

Skills Enhancement Reimbursement Program

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The Skills Enhancement Reimbursement Program is available to Tampa General Hospital (TGH) regular (benefiteligible) team members. The purpose of the program is to provide financial assistance for team members, in good standing, seeking skills enhancement for cross-training skills for consolidated positions at TGH, for retraining skills to meet eligibility requirements of additional TGH positions, for required training courses for strengthening skills in current job role, or professional/national certification/recertification directly related to broadening skills in a specialty area. Training or certification programs that are provided by TGH will not be approved for reimbursement from other sources through this program. The scope, application, dollar amounts, and eligibility requirements are subject to change at any time. This program may be modified or discontinued at any time.

Eligibility Requirements are in accordance with Policy #HR-83

To Receive Skills Enhancement Reimbursement

- 1. Submit a Skills Reimbursement application via PeopleSoft Human Resources. The application link is on the Employee Self Service page.
- 2. Complete the entire application, and attach all required documentation: certificate of completion; detailed payment receipt.
- 3. Please allow at least 2-3 weeks for processing and distribution of payment.
- 4. Repeat steps 1-4 for each payment request.

NOTE: Reimbursement is limited to the amount of skill/certificate/program fee or fee paid for each course or exam, and <u>does not</u> include books, supplies, uniforms, or laboratory fees. Maximum reimbursement is based on courses completed or exams passed during a calendar year.

Amount of Skills Enhancement Reimbursement

Eligible team members whose budgeted hours are 32-63 hours per pay period may receive up to \$750 per calendar year for courses, programs, and/or initial exams that have a start date in that current year.

Eligible team members whose budgeted hours are 64 or more hours per pay period may receive up to \$1,500 per calendar year for courses, programs, and/or initial exams that have a start date in that current year.

Team members' reimbursement will be included on their paycheck within the next 2-3 pay periods. It will be part of the employee's direct deposit and will appear as a separate line on the pay stub.

Repayment of Skills Enhancement Reimbursement Payment

Team members who voluntarily terminate their employment with TGH, or whose employment with TGH is terminated for cause, must refund to TGH all reimbursement payments they have received during the 12-month period prior to the date of their termination.



How to submit an application for the tuition payment or skills reimbursement programs offered by TGH via PeopleSoft Human Resources.

