BACKGROUND

The EYFDM Fund is one of our oldest initiatives and certainly one of those we are constantly proud of. Since 2012 EYFDM has financially supported dozens of young family physicians across the region and brought them closer to the international community of young general practitioners. The truly inspirational power and strength of EYFDM is based on the diversity of its members. The Fund is committed to enabling EYFDM events to become accessible for those who want to join them.

AIMS

Each member from each country is equally important but there is no equality without equity. EYFDM Fund has been created in order to equalize opportunities of participating in EYFDM events such as EYFDM Preconference, EYFDM Forum and WONCA Europe Conference.

We use the EYFDM Fund especially to support those who have low income, as well as those who are new to EYFDM. We are convinced that participation in the mentioned events can boost the motivation of being a great physician, an active member of EYFDM and build a strong network of young family doctors across the continent. Our goal is to strengthen Primary Care in each country by reinforcing, inspiring and connecting its general practitioners, the EYFDM Fund is one of the means to achieve it.
REFUND

Each of the three EYFDM Fund recipients will be given up to **1000€** of reimbursement. The refund can cover:

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- registration fee for the EYFDM Forum Vienna 2024
- the cost of flight tickets/ train tickets to EYFDM Forum Vienna 2024
- the cost of accommodation during EYFDM Forum Vienna 2024

REGISTRATION

Tickets for bursary recipients have been saved so any information about tickets being sold doesn't involve winners.

DOCUMENTS

1. Application form (saved Name_AF_Vienna 2024) (see below)
2. Proof of a young doctor status: GP trainee or during the first 6 years after training (saved as Name_Status_Vienna2024)
3. Applicant’s picture (saved as Name_Picture_Vienna2024)

All the documents must be sent to **awards@eyfdm.eu**.

CALENDAR

All the documents must be sent to the awards@eyfdm.eu by **the 12th of November.** The applicants will be informed about the results through emails by **the 17th of December.** The results will be then announced on www.eyfdm.eu

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

1. The applicant will be asked to describe her/his experience (using 250- 500 words) within one month after attending the event.
2. The applicant will be asked to send the proof of incurred costs (e.g.bills, invoices).

The reimbursement will be given up to one month after finalising mentioned above requirements.
EXCLUSION CRITERIA

We cannot provide the reimbursement if the EYFDM Fund recipient:

- is not from a country that is within the WONCA Europe region
- lives in Austria
- fails to prove attendance at the EYFDM Forum in Vienna
- fails to send a report of her/his experience within one month after the event
- fails to prove the incurred costs
- is a winner of a previous EYFDM fund or scholarship

CONSENT

By applying for the Fund, the applicant agrees on:

- using her/his photo publicity purposes on the EYFDM social media channels and/or website
- publishing her/his report about the attended events (live and/or virtual) for publicity purposes on the EYFDM social media channels and/or website

The aim of these two consents is to disseminate the value of participation in the mentioned events and raise awareness of the significance of the Fund. The personal data can be omitted at the request of the candidate.

APPLICATION FORM SEE BELOW
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Full name:
Address:
Country:
Age:
Phone:
Email:

If you are a Family Medicine trainee, please write a year of training, name and address of your training center:

If you are a Family Medicine specialist within your first 5 years after qualification, please write a month and year of the qualification:

Please, answer the following questions (use no more than 200 words for questions 1-6):

1) How will you benefit from attending the EYFDM Forum in Vienna?

2) Do you plan to invest the results of this experience in your country? If yes, how?

3) What kind of difficult life situation(s) made you apply for a bursary?

4) Have you engaged in any volunteering activity in the last 5 years? If yes, please describe briefly the activity.

5) What do you think are the strengths and weaknesses of Family Medicine in your country?

6) Have you ever published an article and/or presented oral presentation and/or poster? If yes, please indicate at least one of each. Please include details of any prizes or awards.

7) Have you submitted an abstract to EYFDM Forum in Vienna? If yes, write a title of your submission.

8) Have you ever attended a WONCA Europe or EYFDM (previously VdGM) event (Conference, Forum, Forum) If yes, please indicate which event(s).

9) Have you applied for funding for this event elsewhere? If yes, have you been successful and could you indicate how much did you receive?

10) Do you need to apply for a visa to travel to Vienna? If you receive a bursary do you wish to receive a document confirming awarding bursary to support your visa application?

The filled application form should be saved in PDF and sent to awards@eyfdm.eu