



Empower your passion for supporting healthy moms and babies!

Are you an aspiring **Doula or Lactation Consultant** looking to make a difference in your community? Meridian is excited to announce an **\$800 scholarship opportunity** to support your journey toward certification and professional growth!

What this scholarship can cover:

- Tuition
- Application
- Exam
- Training courses
- Training materials

Who should apply?

This scholarship is intended for individuals who are beginning their journey toward Lactation Consultant or Doula certification*. We're looking for applicants who are passionate about supporting birthing individuals and families—especially those who serve or plan to serve underserved communities. Applicants with plans to work in regions 4, 5, and 6 are especially encouraged to apply!

Why apply?

Meridian is committed to investing in compassionate, skilled birthworkers who will help improve maternal and infant health outcomes across our shared communities.

How to apply:

Visit mimeridian.com/community/grant-program.html to download your application.

For questions and to submit your completed application, please email CommunityGrantProgram@mimeridian.com.

Let's build a stronger, more supported birth community together!

*No longer supporting Continuing Education only

This scholarship can only be awarded once per lifetime. Scholarship funds must go towards tuition, exams, textbooks, or other course-related expenses. Receipts/proof of purchase must be submitted to the health plan timely via CommunityGrantProgram@mimeridian.com. Once certification is obtained, this must also be sent to the health plan via CommunityGrantProgram@mimeridian.com and the credentialing process must begin with Meridian (if Doula Certification is obtained). If the above are not complete, the award must be repaid within 6 months.

Meridian maintains the right to modify or discontinue this program at any time. Funding for this program will not exceed budgeted amounts.