

RURAL CLINICAL SCHOOL
2009 STUDENT SUPPORT SCHEDULE
YEAR 4/5 and 6 MBBS STUDENTS

Incentive	Description
Subsidised Rent (Accommodation Bursary)	<p>RCS Atrium Apartments / RCS Rental Properties</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single room charged at \$50-\$70 per week (commercial rate \$140/week) • Ensuite room charged at \$70-\$90 per week (commercial rate \$160/week) <p>Private Rental for Single students</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A rental subsidy of \$70 per week is available to single students in private rental accommodation • Assistance is provided in sourcing suitable private accommodation <p>Private Rental for students with partners (non MBBS students)/families</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A rental/utilities subsidy of \$170 per week applies • Assistance is provided in sourcing suitable private accommodation <p>A rental subsidy of \$50 per week is available to students paying board (to family/private). Students who are purchasing a home are not eligible for an Accommodation bursary.</p>
Subsidised electricity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electricity costs at the Apartments / RCS rentals are paid by the RCS • Students with partners/families who are renting privately receive an increased rental subsidy, contributing towards the cost of utilities (refer above)
Subsidised local calls	There is a central University phone in each Apartment / RCS rental property. Cost of calls within Tasmania is met by the RCS.
Subsidised internet	Subsidised broadband internet service with access equivalent to that available in other UTAS Accommodation Services residences; charges may apply to excess usage over the capped limit. 24 hour computer access is also available to students at the Cradle Coast Campus and in the RCS building.
Relocation Bursary	<p>Relocation Bursaries are a 'one-off' payment to students</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single medical students are paid a lump sum of \$500 to re-locate to Burnie • Students with partners/families are eligible for additional assistance to offset the cost of relocating family. This is to be negotiated in advance with the School Manager
Travel bursary	Students are expected to use their own vehicle to travel to Integrated Primary Care and Remote Medical attachments and will receive a travel bursary in accordance with the 2009 - Travel Bursary Schedule . Use of a University vehicle, in limited circumstances can be arranged, however, is subject to vehicle availability and negotiation in advance with the School Manager. Car pooling is encouraged.
Health and Fitness subsidy	The RCS will pay the \$70 annual student membership fee at the UTAS Wellness Centre - Sport & Recreation facility at Cradle Coast Campus
Conference Attendance	Students are supported to attend a GP North West annual CME Conference and may apply for financial assistance to attend other relevant conferences where the student is taking an active role.
Student Memberships (ACRRM/RACGP)	RCS will cover the costs of student membership to ACRRM (Aust College of Rural & Remote Medicine) and RACGP (Royal Aust College of General Practitioners)
CAPS Printing	Students will receive a printing subsidy in the form of a CAPS printing credit of \$50.

* It is a requirement that students complete the full academic year at the RCS in order to qualify for full financial support.
Refer to RCS Policy – Student Financial Support