Funding Opportunities for Clinician / Educators:

Internal Funding Opportunities

Augusta Webster Grants for Educational Innovation

The Augusta Webster Grants for Educational Innovation offer opportunities for career development through investigator-proposed projects in medical education-related scholarship and research. These grants are sponsored by the Center for Education in Medicine, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine.

Any full-time or contributed services faculty member of the Feinberg School of Medicine is eligible to apply. Projects may be proposed for a period of one to three years, at $5,000 to $15,000 per year. These projects are funded individually or through a collaborative group proposal.

External Funding Opportunities

Stemmler Medical Research Education Grant

The goal of the Stemmler Fund is to provide support for research or development of innovative assessment approaches that will enhance the evaluation of those preparing to, or continuing to, practice medicine. Expected outcomes include advances in the theory, knowledge, or practice of assessment at any point along the continuum of medical education, from undergraduate and graduate education and training, through practice. Pilot and more comprehensive projects are both of interest. Collaborative investigations within or among institutions are eligible, particularly as they strengthen the likelihood of the project’s contribution and success.

Josiah Macy Foundation

The Macy Foundation is primarily focused on domestic health professional education. Proposals are evaluated on the importance of the project and its relevance to the Foundation's funding priorities; the significance of the project's expected results and potential applicability to similar situations; and the sponsor's commitment to continue successful programs after the Foundation's support ceases.

Alvin H. Baum Clinical Simulation Research Grants

Northwestern Memorial Foundation, in collaboration with the Alvin H. Baum Family Foundation, offers two grants supporting work in the field of simulation designed to enhance healthcare reliability for Northwestern Memorial medical and nursing staffs, management, and trainees. These awards are intended to enhance the mission and strategic plan of Northwestern Memorial Hospital.
AOA Professionalism Project 2010

Applications are encouraged for grants of $20,000 to initiate a program that encourages teaching faculty to create appropriate learning environments for professionalism, or a new project designed to ingrain professionalism in medical students and resident physicians. Up to three grants will be awarded. Application deadline is by April 1.

A Useful Resource:
Northwestern Medicine Enterprise Data Warehouse (NMEDW)

The Northwestern Medicine™ Enterprise Data Warehouse (NMEDW) is a joint initiative across the Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation, and Northwestern Memorial Healthcare Corporation. Its mission is to create a single, comprehensive, and integrated repository of all clinical and research data sources on the campus to facilitate research, clinical quality, healthcare operations, and medical education.

https://edwapps.nmff.org/EDWPortal/

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Looking for a collaborator:

To locate a Northwestern faculty member, use the Northwestern Scholars Database. This searchable database of expertise across disciplines provides faculty profiles, publications, and grant data.

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