

# Bendigo Rural Experience Day Out

# **Grant Application Guidelines 2019**

## Background

The Bendigo Rural Experience Day Out is an opportunity for students considering a rural clinical placement to meet health practitioners or students in their discipline, and visit a regional community. The day is intended to showcase the different opportunities within a regional setting (Bendigo), providing insight into various disciplines.

RWAV will provide a grant to support a day visit to successful applicants. The costs associated with meal and travel are included.

## Applications

Applications will open on **Monday 3 June 2019 at 9:00 am** and close on **Wednesday 26** June 2019 at 5:00 pm.

# Eligibility

Students must be studying for a degree in medicine, nursing or allied health at a university campus in Victoria.

#### Requirements

- Students must be available to attend the full day on Wednesday 3 July 2019. The bus will be departing at 8:30 am from outside 18-38 Siddeley Street, Melbourne and returning at approximately 5:30 pm.
- While RWAV aims to provide an excellent service; if students have any concerns about our services, students are required to read the RWAV Complaint Management Policy document https://www.rwav.com.au/contact-us/complaint-policy/. Any complaint must be reported to the Future Workforce Program Officer on FutureWorkforce@rwav.com.au.



# Application process

• Applications must be submitted to RWAV using the Rural Experience Day Out Grant Application Form which can be accessed on the RWAV website www.rwav.com.au/future-workforce/scholarships.

• Applicants must complete all required sections, supply all required documentation and ensure the application form is signed (digital signatures are accepted) prior to submission.

# Application assessment

• All grants will be assessed and successful recipients determined by the Future Workforce Program.

• All applicants will be notified via email of the outcome of their application within one week of applications closing.

# Preferences

Preference will be given to students:

- Who are members of a Rural Health Club where one exists at their university;
- Who are on the Bonded Medical Student scheme
- Who, in their responses, show a good understanding of rural health and Aboriginal health and commitment to working in a rural and/or Aboriginal health setting after graduation;
- Who have not yet completed a rural clinical placement; and
- Who have a lived in an MM 2-7 location for longer than five years. See **http://www.doctorconnect.gov.au/** for MM 2-7 location information.

# More information

For more information about the RWAV Bendigo Rural Experience Day Out Grant 2019, contact:

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