

## **SUPPORTING BEREAVED FAMILIES OF HEALTHCARE WORKERS WHO LOST THEIR LIVES TO COVID-19**

Over 1,500 UK health and social care workers have lost their lives to COVID-19 since March 2020 leaving behind grieving families, many with young children.

When you lose a parent you not only lose one of your closest relatives, you also lose opportunity, financial support, family connections, mentorship, and even hope.

The HWF Families Programme exists to provide immediate assistance and ongoing support for these families.

### **HOW DO WE HELP?**

- Free bereavement counselling sessions
- Mentoring
- Legal Assistance
- Respite Breaks
- Free tutoring sessions
- Internship opportunities
- HWF Memorial Fund (grants for students in higher education)



# HWF MEMORIAL FUND

## SUPPORTING STUDENTS THROUGH HIGHER EDUCATION

As part of the Families Programme, the HWF has launched the Memorial Fund, offering financial assistance to students enrolled on higher education courses. Grants of £5,000 per year of study are available to support living costs, rent, maintenance fees and educational materials.

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## GET IN TOUCH

If your family needs help, please get in touch with us.

**Email us:** [families@healthcareworkersfoundation.org](mailto:families@healthcareworkersfoundation.org)

**Call our team on:** 07463 254017

For more information, and how to apply for help, visit our website:

[www.healthcareworkersfoundation.org/families-programme](http://www.healthcareworkersfoundation.org/families-programme)

