health Committee

### Scholarship program to attend the 2022 ANZCA Annual Scientific Meeting

ANZCA offers up to three sponsorship packages for Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander and Māori senior medical students and pre-vocational doctors to attend the college's Annual Scientific Meeting (ASM).

Each package includes:

- Full ASM registration from 29 April – 3 May 2022.
- Accommodation at a nearby hotel
- Reimbursement of travel costs up to \$1,000 AUD
- Option to attend the Faculty of Pain Medicine Virtual Symposium (29 April 2021).
- Opportunity to meet college staff and Indigenous Health Committee members

For more information about this year's ASM please visit the conference [website](#).

#### Aim

Through attending the college's ASM and engaging directly with specialist anaesthetists and pain medicine physicians, the program aims to foster interest in anaesthesia, perioperative medicine and pain medicine among Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander and Māori senior medical students and pre-vocational doctors.

#### Objectives

The ASM scholarship is designed to foster interest in training in anaesthesia, perioperative medicine and pain medicine through providing a stimulating learning opportunity and facilitating communication between potential trainees and college trainees and fellows.

The program provides an opportunity to learn more about anaesthesia, perioperative medicine and pain medicine, talk to some fellows and trainees and meet college staff. Participation is designed to help you decide if speciality training with ANZCA is right for you.

#### Eligibility

Applicants must:

1. Be a penultimate or final year student in an accredited medical school or provide evidence of a position as a pre-vocational doctor in Australia or New Zealand.
2. Identify as Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander or Māori.
3. Have an interest in specialising in anaesthesia, perioperative medicine or pain medicine.
4. Be able to attend the ASM in the calendar year for which the scholarship is offered.

## Selection

Applicants should submit a copy of the application form to the ANZCA Indigenous Health Committee. Applications will be assessed by the Committee and rated on merit consistent with the eligibility criteria outlined above. Not all available awards must be awarded and this is at the discretion of the Committee.

## Conditions

- The name and photograph of the recipients of the award may be published in ANZCA media.
- The recipient will be required to supply a brief (maximum 500 words) report to the Indigenous Health Committee within one month of their attendance, reflecting on their experiences.

## Applications

Applications must include all information requested and be emailed to [Indigenoushealth@anzca.edu.au](mailto:Indigenoushealth@anzca.edu.au) by the 13 February 2022. No late applications will be considered.