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To Singapore Medical Association

I am a first year medical student, and would like to express my greatest appreciation to the donors of the Medical Students' Assistance Fund.

Currently, I have four tuition sessions a week just so I can support myself and provide a little more for my family. Having to make a choice between grades and current income is a difficult one. Despite falling behind my peers academically, I still have to continue teaching my students, a great irony. In times like this, a helping hand from complete strangers is indeed very heartwarming. With the fund, I am able to reduce my tuition sessions and focus more on my studies. Not only so, I now have the financial ability to pay for my tuition fee, which takes another load off my mind.

Being a recipient of the Medical Students' Fund from the Singapore Medical Association, I am truly grateful that my woes are heard.

I believe in "paying it forward". The day will come when I too make a contribution to this fund. Even till then, I will always remember the aid given to me when I needed it most. That I can promise.

Yours sincerely,

A grateful medical student

SMA Medical Students' Assistance Fund

"There is really no more relevant cause to us than helping our poor youths who desire and deserve a meritocratic medical education."

**Dr Wong Chiang Yin
President, 49th Council
Singapore Medical Association**

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