

Join the STARS Program!

The **STARS** Program, delivered by the non-profit Costs of Care, catalyzes grassroots, student-led initiatives to advance health care value in medical education. The STARS program provides both students and faculty opportunities to “lead from where you stand” and advance high-value care education, supporting their own career development and furthering our shared mission to provide the best care at lower costs for patients.

The STARS 2024 cohort will launch January 1st, 2024

***Faculty – [enroll your school today!](#)**

The STARS Program provides:

- **Education** about high-value care and leadership
- **Mentorship** for projects and scholarship
- **Networking** with a national community of health professional students and faculty
- **Opportunities** to stand-out amongst peers
- **NEW:** Advanced STARS Program for MS3 and MS4 students (*details coming November 2024*)
- **NEW:** STARS Incubators
- **NEW:** STARS Toolkits via stars.costsofcare.org
- **NEW:** STARS Mini-Grants for STARS/STARS Alumni

Innovative STARS Features:

- STARS Excellence Awards
- STARS Clerkship Task Force
- Inter-professional Inclusion



School Expectations:

- **NEW:** Invite as many health professional students as you would like to participate in the **STARS 2024 Leadership Summit** (*hosted via Zoom*)
- Each school **must select** up to **4 STARS Ambassadors** (*MS1/MS2/interprofessional preferred*) to serve as contacts for the STARS program – participating on learning collaborative calls and receiving all STARS communications and premier opportunities
- Each school **must have** at least **1 local faculty mentor** who will directly support the STARS Ambassadors

*Suggested STARS Contribution

- **\$2,000** per school
- **\$5,000** to be featured as a “STARS Sponsor School” – *school logo on STARS materials*
- **OR any \$\$\$ amount** you are willing and able to provide is meaningful!

Support STARS with a Tax-Deductible Contribution!

**ENROLL YOUR SCHOOL
BY DECEMBER 1st, 2023**



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