

Julia Farr MS McLeod Benevolent Fund

Leadership Grant



The Julia Farr MS McLeod Benevolent Fund provides grant funding for initiatives that offer benefits to adults living with an acquired brain injury or a degenerative neurological condition. The fund was originally established by a bequest from the estate of the late Murdoch Stanley McLeod, a prominent South Australian businessman, to help future generations of South Australians.

JFM Leadership Grant

This fund is available to assist individuals living with disability to access their chosen field of academia. Grants are intended to meet individual access needs and to ensure that individuals living with disability have the same opportunity to participate in their chosen leadership opportunity as their peers. Grants are limited to \$15,000 per applicant within a financial year and must be allocated for at least one of the following purposes:

- Access to further education such as TAFE, university or online studies; **or**
- Leadership programs such as the Leaders for Tomorrow or Women in Leadership Development (WILD); **or**
- Attendance of a conference or workshop which will inform a person's knowledge about a particular topic they are involved in; **or**
- Local, interstate or overseas research that supports a person's chosen field of academia; **or**
- Assistive technology, course enrolment fees and travel costs; **or**
- Other opportunities that arise and support a person in a leadership role and the values of the Trust.

Guidelines

- Preference is given to applications which benefit South Australians as the funds originated from South Australia.
- Trustee decisions are guided by:
 - The trust funds available
 - The nature of previous grants awarded to the applicant
 - The presence of other grant-making entities better-suited

JFM Values

The values of the Julia Farr MS McLeod Benevolent Fund seek to ensure that:

- People living with disability are able to exercise personal authority (Personhood)
- People living with disability are active citizens in the life of the community (Citizenhood)
- The capacity of people living with disability is enhanced, at the level of the individual, and the family and community (Capacity Building).

Am I eligible?

The eligibility criterion has been established to respect the original purpose of the funds as specified by the benefactor. To be eligible you must:

- Be a person aged over 18 years living with physical disability, acquired brain injury or degenerative neurological disorder; **and**
- Currently reside, or perceive you would have been eligible to reside, at Highgate Park (formerly Julia Farr Services/the Julia Farr Centre/Home for the Incurables) were your circumstances different; **and**
- Receive, or be eligible for, a disability support pension or equivalent.

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Application Form

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Have other reasonable sources of funding been pursued for this activity/item? Yes ☐ No ☐

If 'Yes' please indicate the source of funding applied for, and the outcome.

How will this opportunity assist you to build capacity and have more personal authority in your life?

Please detail how the proposed activity is the best option for what you want to achieve:

Please detail the benefits to you if you were awarded funds:

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If you are successful with this application what are your goals upon completion of this leadership opportunity?

Name of person completing this form if not the applicant: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Organisation (if applicable): _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

To apply, please send this completed application form to

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