An annual award offered by the University of Melbourne’s Department of General Practice to general practitioners or general practitioners in training interested in undertaking research to advance the practice of primary care through innovation, and improve health outcomes for patients in Australia.

This award aims to enhance the research skills of general practitioners by enabling them to undertake part-time research for 9-12 months.

Supervision and mentorship will be provided by experienced primary care researchers.

Successful applicants can expect to develop or extend research skills and explore possibilities of further qualifications and potential career options as primary health care researchers.

Ideally, applicants’ proposed area of research should fall within the current research themes of the Department of General Practice as detailed on the Department’s website.

2023 applications are now open and close 30 November 2022. Successful applicants will start in early February 2023.

The value of these awards range from $15,000 to $18,000 per annum depending on the level and time commitment.

For more information, including eligibility criteria and the application process scan here.