

Apply Now for Research Funding from KidneyCure

KidneyCure grants empower nephrology-focused PhD students, fellows, early-career faculty, and educators:

- KidneyCure Pre-Doctoral Fellowship Program supports PhD students conducting kidney-related research with mentor guidance.
- Ben J. Lipps Research Fellowship Program funds nephrology fellows for original and meritorious research conducted under mentor guidance.
- Transition to Independence Grants Program supports early career faculty to foster an independent research career and a successful application for a National Institutes of Health full R01 grant or equivalent by the end of the grant period.
- William and Sandra Bennett Clinical Scholars Program supports clinician-educators to conduct a project to advance nephrology education and teaching.

Submit your application by Thursday, November 20, 2025 at 2:00 p.m. ET.



KidneyCure welcomes applications from non-US citizens who will be working in North or Central America or the Caribbean during the grant period, and encourages applications from clinical and basic scientists.

For grant and application details visit www.kidneycure.org/grants/funding.aspx





Sophia L. Ambruso, DO, FASN 2025 recipient of the William and Sandra Bennett Clinical Scholars Grant

"This grant provides more than funding—it offers time, mentorship, and a platform to develop your skills and amplify your impact."



Joanna Cunanan, MS 2025 recipient of the KidneyCure Pre-Doctoral Fellowship Award

"Applying for grants like the KidneyCure Pre-Doctoral fellowship not only helps fund your research but also pushes you to grow as a communicator, which is a crucial skill for any scientist at any stage of their career."