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Military spouses now have a new opportunity for career education. The National Institute of Whole Health (NIWH) recently announced that all military spouses, regardless of their partners’ military rank, are now eligible for the NIWH military scholarship program.

The scholarship can be used toward any of NIWH’s educational programs. Originally intended only for spouses who were eligible for Military Spouse Career Advancement Accounts (MyCAA), the program has been expanded to accommodate increased need for educational opportunities.

“Since announcing the scholarship a few months ago, we have been inundated with calls from military spouses who want to participate but do not qualify for MyCAA benefits,” said Georgianna Donadio, NIWH Program Director.

“The original intention behind the scholarship program was to assist in providing demystified whole health information for the people who need it most,” she said. “Given the response we’ve had over the past months, it is clear to us that this need exists for a much wider military spouse audience.”

Scholarship support
Millions of U.S. military spouses can now partake in NIWH’s automatic $1,250 scholarship, good toward NIWH certification programs—the Whole Health Educator, Whole Health for Nurses, Whole Health Nutrition Educator, and Whole Health Coaching certifications. The programs enable military spouses to enrich their existing education for career advancement. Spouses can train to care for the whole person, addressing not just physical health, but the emotional, nutritional, environmental, and spiritual aspects as well.

Participants can also elect to enroll in NIWH’s whole health certificate of study programs and receive a scholarship equal to 25 percent off the standard tuition. The NIWH Family Health Advocate Certificate of Study, Whole Health and Wellness Certificate of Study, and the Health and Wellness Coaching Certificate of Study are open to all noncredentialed students for personal health enrichment.

These programs were uniquely designed to assist military families in supporting their own members’ personal health needs, addressing many of the health concerns affecting active military members today, including post-traumatic stress conditions and brain injuries.

NIWH courses are delivered through a relationship-centered, whole-person-health-focused curriculum and are designed to empower learners and their clients with demystified health information to take greater control over their health and well-being. In addition, all courses are video-based and streamed online from anywhere in the world, ideal for military families who move frequently.

For more information, call 888/354-HEAL (4325) or visit www.niwh.org.