

Application form/Individual  
Discovery Foundation Awards for Healthcare in rural  
and undeserved areas



(CLOSING DATE: 15 JANUARY 2025)

**Full name of applicant:**

Title:	
Surname:	First names:
Current position:	
Gender: Male    Female	
Race: African    Coloured    Indian    White	
ID number:	
Institution:	Unit/Department:
Contact details:	
Email:	Fax:
Telephone:	Cellphone:
Physical address:	Postal address:

**If research is proposed, provide full name of supervisor:**

Title:	
Surname:	First name:
Contact details of supervisor:	
Email:	Fax:
Telephone:	Cellphone:
Physical address:	Postal address:

**Award applying for:**

Family Medicine Registrars      Senior Rural Doctors      Family Medicine Specialists

If research is proposed, provide title of research topic:

Institution of supervisor:

Institution:

**Budget template for rural registrar category:**

**Important notice:** Please complete the application form in full. An incomplete application form may result in disqualification. Failure to adhere to the page and word-count limit may also result in disqualification. Anything other than the requested documents will not be considered.

Category	Cost per unit	No. of units	Total cost	Motivation	Additional funding amounts	Source of funding	Comments
<b>1. Personel for research support</b>							
Research assistant							
Biostatistician**							
Transcription/translation							
Editing							
<b>2. Travel and accommodation</b>							
Flights							
Car hire							
Accommodation							
<b>4. Administrative equipment and consumables**</b>							
Software							
Hardware							
Printing							
Stationery							
Data/airtime							
<b>5. Clinical/laboratory/Pharmaceutical equipment and consumables</b>							
Clinical equipment							
Lab equipment							
<b>6. Dissemination of research</b>							
Printing of research*							
Conference attendance**							
<b>7. Other specify</b>							
<b>TOTAL</b>							

\*\*Conference attendance to be directly related to research, a motivation is required, together with the details of the conference to be attended

\*Any publishing should be motivated

**What is not covered**

MMED fees

**Budget template for senior rural doctors award**

Category	Cost per unit	No. of units	Total cost	Motivation	Additional funding amounts	Source of funding	Comments
<b>1. Salary compensaton</b>							
Salary compensation							
<b>2. Travel and accommodation</b>							
Flights							
Car hire							
Accommodation							
<b>3. Conference fees*</b>							
<b>4. Other specify</b>							
<b>TOTAL</b>							

**Limitations of budget**

\*Conference attendance to be directly related to your area of work, a motivation is required, together with the details of the conference to be attended

**What is not covered**

- 1. Tuition fees
- 2. Duplication of salary expenses
- 3. Overtime salary

**Supporting documents required:**

- 1. Sabbatical – evidence of approval of sabbatical time by employer
- 2. Locums – supporting document to enable locum appointment
- 3. Invitation or agreement from the sabbatical host

Expected date of completion:

---

**Attach the following documents:**

---

A copy of the applicant's ID

---

A 2 – 3 page CV, Complete budget template

---

Registrars applying for an award should provide a letter of support from their academic institution

---

A letter of support from the associated academic institution (for sabbatical leave applications)

---

Complete budget template

---

Two reference letters from recent or current seniors familiar with the applicant's work

---

Research outline (introduction; objectives; method – max 300 words)

---

Short motivation for application (max 300 words)

---

Details on any planned study overseas (max 300 words)

---

Letter of acceptance from the overseas institution (if the award includes overseas study)

---

Ethics approval for research involving human subjects

---

Proof of co-funding if the budget is more than the amount available for the award

---

For MMed applications: Letter from the Dean of the Academic Institution detailing the 5 – 8 applications submitted.

---

Email completed application forms and supporting documents to [discoveryfoundation@tshikululu.org.za](mailto:discoveryfoundation@tshikululu.org.za)