Advancing the Future of Orthopedics

Named Endowments and Expendable Funds

Endowments are a wonderful way to create a lasting legacy and support the faculty of the Department of Orthopedics and Rehabilitation at the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health.

Named Endowments

Named endowments can be used to fund a specific project or program. Endowments can also be used to create discretionary funds that the Department can use for areas of greatest need.

Named Expendable Funds

Named expendable funds can be used to support outstanding faculty and promising students for a specific number of years. These funds can be designated to provide immediate support for specific projects and programs.



Orthopedic Faculty Support

Named endowments and expendable funds can also be used to support exceptional faculty.

- Chairs: A named chair provides support for a chair holder to explore and pursue innovative programs that help inspire and encourage research and discovery.
- **Fellowships:** Endowed fellowships are used to help recruit and retain young talent and create training and research opportunities.
- **Lectureships:** Endowed lecture funds bring visiting professors or lecturers to share their unique perspective and knowledge, creating learning opportunities for faculty.
- **Departmental Funds:** Endowed departmental funds support orthopedic and rehabilitation initiatives and priorities that otherwise would go unfunded.

Almost any type of gift can be placed into endowment funds, including gifts of cash or property, bequests, trusts, death proceeds of life insurance, cash value of life insurance or the gift element of a gift annuity. Minimum gift amounts apply when establishing endowments.

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