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Dear Younger Fellows and Trainees,

I am writing to remind ANZSCTS members of the 2023 Grants. Entries are now open for the Baxter grants, and winners will be announced at the 2023 ANZSCTS ASM Wellington 11th November.

Baxter Educational Grant 2023

SET Trainees and Younger Fellows (ANZSCTS members)

3 awards @ \$7000 each

Applicants submit:

- Curriculum vitae
- **1000-word essay on “Haemostasis for acute aortic dissection surgery”, or “Haemorrhage control in major thoracic trauma”**
- **4 minute video outlining how you perform an emergency room thoracotomy for a penetrating cardiac injury (stab)**
- The **essay** should include commentary on technique, blood products, haemostatic agents and what to do in cases of extreme coagulopathy (to name a few!).
- In the **video** you must demonstrate the incision graphically on a model/skeleton/artificial person.
- The educational grant is aimed at facilitating recipients’ attendance at a Cardiac or Thoracic conference/hospital unit/ clinical centre.
- Categories will be either in the sub-specialties of Cardiac OR Thoracic. One position will be allocated to a New Zealand recipient (either Cardiac or Thoracic).

The successful grant recipients will be recognized at the conference dinner of the ANZSCTS Annual Scientific Meeting in Wellington, New Zealand.

Applications must be received by the close of business Friday, October 27th 2023. Please ensure all submissions are forwarded to Nick Danes, ANZSCTS nickdanes@anzscts.org

Kind Regards,

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