



Weekly Funding Opportunity Announcement
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Funding Announcements

ACTIVE LIMITED SUBMISSION COMPETITIONS:

****NEW:** [Limited Submission - Edward Mallinckrodt Jr. Foundation: Grants Program, 2018](#)

Internal deadline: June 4, 2018

Sponsor deadline: August 1, 2018

This program supports early stage investigators engaged in biomedical research that has the potential to significantly advance the understanding, diagnosis, or treatment of disease. Harvard University, as one institution, can nominate one applicant for this award and the Office of the Vice Provost for Research will manage the application and selection process for the University. Harvard Chan School applicants should apply through HUFPP (Harvard University Funding Portal). The hyperlink above will bring you to the application portal, where you can find more information on award eligibility and internal submission requirements.

****NEW:** [Limited Submission – NSF: Innovations in Graduate Education \(IGE\)/ NSF 17-585, 2018](#)

Internal deadline: July 9, 2018

Sponsor deadline: September 27, 2018

This program focuses on projects aimed at piloting, testing, and validating innovative and potentially transformative approaches to graduate education. The primary target population for IGE projects must be master's and/or doctoral STEM students in a research-based degree program that requires a thesis or dissertation.

Harvard University, as one institution, can nominate 2 applicants for this award and the Office of the Vice Provost for Research will manage the application and selection process for the University. Harvard Chan School applicants should apply through HUFPP (Harvard University Funding Portal). The hyperlink above will bring you to the application portal, where you can find more information on award eligibility and internal submission requirements.

Submission Opportunities for Students: Pharma Foundation

[Pre-Doctoral Fellowship in Informatics](#)

[Pre-Doctoral Fellowship in Pharmacology/Toxicology](#)

Internal deadline: June 30, 2018

Sponsor Deadline: September 1, 2018

Please notify interested graduate students of these opportunities. A notice of intent including applicant name, department, faculty mentor and opportunity of interest must be submitted to the Office of Research Strategy and Development

(lmelanson@hsph.harvard.edu) by **June 30, 2018**.

[Limited Submission - NIH: Interaction of HIV Infection and Alcohol Abuse on Central Nervous System Morbidity \(U01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#)

Internal deadline: May 4, 2018

Sponsor deadline: July 3, 2018

If you are interested in applying for this award, you must submit a brief Notice of Intent including PI name, department, and a brief (1-2 sentence) description of the proposed project to the Office of Research Strategy and Development (lmelanson@hsph.harvard.edu) no later than **May 4, 2018**. Based on the number of notices received, we will determine whether an internal competition is needed.

[Limited Submission - NIH: Summer Institute for Research Education in Biostatistics \(R25 - Clinical Trials Not Allowed\)](#)

Internal deadline: May 4, 2018

Sponsor deadline: June 28, 2018

If you are interested in applying for this award, you must submit a brief Notice of Intent including PI name, department, and a brief (1-2 sentence) description of the proposed project to the Office of Research Strategy and Development (Imelanson@hsph.harvard.edu) no later than **May 4, 2018**. Based on the number of notices received, we will determine whether an internal competition is needed.

[NEW: Limited Submission - Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Ltd: Innovators in Science Award, 2019](#)

Internal deadline: May 14, 2018

Sponsor deadline: June 25, 2018

This award recognizes a promising Early-Career Scientist's and an outstanding Senior Scientist's contributions to science in the therapeutic area of Regenerative Medicine. Harvard University, as one institution, can nominate one applicant for this award and the Office of the Vice Provost for Research will manage the application and selection process for the University. Harvard Chan School applicants should apply through HUFPP (Harvard University Funding Portal). The hyperlink above will bring you to the application portal, where you can find more information on award eligibility and internal submission requirements.

[Limited Submission – Brain Research Foundation: Scientific Innovations Award, 2019](#)

Internal deadline: May 17, 2018

Sponsor deadline: September 25, 2018

This program looks to support projects that may be too innovative and speculative for traditional funding sources but still have a high likelihood of producing important findings. Harvard University, as one institution, can nominate 1 applicant for this award and the Office of the Vice Provost for Research will manage the application and selection process for the University. Harvard Chan School applicants should apply through HUFPP (Harvard University Funding Portal). The hyperlink above will bring you to the application portal, where you can find more information on award eligibility and internal submission requirements.

[Limited Submission - NIH: NIH Director's Early Independence Award \(DP5 - Clinical Trial Optional\)](#)

Internal deadline: June 29, 2018

Sponsor deadline: September 27, 2018

If you are interested in applying for this award, you must submit a brief Notice of Intent including PI name, department, and a brief (1-2 sentence) description of the proposed project to the Office of Research Strategy and Development (hconrad@hsph.harvard.edu) no later than **June 29, 2018**. Based on the number of notices received, we will determine whether an internal competition is needed.

NEW RFA's:

[*NEW: NIH: BRAIN Initiative: Development and Validation of Novel Tools to Probe Cell-Specific and Circuit-Specific Processes in the Brain \(R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#)

Closing date: 09-10-2020

[*NEW: NIH: Catalyzing Innovation in Late Phase Clinical Trial Design and Statistical Analysis Plans \(U34 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#)

Closing date: 10-20-2018

[*NEW: NIH: Short-Term Research Education Program to Increase Diversity in Health-Related Research \(R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#)

Closing date: 05-07-2021

[*NEW: NIH: Undergraduate Summer Research Education in Kidney, Urologic, and Hematologic Diseases \(R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#)

Closing date: 09-07-2018

[*NEW: NIH: T32 Training Program for Institutions That Promote Diversity \(T32 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#)

Closing date: 05-07-2021

[*NEW: NIH: Improving the Reach and Quality of Cancer Care in Rural Populations \(R01 Clinical Trial Required\)](#) Closing date: 09-20-2018

NEW PA's:

[*NEW: NIH: Catalyzing Innovation in Late Phase Clinical Trial Design and Statistical Analysis Plans Resource Access \(X01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#)

Closing date: 10-20-2018

*NEW: NIH AHRQ Health Services Research Dissertation Program (R36)

Closing date: 05-02-2023

*NEW: NIH: Comprehensive Partnerships to Advance Cancer Health Equity (CPACHE) (Collaborative U54 Clinical Trial Optional)

Closing date: 01-10-2020

*NEW: NIH: Identification and Management of Behavioral Symptoms and Mental Health Conditions in Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities (R01 - Clinical Trial Optional)

Closing date: 09-08-2021

View Previously Announced NIH Opportunities:

All Active Requests for Applications (RFAs)

All Active Program Announcements (PAs)

NIH Parent Announcements

Previously Announced – Limited Submission Opportunities

Limited Submission Opportunity (LSO) – If you are interested in applying for any of the LSOs listed below, please inform ORSD at hconrad@hsph.harvard.edu. Visit the [ORSD website](#) for more information about Limited Submission opportunities.

Limited submission - NIH: Administrative Supplements to NIGMS Predoctoral Training Grants for the Development of Activities to Prepare Trainees for Careers in the Biomedical Research Workforce (Admin Supp Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Sponsor deadline: May 18, 2018

Limited Submission - NIH: Development of Curricular or Training Activities in Rigor and Transparency to Enhance Reproducibility (Admin Supp Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Sponsor deadline: May 18, 2018

Limited Submission - NIH: Development of Curricular or Training Activities in Laboratory Safety (Admin Supp Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Sponsor deadline: May 18, 2018

Limited Submission - NIH: Development of Curricular or Training Activities in Skills Development (Admin Supp Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Sponsor deadline: May 18, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission - NIH: Jointly Sponsored Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award Institutional Predoctoral Training Program in the Neurosciences (T32)

Sponsor deadline: May 25, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Jointly Sponsored Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award Institutional Predoctoral Training Program in the Neurosciences (T32)

Sponsor deadline: May 25, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission- NIH: Coordination Center for the Models of Infectious Disease Agent Study (MIDAS) Program (U24 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Sponsor deadline: May 31, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission - NIH: Limited Competition: Revision Applications for International Centers of Excellence for Malaria Research (U19 Clinical Trial Optional)

Sponsor deadline: 05-30-2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission - NIH: Silvio O. Conte Digestive Diseases Research Core Centers (P30 Clinical Trial Optional)

Sponsor deadline: June 1, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Silvio O. Conte Digestive Diseases Research Core Centers (P30)

Sponsor deadline: June 1, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission- NIH: Alzheimer's Disease Research Centers (P30 - Clinical Trials Not Allowed)

Sponsor deadline: June 04, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission: NIH: Building Infrastructure Leading to Diversity (BUILD) Initiative Phase II (U54 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Sponsor deadline: June 11, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission - NIH: NIAMS Skin Biology and Diseases Resource-based Centers (P30 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Sponsor deadline: June 11, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission - NIH: NIAMS Musculoskeletal Biology and Medicine Resource-based Centers (P30 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Sponsor deadline: June 11, 2018

Limited Submission - NIH: Autoimmunity Centers of Excellence, Basic Research Program (U19 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Sponsor Deadline: June 22, 2018

Limited Submission - NIH: Autoimmunity Centers of Excellence, Clinical Research Program (UM1 Clinical Trial Required)

Sponsor Deadline: June 22, 2018

CLOSED: Limited Submission – American Diabetes Association: Pathway to Stop Diabetes

Sponsor deadline: July 2, 2018

Limited Submission - William T. Grant Foundation: Scholars Program

Sponsor deadline: July 5, 2018

Limited Submission – NIH: National Dental Practice-Based Research Network: Administrative and Resource Center (U19 Clinical Trial Required)

Sponsor deadline: July 17, 2018

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Previously Announced: Limited Submission – Breast Cancer Alliance: Exceptional Projects Grant

Sponsor deadline: July 20, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission - NIH: Centers of Biomedical Research Excellence (COBRE) (P20 Clinical Trial Optional)

Sponsor Deadline: January 24, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission - NIH: Institutional Development Award (IDeA) Program Infrastructure for Clinical and Translational Research (IDeA-CTR) (U54 Clinical Trial Optional)

Sponsor Deadline: October 2, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: NIOSH Occupational Safety and Health Education and Research Centers (T42)

Closing Date: November 21, 2019

CLOSED: The Harvard Chan School has an existing NIOSH training grant.

Previously Announced: Limited Submission - NIH: Science Education Partnership Award (SEPA) (R25)

Closing date: 07-10-2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Stimulating Access to Research in Residency (StARR) (R38)

Closing Date: January 25, 2020

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: NEI Center Core Grant for Vision Research (P30)

Sponsor Deadline: September 19, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: NINDS Neuroscience Development for Advancing the Careers of a Diverse Research Workforce (R25)

Closing Date: September 26, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Institutional Development Award (IDeA) Program Infrastructure for Clinical and Translational Research (IDeA-CTR)(U54)

Closing Date: October 3, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Centers for AIDS Research (P30)

Closing Date: August 18, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Developmental Centers for AIDS Research (P30)

Closing Date: August 18, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Environmental Health Sciences Core Centers (EHS CC) (P30)

Closing Date: April 18, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Research Education: Bridges to the Doctorate (R25)

Closing Date: September 26, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: IDeA Networks of Biomedical Research Excellence (INBRE) (P20)

Closing Date: March 28, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: National Primate Research Centers (P51)

Closing Date: January 26, 2020

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Jointly Sponsored Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award for Institutional Predoctoral Training Programs in the Neurosciences (T32)

Closing Date: May 26, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Cancer Center Support Grants (CCSGs) for NCI-designated Cancer Centers (P30)

Closing Date: January 8, 2020

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Silvio O. Conte Digestive Diseases Research Core Centers (P30)

Closing Date: June 2, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Postbaccalaureate Research Education Program (PREP) (R25)

Closing Date: January 25, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Research Education: Initiative for Maximizing Student Development (IMSD) Program (R25)

Closing Date: January 29, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission: NIOSH Centers of Excellence for Total Worker Health® (U19)

Closing Date: November 30, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Centers of Biomedical Research Excellence (COBRE) (P20)

Closing Date: January 25, 2019

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Research Initiative for Scientific Enhancement (RISE) (R25)

Closing Date: May 26, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Bridges to the Doctorate (R25)

Closing Date: September 26, 2018

Previously Announced: Limited Submission – NIH: Institutional Research and Academic Career Development Awards (IRACDA) (K12)

Closing Date: September 20, 2018

Other Federal Funding Announcements

Administration for Children and Families

Center for Disease Control and Prevention

Department of Defense

*NEW: DoD: Peer Reviewed Cancer, Translational Team Science Award

Closing date: September 26, 2018

*NEW: DoD: Peer Reviewed Cancer, Impact Award

Closing date: September 26, 2018

*NEW: DoD Peer Reviewed Cancer, Idea Award with Special Focus

Closing date: September 26, 2018

*NEW: DoD: Peer Reviewed Cancer, Career Development Award

Closing date: September 26, 2018

*NEW: DoD: Bone Marrow Failure Idea Development Award

Closing date: November 1, 2018

*NEW: DoD: Gulf War Illness, Investigator-Initiated Focused Research Award

Closing date: November 8, 2018

DoD: PRMRP Investigator-Initiated Research Award

Closing date: September 20, 2018

DoD: PRMRP Discovery Award

Closing date: June 28, 2018

DoD: PRMRP Technology/Therapeutic Development Award

Closing date: September 20, 2018

DoD PRMRP Focused Program Award

Closing date: September 20, 2018

DoD: Ovarian Cancer Investigator-Initiated Research Award

Closing date: August 22, 2018

DoD: Ovarian Cancer, Ovarian Cancer Academy- Early-Career Investigator Award

Closing date: August 8, 2018

DoD: Ovarian Cancer, Omics Consortium Development Award

Closing date: August 8, 2018

DoD: Ovarian Cancer Clinical Development Award

Closing date: August 8, 2018

[DoD: Ovarian Cancer Pilot Award](#)

Closing date: August 22, 2018

[DOD: FY18 Breast Cancer Research Program \(BCRP\)](#)

Multiple deadlines

[DOD: Air Force Fiscal Year 2019 Young Investigator Research Program \(YIP\)](#)

Closing date: June 1, 2018

[DoD: Breast Cancer Research Program](#)

Multiple deadlines

[DoD: Reconstructive Transplant Research Program](#)

Multiple deadlines

[DoD: Gulf War Illness Research Program](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: Peer Reviewed Cancer Research Program](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: Tick-Borne Disease Research Program](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: Tuberous Sclerosis Complex Research Program](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy Research Program \(DMDRP\)](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: Peer Reviewed Medical Research Program \(PRMRP\)](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: Peer Reviewed Orthopaedic Research Program \(PRORP\)](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: Prostate Cancer Research Program \(PCRP\)](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: FY17 Ovarian Cancer Research Program \(OCRP\)](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: FY17 Multiple Sclerosis Research Program](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: FY17 Lung Cancer Research Program \(LCRP\)](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: FY17 Breast Cancer Research Program \(BCRP\)](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: FY17 Bone Marrow Failure Research Program](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

[DoD: FY17 Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Research Program](#)

Various Mechanisms/Deadlines

Department of Health and Human Services

*NEW: HHS: Developing Standards and Principles to Effectively Administer and Integrate Public Health Statistics into the National Environmental Public Health Tracking Network

Closing date: July 3, 2018

*NEW: HHS: Identifying Common and Unique Barriers to the Exchange of Hospital Inpatient and Emergency Department Data

Closing date: July 3, 2018

HHS: Development of a virtual bioequivalence trial simulation platform that integrates population pharmacokinetic modeling algorithms into physiologically-based pharmacokinetic models (U01)

Closing date: June 20, 2018

HHS: Enhancing Innovations in Emerging Technologies for Advanced Manufacturing of Complex Biologic Products (R01)

Closing date: June 25, 2018

HHS: FY18 Announcement of the Availability of Funds for Phase I New and Innovative Strategies (Tier 2) to Prevent Teenage Pregnancy and Promote Healthy Adolescence

Closing date: June 29, 2018

HHS: UA6 Life Course Intervention Research Network (LCI-RN)

June 12, 2018

HHS: Making Health care Safer in Ambulatory Care Settings and Long Term Care Facilities (R18)

September 7, 2021

HHS: Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Research Centers

Closing date: June 25, 2018

HHS: Exploration of HL7 FHIR Standards for Clinical Research and Post-market Surveillance (U24)

Closing date: June 11, 2018

HHS: Research Grants for the Primary or Secondary Prevention of Opioid Overdose (R01)

Closing date: May 15, 2015

HHS: Identify, Analyze, and Evaluate Potential Risk Factors for Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS)

Closing date: April 30, 2018

HHS: 2018 Evidence-Based Falls Prevention Program financed by Prevention and Public Health Fund
Department of Health and Human Services

Anticipated closing date: April 30, 2018

HHS: 2018 Empowering Older Adults and Adults with Disabilities through Chronic Disease Self-Management Education Programs
Financed by the Prevention and Public Health Fund

Anticipated closing date: April 30, 2018

Department of Energy

DOE: Notice of Intent to issue Funding Opportunity Announcement DE-FOA-0001630: Building America Industry Partnerships for High Performance Housing Innovation - 2017

Closing Date: TBD

Department of Justice

DOJ: NIJ FY18 Research and Evaluation on Trafficking in Persons

Closing date: May 22, 2018

DOJ: NIJ FY18 Research on Reducing Violence in Communities

Closing date: May 21, 2018

DOJ: Army Research Institute for the Behavioral and Social Sciences Broad Agency Announcement for Basic Scientific Research (2018)

Closing date: June 15, 2018

DOJ: NIJ FY18 Investigator-Initiated Research and Evaluation on Firearms Violence

Closing date: May 14, 2018

DOJ: NIJ FY18 Research and Evaluation in Safety, Health, and Wellness in the Criminal Justice System

Closing date: May 14, 2018

Department of State

Health Resources and Services Administration

National Science Foundation

*NEW: NSF: FDA Scholar-In-Residence at FDA

Closing date: Rolling

*NEW: NSF: Smart and Autonomous Systems

Closing date: July 31, 2018

*NEW: NSF: Postdoctoral Research Fellowships in Biology (PRFB)

Application deadline: November 6, 2018

NSF: Centers for Chemical Innovation

Closing date: Oct 10, 2018

NSF: Computer and Information Science and Engineering (CISE) Research Initiation Initiative

Closing date: August 8, 2018

NSF: Future of Work at the Human-Technology Frontier: Advancing Cognitive and Physical Capabilities

Closing date: June 4, 2018

NSF: Innovations at the Nexus of Food, Energy and Water Systems (INFEWS)

Closing date: September 26, 2018

NSF: Formal Methods in the Field

Closing date: May 8, 2018

NSF: Critical Techniques, Technologies and Methodologies for Advancing Foundations and Applications of Big Data Sciences and Engineering

Closing date: May 14, 2018

NSF: Smart and Connected Health

Closing date: May 22, 2018

NSF: Research Coordination Networks (RCN)

Rolling Deadline

NSF: Biological and Environmental Interactions of Nanoscale Materials

No Deadline - Proposals for this program will be accepted throughout the year.

U.S. Agency for International Development

USAID: Feed the Future Global Food Security BAA

Closing Date: March 28, 2019

USAID: Science, Technology, Innovation, and Partnerships in Higher Education Program

Closing date: March 4, 2019

[USAID: The USAID Global Health Challenge BAA](#)

Closing Date: May 30, 2018

[USAID: The USAID Fighting Ebola BAA](#)

Closing Date: N/A

[USAID: Research and Innovation for Health Supply Chain Systems and Commodity Security](#)

Closing Date: May 29, 2019

USDA

[USDA: Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Sustainable Agricultural Systems](#)

Closing date: October 10, 2018

[USDA: Program funding for NRCS Conservation Innovation Grants CIG for FY18](#)

Closing date: May 21, 2018

[USDA: Higher Education Challenge Grants Program](#)

Closing date: May 7, 2018

[USDA: Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational Program](#)

Closing Date: September 30, 2018

Internal Funding Opportunities

[Internal Funding: Foundations of Human Behavior Institute](#)

Application deadline: May 31, 2018

These funds support transformative research in the social and behavioral sciences by providing seed grants. Successful proposals will be those that promise to advance understanding of the social, institutional and biological mechanisms shaping human beliefs and behavior. The funds will be used to support interdisciplinary social science research projects based on innovative experimental or observational designs that make use of sophisticated quantitative methods.

[Internal funding: Dean's Fund for Scientific Advancement: Acceleration Award](#)

Application deadline: June 18, 2018

Acceleration Awards are collaboration-focused planning grants supporting research, platforms, and education. Up to three awards will be distributed annually across three focal areas: Research Grants; Research Platforms; and Public Health Pedagogy. The actual number of awards distributed in each focal area may vary based on School priorities.

[Internal funding – Harvard Catalyst: Primary & Secondary Prevention of Eating Disorders.](#)

Letter of Intent: June 1, 2018

Application deadline: September 14, 2018

This pilot grant opportunity seeks to engage a broad range of investigators (clinical, public health, public policy, law, education, and others) throughout Harvard and its affiliated academic healthcare centers. The grant will provide seed money for cutting-edge, collaborative, interdisciplinary translational research to enhance understanding of eating disorders disparities and primary and secondary prevention efforts that may address these disparities.

[Internal Funding – Harvard's Solar Geoengineering Research Program](#)

Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis.

Harvard's Solar Geoengineering Research Program (SGRP) invites faculty and researchers throughout Harvard to apply for grants. No prior experience in solar geoengineering required. The goal of the program is to: Take an active stance on research with a unique mandate to develop new path-breaking technologies that might improve solar geoengineering's effectiveness and reduce its risks; Employ Harvard's convening power to bring together scientists, environmental leaders, and government officials to discuss the technology and its governance; Advance science and technology, assess efficacy and risks, and lay out governance options and social implications.

Non-Federal Funding Opportunities

[*NEW: Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation: Ending the Pandemic Threat: A Grand Challenge for Universal Influenza Vaccine Development](#)

Application deadline: June 22, 2018

The goal of this Grand Challenge is to identify novel, transformative concepts that will lead to development of universal influenza vaccines offering protection from morbidity and mortality caused by all subtypes of circulating and emerging (drifted and shifted) Influenza A subtype viruses and Influenza B lineage viruses for at least three to five years.

[*NEW: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation: Policies for Action: Policy and Law Research to Build a Culture of Health](#)

Application deadline: June 7, 2018

Policies for Action was created to help build the evidence base for policies that can help build a Culture of Health. The Foundation is interested in learning how national, state or local policies can promote lifelong health and health equity for individuals, families, and communities; as well as what enabling factors promote the adoption and spread of good policies.

[*NEW: amfAR: Mathilde Krim Fellowships in Basic Biomedical Research](#)

Application deadline: July 7, 2018

The goal of amfAR's Mathilde Krim Fellowships in Basic Biomedical Research is to: Facilitate the exceptional postdoctoral researcher's transition to an independent career in HIV/AIDS research within an academic institution or nonprofit organization; Support two years of postdoctoral basic biomedical research (phase I); Provide the possibility of one additional year of research funding during the first year of an independent research position (phase II).

[AHA: Research Funding Program 2018-2019](#)

Multiple deadlines

AHA awards are open to an array of academic and health professionals. Clinical, translational, population, behavioral, and basic scientists are encouraged to apply. AHA maintains dedicated Peer Review Committees by program type and science type.

[Breast Cancer Alliance: Young Investigator Grants](#)

Application deadline: July 20, 2018

This grant is intended to help advance the careers of young researchers who do not yet have their own major grant support. For clarity, current postdoctoral fellows who do not yet hold a faculty position are eligible to apply, provided they meet all the other stated criteria for Young Investigators. All research projects must be directly related to breast cancer.

[Craig H. Neilsen Foundation: Spinal Cord Injury Research on the Translational Spectrum \(SCIRTS\) - SCIRTS Senior Research Grants](#)

Letter of Intent: May 4, 2018

Application deadline: October 12, 2018

This grant focuses on research designed to improve understanding and advance the current treatment of acute and chronic spinal cord injury. Three-year Senior Research Grants encourage senior-level investigators to expand the scope of their work in targeted studies that will move the field along the translational spectrum. These grants are intended to open new areas of research, fill gaps in the spinal cord injury field and encourage cutting-edge ideas and approaches that have great potential, despite some additional uncertainty.

[Caplan Foundation for Early Childhood: Grant Program](#)

Letter of Inquiry: May 31, 2018

These grants is made with the expectation that a successful project outcome will be of significant interest to other investigators or developers, within the grantee's field of endeavor, and will be amenable to beneficial application or adaptation elsewhere. In essence, the foundation's goal is to provide seed money for those imaginative endeavors, addressed to the needs of young children, which appear most likely to bear fruit on a national scale.

[Alex's Lemonade Stand: Familial RUNX1 Grant Program](#)

Application Deadline: October 1, 2018

The purpose of the grant is to fund research in strategies leading to the development of therapies to prevent the transition from pre-leukemia to leukemia for patients with FPD/AML. Projects should focus on leukemia caused by familial RUNX1 mutations rather than sporadic AML with somatic RUNX1 mutations.

[Robert Wood Johnson Foundation: Evidence for Action: Making Health a Shared Value](#)

Application deadline: June 1, 2018

The Foundation seeks evidence on the extent to which Action Area 1 drivers—mindsets and expectations, sense of community, and civic engagement—can be changed through intervention at the individual or population levels to result in better health, well-being and equity outcomes. An ideal study to provide such evidence would experimentally manipulate a driver, measure changes in that driver, and then measure resulting health impacts.

[William T. Grant Foundation: Institutional Challenge Grant](#)

Application Deadline: September 7, 2018

The Foundation encourages university-based research institutes, schools, and centers to build sustained research-practice partnerships with public agencies or nonprofit organizations in order to reduce inequality. To do so, research institutions will need to shift their policies and practices to value collaborative research. They will also need to build the capacity of researchers to produce relevant work and the capacity of agency and nonprofit partners to use research.

[William T. Grant Foundation: Research Grants](#)

Application Deadline: May 2, 2018

This program seeks research that builds stronger theory and empirical evidence in our focus areas: programs, policies, and practices that reduce inequality in youth outcomes, and strategies to improve the use of research evidence in ways that benefit youth. We intend for the research we support to inform change. While we do not expect that any one study will create that change, the research should contribute to a body of useful knowledge to improve the lives of young people.

[Paralyzed Veterans of America: Research Grants](#)

Application deadline: July 1, 2018

The Research Foundation is focused on funding projects grounded in basic laboratory science and the education of scientists working on breakthroughs directed toward a cure for paralysis or the secondary medical conditions, and technologies associated with spinal cord injury or disease (SCI/D). These projects should be designed to find better treatments and cures for paralysis, to support efforts to improve the quality of life of individuals with SCI/D until improved clinical treatments

[Children's Cardiomyopathy Foundation: Research Grant Program](#)

Closing date: June 18, 2018

This program is designed to provide seed funding to investigators for the testing of initial hypotheses and collecting of preliminary data to help secure long-term funding by the National Institutes of Health and other major granting institutions.

[The MAYDAY Fund of New York: Research Grants](#)

Deadline: Rolling

These awards support innovative projects to close the gap between knowledge and practice in the treatment of pain, as well as projects to build on the current knowledge base. The MAYDAY Fund's current grant-making targets are projects to address the following needs: Research Bench to Bedside; Pain Thermometer; Knowledge & Networks; Alternative Strategies & Therapies.

[The Gerber Foundation: Pediatric Research Grants](#)

Application deadline: August 15, 2018

The Foundation is particularly interested in fresh approaches to solving common, everyday problems or emerging issues within our defined focus area. Projects should focus on issues faced by care providers that, when implemented, will improve the health, nutrition and/or developmental outcomes for infants and young children.

[Pfizer: Antimicrobial Stewardship in the Asia-Pacific Region](#)

Application deadline: August 3, 2018

Pfizer is seeking quality improvement research, health services research and/or educational research applications that identify and evaluate practices for successfully implementing key elements of antimicrobial stewardship programs within hospitals and other healthcare organizations.

[Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation: Grand Challenges](#)

Application deadline: May 2, 2018

Grand Challenges is a family of initiatives fostering innovation to solve key global health and development problems. Each initiative is an experiment in the use of challenges to focus innovation on making an impact. Individual challenges address some of the same problems, but from differing perspectives.

[Huntington's Disease Society of America: HD Human Biology Project](#)

Application deadline: July 27, 2018

The goal of the program is to offer support for investigator-initiated research directed to better understand the biology of Huntington's disease (HD) as it occurs in humans. The research projects and observations resulting from them should have the potential to directly impact the lives of patients or help guide future drug development for HD.

[Dravet Syndrome Foundation: Research Grant Program](#)

Letter of Intent: May 18, 2018

Application deadline: September 7, 2018

This program offers grants for research directly related to Dravet syndrome and associated disorders. These research grants fund initial research hypotheses that have not been fully explored. The results extracted from this type of research will help bring untested research to the point that it can qualify for larger governmental funding. Research applications are judged principally on novelty of the hypotheses, innovative approaches with a direct relevance and application to Dravet syndrome and related epilepsies, scientific quality, strength of approach, and likelihood of success.

[Foundation for Prader-Willi Research \(FPWR\): FPWR Grant Program](#)

Application deadline: May 10, 2018 (tentative)

The Foundation for Prader-Willi Research (FPWR) is dedicated to supporting research to advance the understanding and treatment of Prader-Willi syndrome (PWS). FPWR accepts applications in all areas of research relevant to PWS, but we are particularly interested in supporting projects that will lead to new interventions to alleviate the symptoms associated with PWS.

[Pfizer: Independent Grants for Learning & Change, Patient Decision Aids for Inflammatory Conditions](#)

Application Deadline: May 28, 2018

The mission of Pfizer Independent Grants for Learning & Change (IGLC) is to partner with the global healthcare community to improve patient outcomes in areas of mutual interest through support of measurable learning and change strategies. It is our intent to support projects that focus on the development of a PDA for several therapeutic areas, including: ulcerative colitis (UC), psoriatic arthritis (PsA), Atopic Dermatitis (AD), and rheumatoid arthritis (RA) for patients to be used when being treated by specialists or other primary care healthcare providers.

[Mendez National Institute of Transplantation Foundation: Research Grant Program](#)

Application Deadline: July 15, 2018

The aim of this program is to improve clinical outcomes and positively impact the field of transplantation. The Foundation plans to achieve this by empowering patients with end-stage organ disease and transplant recipients through education to proactively manage their health and improve their long-term outcomes.

[Orthopaedic Research and Education Foundation: Research Program](#)

Multiple deadlines

The Orthopaedic Research and Education Foundation (OREF) is committed to improving lives by supporting excellence in orthopaedic research. OREF is dedicated to being the leader in supporting research that improves function, eliminates pain and restores mobility, and is the premiere orthopaedic organization funding research across all specialties.

[Allen Foundation: Grants Program](#)

Sponsor deadline: September 15, 2018

Established Investigator Grant: The Foundation seeks applications from promising individuals both inside and outside the field of scleroderma research who wish to propose pilot studies to obtain preliminary data dealing with a highly innovative and/or highly relevant theme related to the disease. This grant will support pilot research that is likely to lead to more substantial unlimited research project grants from federal or non-federal sources.

New Investigator Award: The Scleroderma Foundation seeks applications from promising new investigators who hold faculty or equivalent positions and who wish to pursue a career in research related to scleroderma. This grant supports promising research that is likely to lead to individual research project grants.

[Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America: Broad Medical Research Program](#)

Application deadline: Rolling

The BMRP is funding innovative research into the possible reasons for low and high incidence of IBD in different areas of the globe. Proposals should be exploratory in nature or designed as pilot. The research should shed light on factors that may influence low versus high global areas of prevalence of the disease. The research should ultimately be helpful in improved understanding of the etiology of IBD and the factors that enhance or prevent the genesis of the disease.

[PCORI: Eugene Washington PCORI Engagement Awards](#)

Application Deadline: Multiple deadlines

The Eugene Washington PCORI Engagement Awards offer two different funding opportunities: The Eugene Washington PCORI Engagement Awards, and Engagement Award Initiative Notice (EAIN) for Research Meeting and Conference Support. It is important that you click on the correct link to enter the application system because the application process is different.

[Robert Wood Johnson Foundation: Pioneering Ideas and a Culture of Health](#)

Letter of Inquiry: Rolling Deadline

The goal of this award is to look into the future and put health first as we design for changes in how we live, learn, work and play; to wade into uncharted territory in order to better understand what new trends, opportunities and breakthrough ideas can enable everyone in America to live the healthiest life possible. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation focuses on four broad areas: Health Leadership; Health Systems; Healthy Communities; and Healthy Kids, Healthy Weight.

[Robert Wood Johnson Foundation: Evidence for Action: Investigator-Initiated Research to Build a Culture of Health](#)

Letter of Inquiry: Rolling Deadline

This program funds research that expands the evidence base needed to build a Culture of Health. RWJF is looking for research that examines the health impacts of programmatic or policy interventions that address factors outside the domain of health care services or public health practice.

[Simons Foundation: SFARI Explorer Awards](#)

Application Deadline: Rolling

This award program is designed to enhance our existing support of autism research by providing timely resources to enable focused experiments highly relevant to our mission. A deeper understanding of the mechanisms underlying autism spectrum disorders or potential therapeutic approaches will require investigation at multiple levels, including but not limited to studies focused on gene discovery, molecular mechanisms, circuits, anatomy, and cognition and behavior. We will consider proposals at all of these levels.

[Genome-Wide Investigation of Late-Effects Using the Childhood Cancer Survivor Study \(CCSS\) Cohort](#)

Application Deadline Rolling

The CCSS leadership is now broadening the scope of this initiative to study the role of genetic susceptibility in the development of non-malignant treatment-related outcomes (in addition to subsequent malignancies) in cancer survivors. Accordingly, CCSS is announcing a request for proposals to collaborate with CCSS and NCI investigators in the use of existing genome-wide association study (GWAS) data and corresponding outcomes-related data to address innovative research questions relating to potential genetic contributions to risk for treatment-related outcomes. Requests will be accepted on an ongoing basis. Requests will be reviewed three times per year, in February, June and October (cut-offs for receipt of applications will be February 1st, June 1st, and October 1st).

[Alfred P. Sloan Foundation: Economic Institutions, Behavior and Performance Grants](#)

Deadline: Continuous

The Foundation's program on Economic Institutions, Behavior, and Performance supports rigorous and objective research projects on U.S. economic structure, behavior, and performance whose findings inform and strengthen decision-making by regulators, policymakers, and the public.

[American Association for Respiratory Care \(AARC\) Research Program](#)

Deadline: Continuous

The American Association for Respiratory Care Research Program was established in 1996 to sponsor research to determine relationships between clinical interventions by respiratory therapists and the outcomes of care. The primary purpose of the AARC Research Program is to sponsor research initiatives which can document the clinical and economic impact of respiratory therapists in the delivery of health care. Clinical trials and effectiveness research to determine how clinical interventions by respiratory therapists affect overall health of patients, including physiologic indicators and quality of life, will be considered for funding.

[Wellcome Trust: Innovator Awards](#)

Deadline: Continuous

These awards support researchers who are transforming great ideas into healthcare innovations that could have a significant impact on human health. Our current focus areas are mental health, neurological disorders and neglected tropical diseases.

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