

TEXAS PODIATRIC MEDICAL FOUNDATION ANNUAL RESIDENT GRANT AWARD APPLICATION



PURPOSE:

The Texas Podiatric Medical Foundation provides annual grant awards. These grants are annual awards open to podiatric residents enrolled in an approved Texas Podiatric residency program. Contact the TPMF for details on sponsoring grant awards.

For 2019, 3 grant awards will be provided. Applicants must submit the below criteria to be considered. Applicants will be reviewed by the grant committee and will be notified by as soon as possible. Winners will be presented at the Annual Convention - **President's Reception on June 29 at the Hyatt Lost Pines, Bastrop(Austin), Tx.** Hotel accommodation for 1 night and ticket to event can be provided for Saturday night.

2019 Grant Awards Available:

1) Humanitarian Outreach Award \$500 grant

This award has been given since 2013 in honor of the unlimited support Dr. Don & Nelda Falknor have toward medical missions and charitable outreach on behalf of the profession. A podiatric resident applicant needs to provide 500 word paper describing:
-Why do some deserve your help and others don't.
-Also list participation in any charitable outreach including TPMF missions or other projects. They must also give ONE idea for a future outreach project that would be a good form of "giving back" to the community. *List what residency program you attend and contact information including email and cell phone.*

2) Burnett Memorial Grant \$1500 grant

This award is given by donations from the 2019 Bandera Meeting in memory of Dr. Oran Burnett, who attended all the Bandera meetings and made a positive impact on all he worked with regardless of his physical challenges. A podiatric resident may submit a minimum of 500 word paper on successful treatment options and outcome for a challenging lower extremity diabetic complication case. It may include review of a case. *The paper must include name of residency program, contact information, including email and cell phone.*

3) TPMA Memorial Grant - \$500

This award is provided by the support of all the donors to the general memorial fund in memory of family or colleagues that have passed away. A podiatric resident may submit a 500 word paper on a case study or studies on advancements in lower extremity peripheral nerve treatment **OR** in pediatric corrective surgery. **Applicant selects 1 of these 2 topics.*

The final paper submitted may have been previously published or presented. Applications must include a Curriculum Vitae/Resume and one letter of reference from an attending or associate physician.

DEADLINES:

Papers must be received by **June 3, 2019** at the TPMF main office to be considered. Papers MUST include CV, application paper as outlined above with name of grant and letter of reference. Documents may be emailed or faxed in pdf format to: staff@txpmf.org OR mailed to TPMF office address below. All papers will be reviewed by the grant committee for approval and final awards.