Dear Colleagues,

As part of the AAMC's ongoing efforts to support students with Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) and undocumented status, we wanted to share a few resources that your students might find helpful in their search for supplemental funds.

The website <u>Immigrant Rising</u> has comprehensive information on <u>scholarships</u> available. There are a few scholarship lists within this larger site:

- 1. Undergraduate scholarships
- 2. <u>Undergraduate fellowships</u>
- 3. Graduate scholarships
- 4. <u>Graduate fellowships</u>

The Latin Medical Student Association also provides <u>scholarship opportunities</u> for students with DACA and undocumented status.

In addition, we wanted to highlight the <u>Pre-Health Dreamers</u> community, a network of over 1000 health career focused undocumented students. Among other resources, they have developed a consolidated list of some of the health professions specific opportunities <u>here</u> that may be of interest. For general information, the National Association for Student Financial Aid Administrators has put together a <u>tip</u> <u>sheet</u> for undocumented students that has links to scholarship resources and eligibility information.

DACA recipients are also eligible for the AAMC's Fee Assistance Program (FAP). More on eligibility requirements and information regarding this program are available here.

Students are also encouraged to speak with their student services offices at their institution that might be aware of additional opportunities. Students with DACA and undocumented status are not eligible for Title IV federal financial aid. Sometimes private loans can be an option with a qualified co-signor.

We hope you find this information helpful.

Kind Regards, Kristen

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