



MeDUSA

Social Team Event Subsidy Policy

Background

Members of the MeDUSA Pre-Clinical Social Team, including the Social Chair and Social Representatives, are often required to attend and give up their time during ticketed events to ensure they're run effectively. The expectation that Social Team members must contribute significant personal funds for the effective running of an event is unacceptable, and MeDUSA will seek to subsidise a proportion of the ticket price for Social Team members that are required to be in attendance for the event to proceed.

Position Statement

MeDUSA believes that its committee members should not be financially burdened by the requirements of their portfolio. MeDUSA will seek to subsidise Social Team members who must attend ticketed events in order to effectively fulfil their role.

Policy

1. This policy relates specifically to ticketed MeDUSA Pre-clinical Social Team events.
2. The Pre-clinical Social Team consists of 4 members: 1 Social Chair and 3 Social Representatives.
3. It is up to the Social Team (under the guidance of the Social Chair) to allocate roles depending on individual event requirements as following:
 - 3.1. One head event coordinator, who does the most work in organising as well as the running of the event, and;
 - 3.2. Up to three team members, who help with event logistics and assist in the running of the event.
4. The head event planner does not have to be the Social Chair; it is up to the Social Chair to delegate member responsibilities as per event requirements.
5. There is a maximum of 4 subsidies available for any ticketed Social Team event.
6. Subsidies:
 - 6.1. Will be determined on a per event basis;
 - 6.2. Will be set at a percentage of the event ticket price.
7. Subsidised events include, but are not limited to:
 - 7.1. Cocktail Night:
 - 7.1.1. One head event coordinator: 80% subsidy
 - 7.1.2. Up to three team members: 40% subsidy per team member
 - 7.2. Medcamp:
 - 7.2.1. One head event coordinator: 80% subsidy
 - 7.2.2. Up to three team members: 40% subsidy per team member
 - 7.3. Medball:
 - 7.3.1. One head event coordinator: 50% subsidy
 - 7.3.2. Up to three team members: 50% subsidy per team member
 - 7.4. Subsidies for other ticketed events will be determined on a case by case basis.
8. The maximum total subsidy available to the Social Team will never exceed the value of 2 tickets for any event.
9. All subsidies will be included in the Event Budget Form prior to submission.

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