The AST Pediatrics Community of Practice (PCOP) will be awarding **one PCOP Medical Trainee ATC 2023 Travel Grant** for reimbursable expenses up to **$1,000** to attend ATC including registration and travel expenses.

Medical Trainee PCOP ATC 2023 Grant

The goal of this grant is to support interest in a career in transplantation. Going to the ATC is a great opportunity for pediatrics-committed medical students, residents, and fellows (medical or surgical) to learn more about the field of transplantation and connect with a community of mentors. This Grant is appropriate to trainees who have already committed to training in transplantation or are considering doing so in the future. Trainees do not need to be members of the American Society of Transplantation (AST) to qualify for this Grant but will need an existing member to sponsor their application.

Applicants should provide the following:

- Application
- Applicant's CV
- One (1) letter of sponsorship from a member of AST (on institutional letterhead)
- Applicant's statement of interest (200-400 words) and commitment to attend the ATC annual meeting, the AST Town Hall, and the Pediatric Community of Practice (PCOP) annual meeting during ATC (if attending in person).

The Society remains committed to a diverse and inclusive culture. The membership is encouraged to consider nominations with an eye towards diversity in age, gender, ethnicity, and race, and other underrepresented minorities as defined by AAMC.

The deadline for applications is **March 15, 2023**.

Please note that if you have already won an PCOP grant in the past, you are not eligible. While you are permitted to apply for more than one COP ATC 2023 Travel Grant, you can only be awarded one grant. In the case that you are selected for more than one grant, the applicant will choose which to accept. Recipients of the ATC Young Investigator Travel Award are ineligible for this grant. Limit one submission per individual.

Please direct questions to Olivia Snow at osnow@myast.org.