

NIH Funding for European Researchers



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Learning Objectives

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To help you:

1. Find funding opportunities with NIH
2. Understand the NIH grants process
3. Know who to contact at NIH
4. Become familiar with key NIH resources



U.S. Department of Health & Human Services



National Institutes of Health

Turning Discovery Into Health

Understanding NIH is Key to Navigating NIH Funding



Mission



To seek fundamental knowledge about the nature and behavior of living systems and

the application of that knowledge to enhance health, lengthen life, and reduce illness and disability

27 Institutes and Centers (ICs) 24 of which fund grants

Each with a different:

- mission & priorities
- budget
- funding strategy



A Look at the Numbers

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NIH
FY 2018

- Supported research at more than 2,700 organizations
- Received 54,834 competing research project grant applications
- Made 11,071 awards

When Does NIH Supports International Research?

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Unique opportunity due to special talents, resources, populations, etc. unavailable in the U.S.

Relevance to NIH mission and objectives; potential for significantly advancing health sciences in the U.S.

Foreign Eligibility

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- Foreign institutions **are** eligible for many NIH research project grants.
- Foreign institutions **are not** eligible for most small business, fellowship, career development, training grant, center grants, and construction grants. (There are rare exceptions.)
 - U.S citizenship is required for PIs on small business, fellowship and training grants.

How NIH Invests Globally

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Fiscal Year	Direct Foreign Awards	Domestic Awards with Foreign Component
2018	544	6,958
2017	498	6,345
2016	549	6,303

Traditional Subcontract/Consortium Arrangement

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- U.S. institution is responsible
- Requires a formalized written agreement
- Substantial scientific involvement
- Ensure you understand the rules and regulations
- U.S. awardees will flow down to foreign subrecipients applicable parts of the Uniform Guidance and monitor foreign entity progress

Find potential partnerships using:



NIH RePORTER

Version: 7.40.0

ProjectReporter.nih.gov

Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOAs)

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Used to advertise grant opportunities

Contain information for successful application

- Due dates,
- Individual and organizational eligibility
- Submission requirements
- Scientific area(s)
- Review criteria
- Award administration
- Agency points-of-contact



NIH Advertises FOAs in Two Places

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NIH Guide to Grants and Contracts

<https://grants.nih.gov/funding/searchguide>

- FOAs (NIH, AHRQ, some CDC and FDA)
- Notices of special interest
- Policy notices
- Notices of changes to FOAs



Grants.gov

<https://www.grants.gov>

- FOAs for all US Federal agencies
- No agency specific notices

Search both: NIH Guide – full text & notices. Grants.gov – synopsis & all agencies.

Types of Funding Opportunity Announcements

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Type of FOA	Description
Program Announcements (PA, PAR, PAS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Highlights areas of focus• Usually ongoing (3 yrs)• Often use standard receipt dates
Requests for Applications (RFA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Narrowly defined scope• Usually single receipt date• Set aside funds• IC usually convenes review panel
Parent Announcements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Type of program announcement• No science specified• Many NIH institutes and centers participate• By activity code (R01, R03, etc)• For “investigator initiated” or “unsolicited” research

Moving towards using Notices of Special Interest

Tips for Choosing the Right FOA

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Check participating NIH Institutes – should align with your research

- Also check related notices - notices of special interest may identify institutes participating that are not listed in the FOA

Determine if NIH considers your study to be a clinical trial

- Our decision tool can help <https://grants.nih.gov/ct-decision/>
- Pick an FOA accordingly

Review FOA for Eligibility

- Foreign Institutions may or may not be eligible
- Foreign components may not be allowed
- Foreign components may or may not be required
- Foreign applicants required to submit detailed budgets



TIP

FOA Section 3: Eligibility

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Eligibility differs by FOA. For example:

Section III. Eligibility Information

1. Eligible Applicants

Eligible Organizations

Higher Education Institutions

Nonprofits Other Than Institutions of Higher Education

For-Profit Organizations

Governments

Foreign Institutions

Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) **are** eligible to apply.

Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations **are** eligible to apply.

Foreign components, as [defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement](#), **are** allowed.

FOA Section 7: Contacts

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Talk with NIH scientific/program staff about your idea and where it fits

Section VII. Agency Contacts

We encourage inquiries concerning this funding opportunity and welcome the opportunity to answer questions from potential applicants.

Scientific/Research Contact(s)

Participating NIH Institutes and Centers are listed in “Components of Participating Organizations” in [Part 1. Overview](#). Scientific/Research Contact information is listed on the [R01 IC-Specific Scientific Interests and Contact](#) website.

Peer Review Contact(s)

Examine your eRA Commons account for review assignment and contact information (information appears two weeks after the submission due date).

Financial/Grants Management Contact(s)

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Preparing to Apply

Register

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Complete/renew required registrations to interact in electronic systems

Start now - can take 6 – 8 weeks to complete

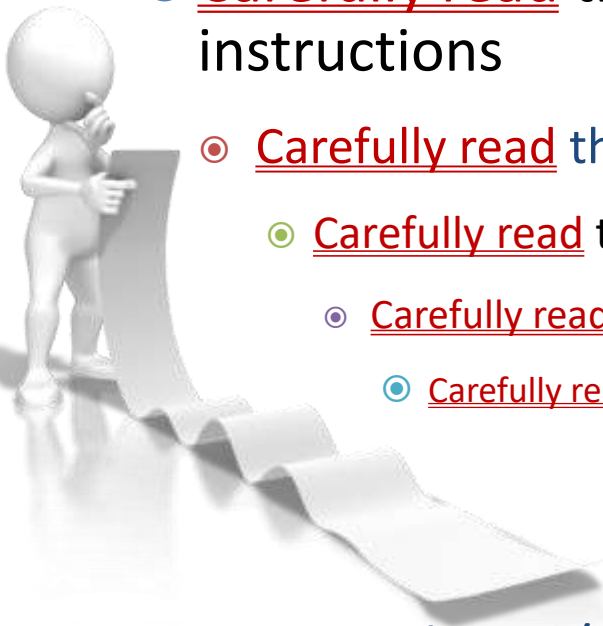
- ⦿ **Institutions** - required to register in multiple systems
- ⦿ **Investigators** – must be registered in the eRA Commons

Learn more: NIH How to Apply web page

Develop Your Application

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- Access application forms from funding opportunity announcement
- Carefully read the funding opportunity and application instructions
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grants.nih.gov/grants/how-to-apply-application-guide

Follow all Instructions Carefully

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Precedence

General Guidance

[How to Apply - Application Guide](#)

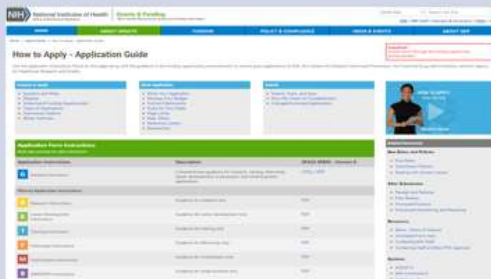
FOA-specific Guidance

Funding Opportunity Announcement

- Section IV. Application and Submission Information

FOA-specific & New Policy Updates

Notices in NIH Guide for Grants & Contracts

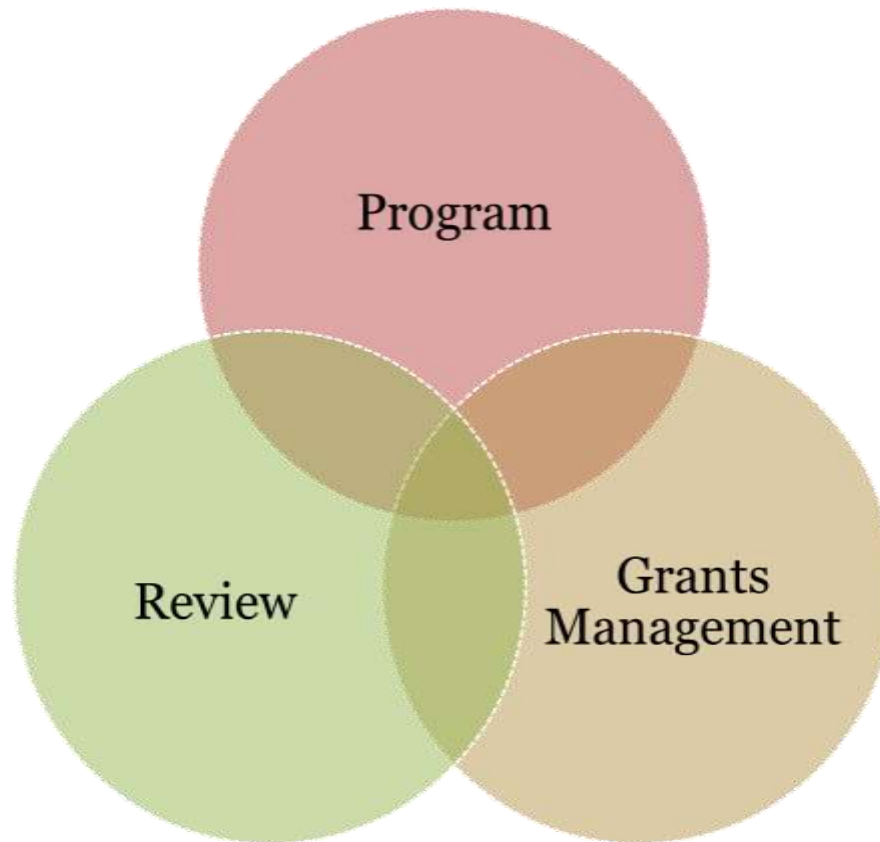


Understand Roles and Responsibilities at Your Institution

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- What is your role?
- What roles do other people play?
 - Authorized Organizational Representative
 - Principal Investigator
 - Administrator
- Coordination and respect for each other's roles is key
- Understand your institutional processes and timelines for grant related activities

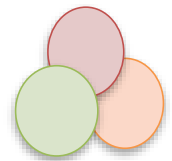
Understand the NIH Extramural Team



Program Official

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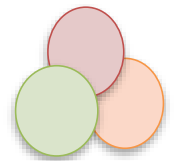
- Responsible for the programmatic, scientific, and/or technical aspects of a grant
- Provides scientific guidance to investigators pre- and post-award
- Develops grant initiatives
- Provides post-award oversight
- Point of contact before you apply and after review



Scientific Review Officer

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- Responsible for scientific and technical review
 - Ensures fair and unbiased evaluation of scientific and technical merit
 - Provides a summary of the evaluation
 - Reviews applications for completeness and conformance with application requirements
- Point of contact for applicants during the review process



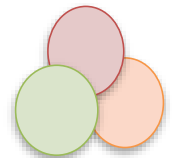
Grants Management Officer

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Responsible for completion of business management requirements

- Evaluates applications for administrative content and compliance with policy
- Negotiates Awards
- Interprets grants administration policies

Point of contact for policy and budget issues pre and post award.



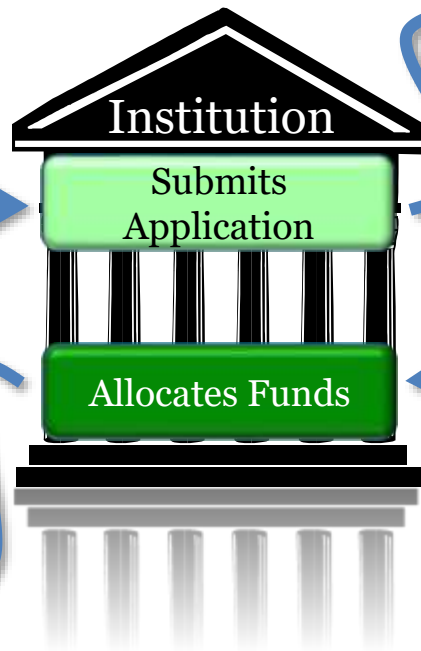
How does a grant get funded?

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Great Research
Idea!



Investigator
Performs the
Research



National Institutes of Health

Center for Scientific Review

Assigns to IC & IRG / Study Section

Study Section

Reviews for Scientific Merit

Institute

Evaluates for Relevance

Advisory Councils & Board

Recommends Action

Institute Director

Makes Funding Decision

Application to award takes ~9-10 months

Main Review Criteria

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Overall Impact –Scored 1-9

- Assessment of the likelihood for the project to *exert a sustained, powerful influence on the research field(s) involved*

Core Review Criteria-Scored 1-9

- Significance
- Investigator(s)
- Innovation
- Approach
- Environment

Other Issues Reviewers Consider Before Final Scoring

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- Protections of human subjects
- Inclusions of women, children and minorities
- Appropriate use of vertebrate animals
- Management of hazardous conditions

Other Issues Reviewers Consider Before Final Scoring

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For applications from foreign institutions:

- Whether the project presents special opportunities for furthering research programs through the use of unusual talent, resources, populations, or environmental conditions in other countries that are not readily available in the United States or that augment existing U.S. resources
- Whether the proposed project has specific relevance to the mission and objectives of the IC and has the potential for significantly advancing the health sciences in the United States

After the Review

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- eRA Commons <http://era.nih.gov/commons>
 - Final Impact Score is available in 3 days
 - Summary statement is available in 4 – 8 weeks
- Available to:
 - PD/PIs
 - NIH officials
 - Advisory Council members
- NIH Program Officer = Point of Contact





You've Got Funding!

Once you are funded...



You'll Receive a Notice of Award (NoA)

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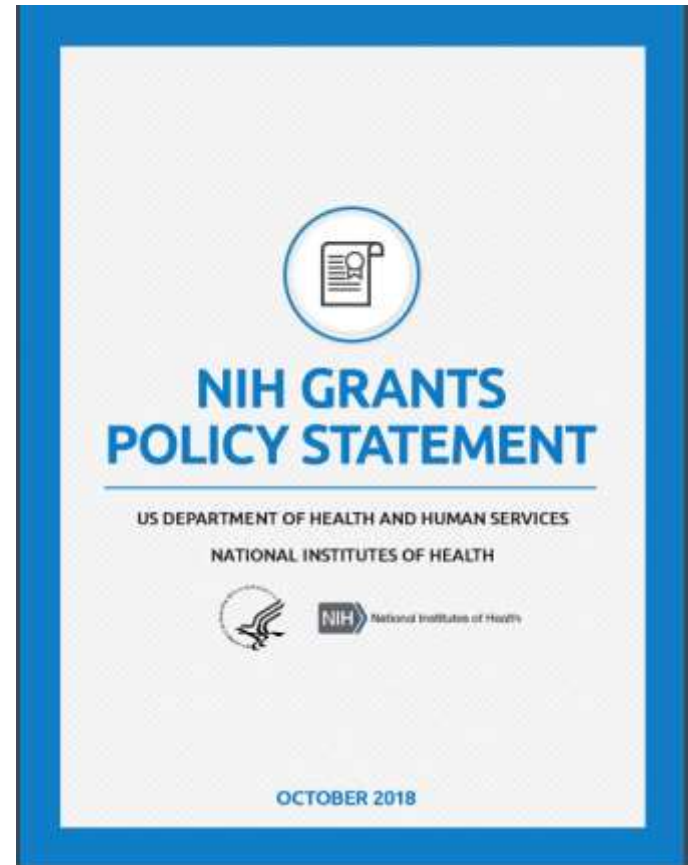
- ◉ Legally binding document
 - Award data and fiscal information
 - Grant payment info
 - Terms and conditions of award
- ◉ Grantee accepts terms and conditions of award as soon as funds are drawn down



NIH Grants Policy Statement

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- Is a term and condition of all grant awards
- Explicitly defines roles, responsibilities
- Updated each fall



Post Award Management

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- Annual progress reporting
- Annual federal financial reporting
- Invention reporting
- Yearly audits (as applicable)
- Closeout reporting

Interacting with NIH Electronically

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In eRA Commons you can find:

Application image

Application status

Assignments (institute, review group)

NIH staff contacts (SRO, program, grants management)

Scores (PI only)

Summary statement (PI only)

Notice of Award

Links to tools for reporting, no cost extensions, etc.



Commons

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Work with your institution's office of sponsored research to be sure you are registered and your account is affiliated with your institution BEFORE you apply.

2 weeks lead time – PI registration in Commons

6-8 weeks – All institutional registrations and renewals



Key Resources



New Policies and Reforms for Clinical Trials

read more >

GRANTS.nih.gov – your home base for info on NIH grant opportunities, policies, processes


-  Find Funding
-  How to Apply
-  Explore NIH Funded Research (RePORT)



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- Forms Library



Policy and Compliance

Learn about the policy and compliance obligations of your grant award and find helpful resources on select policy topics.

- NIH Grants Policy Statement
- Notices of Policy Changes
- Compliance and Oversight
- Select Policy Topics



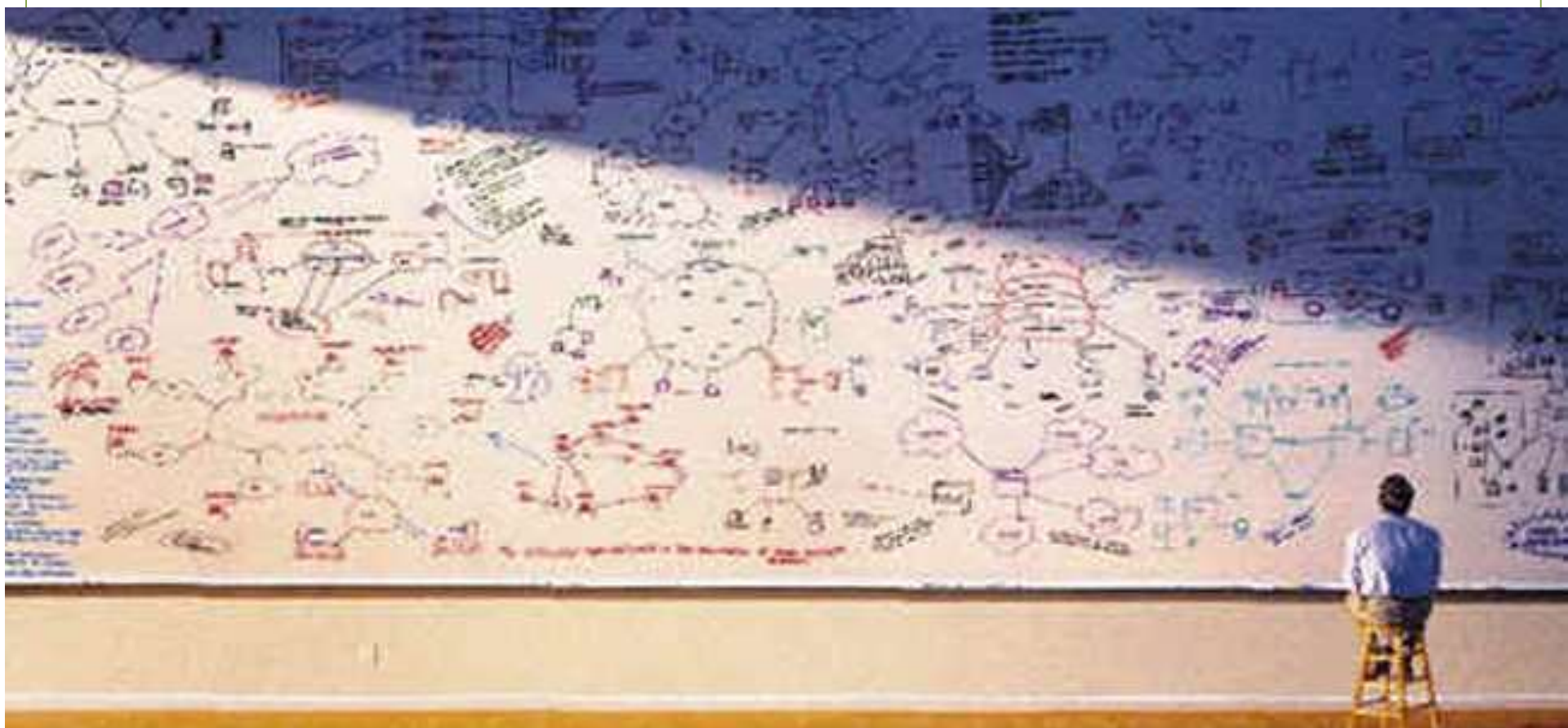
Information for...

Find key resources just for you.

- Researchers
- Research Administrators
- Reviewers
- Small Businesses
- Foreign Applicants
- Media and the Public
- NIH Staff

Trying to make heads or tails of the grants process?

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Get Started

Learn the Basics

Learn how NIH approaches grant funding and how your research fits into our research portfolio. Make sure to explore the different types of grant programs offered at NIH, along with the eligibility requirements.

Plan Your Approach

Find and understand funding opportunities, ensure your research is original, understand your organization's internal procedures, and prepare to write a competitive application.



Apply for Grant Funding

Prepare to Apply

Ensure all registrations are in place, get familiar with requirements, and choose which of the available submission options you will use.

[> 6-8 Weeks Before Submission]

Write Application

Obtain and complete application forms following provided instructions. Find information on developing your budget and formatting attachments.

Submit

Submit your application to NIH. Track and view your application to verify receipt and to confirm that the assembled document correctly reflects your submission.

[Submit early!]

Grants process overview bottom



Application Referral & Review

Receipt & Referral

Applications compliant with NIH policies are assigned to an NIH Institute or Center and to a scientific review group for evaluation of scientific and technical merit.

[Month 1 After Submission]

Peer Review

Applications undergo a rigorous two-stage review. The first level is carried out primarily by non-federal scientists, while the second is performed by Advisory Councils or Boards.

[Months 2-8 After Submission]



Pre-Award & Award Process

Pre-Award & Award Process

Applicants who have scored well submit "just-in-time" information. Final administrative reviews are conducted and Notice of Award documents are sent to successful applicants.

[Months 7-10 After Submission]

Post-Award Monitoring & Reporting

NIH monitors grants carefully. Active monitoring includes reports and correspondence from the grantee, audit reports, site visits, and other information.

[Duration of Award]

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Under Get Started find the basics:

- understanding NIH
- eligibility
- types of grant programs
- types of applications

Learn More



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Types of Grant Programs

NIH uses activity codes (e.g. R01, R43, etc.) to differentiate the wide variety of research-related programs we support. [NIH Institutes and Centers \(ICs\)](#) may vary in the way they use activity codes; not all ICs accept applications for all types of grant programs or they apply specialized eligibility criteria. Look closely at [Funding Opportunity Announcements \(FOAs\)](#) to determine which ICs participate and the specifics of eligibility.

A [comprehensive list of extramural grant and cooperative agreement activity codes](#) is available, or you can search for specific codes below:

Search Activity Codes: (e.g. R01, P01, T, K, F, etc.)

Search All Text: (e.g. Mentored, Training, etc.)

Select from List:

The following groupings represent the main types of grant programs we provide:

- [Research Grants \(R series\)](#)
- [Career Development Awards \(K series\)](#)
- [Research Training and Fellowships \(T & F series\)](#)
- [Program Project/Center Grants \(P series\)](#)

What is an R03, F31, X02, etc?

Find programs for your career stage!

Find Opportunities by Career Stage

Select your educational or career level to find a funding opportunity to support your training or career development goals.



Undergraduate Education

Predocctoral Training/
Clinical Doctorate

Postdoctoral Training/
Clinical Residency

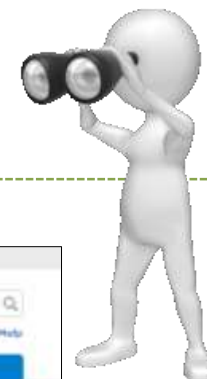
Early Career Research
Development

Research
Mentoring

Looking for the latest grants policy changes or funding announcements?



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Organizations

- AR
- AMRQ
- CDC
- CSR
- DHHS
- FDA
- FTC
- HRSA
- NASA
- NIH/ATC

Activity Code

- AR
- ADMIN SUPP
- D43
- D71
- DP1

Active FOAs and Notices

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Title	FOA Number	Organization	Release Date	Expiration Date	Activity Code
Notice of Intent to Publish Parent Funding Opportunity Announcements for Basic Experimental Studies with Humans	NOT-00-19-024	NIH	Oct 26, 2018	N/A	N/A
Countermeasures Against Chemical Threats (CautionACT): Identification of Therapeutic Lead Compounds (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	PAR-19-038	NINDS	Oct 26, 2018	Sep 15, 2021	U01
Countermeasures Against Chemical Threats (CautionACT): Optimization of Therapeutic Lead Compounds (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)	PAR-19-040	NINDS	Oct 26, 2018	Sep 15, 2021	U01

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Learn about grant, contract and loan repayment opportunities through the Funding tab

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Or use Find Funding for quick access to grant opportunities (NIH Guide)



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Type of Research

- All
- Clinical trials
- Not clinical trials

Title	FOA Number	Organization	Release Date	Expiration Date	Activity Code
arkers of Prognosis and Survival (R21 Clinical	PAR-18-892	NCI	Aug 7, 2018	Sep 8, 2021	R21
arkers of Prognosis and Survival (R01 Clinical	PAR-18-893	NCI	Aug 7, 2018	Sep 8, 2021	R01
ng the Therapeutic Potential of the	NOT-DA-18-027	NIDA	Aug 7, 2018	N/A	N/A
ic Disease through the Application of Novel	PA-18-891	NIDDK	Aug 7, 2018	Jun 2, 2021	RC2
Vesicle (EV) Sorting, Isolation, and Analysis of	RFA-RM-18-028	RMOD	Aug 6, 2018	Oct 24, 2018	UG3/UH3
Advancing Extracellular miRNA (exRNA) Communication Research: Improved Isolation and Analysis of exRNA-Carrier Subclasses (UG3/UH3 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	RFA-RM-18-027	RMOD	Aug 6, 2018	Oct 24, 2018	UG3/UH3

Type of Research

- All
- Clinical trials

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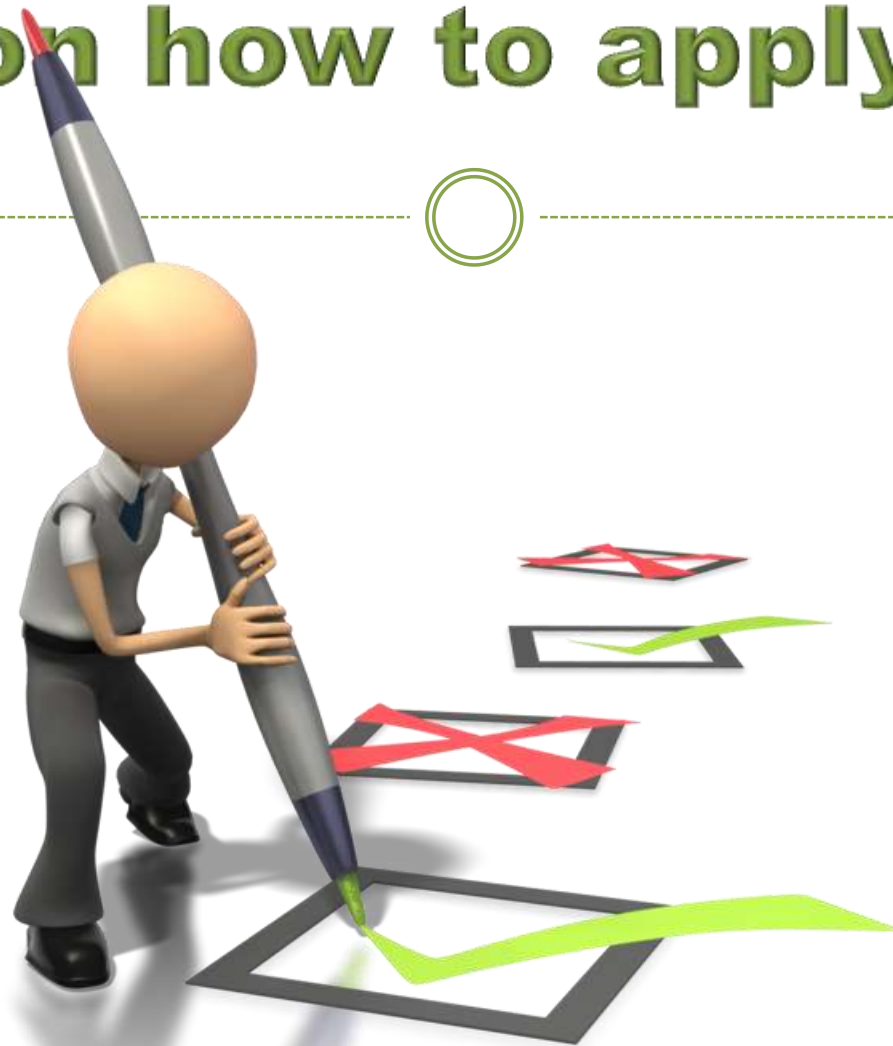
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- Forms-D Application Guide Now Available
- Updated Biosketch Instructions for Applications Due May 25 and Beyond

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Find application instructions and submission policies on How to Apply page

* Forms are posted with each FOA.*

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How to Apply - Application Guide

Use the application instructions found on this page along with the guidance from the Department of Health and Human Services, the Food and Drug Administration, and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality.

Prepare to Apply

- Systems and Roles
- Register
- Understand Funding Opportunities
- Types of Applications
- Submission Options
- Obtain Software

Write Application

- Write Your Application
- Develop Your Budget
- Format Attachments
- Page Limits
- Data Tables
- Reference Letters
- Biosketches

Submit

- Submit, Track, and View
- How We Check for Completeness
- Changed/Corrected Applications



Application Form Instructions [SF424 (R&R) -Version D]

Need help selecting the right instructions?

Application Instructions

Description

G General Instructions	Comprehensive guidance for research, training, fellowship, career development, multi-project, and small business applications	HTML / PDF
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Filtered Application Instructions

Description

View/Download

R Research Instructions	Guidance for research only	PDF
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K Career Development Instructions	Guidance for career development only	PDF
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First timer? Watch the video!

Related Resources

- Submission Policies
- Dealing with System Issues

After Submission

- Receipt and Referral
- Peer Review
- Pre-award Process
- Post-award Monitoring and Reporting

When are applications due? And when will they be reviewed and funded?

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How to Apply - Application Guide

Important:

Access forms through the funding opportunity announcement.

Use the application instructions found on this page along with the guidance in the funding opportunity announcement to submit grant applications to NIH, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Food and Drug Administration, and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality.

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Application Form I

Need help selecting the right

Application Instruction

G General Instruction

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R Research Instructions

Guidance for research only

PDF

K Career Development Instructions

Guidance for career development only

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Related Resources

Due Dates and Policies

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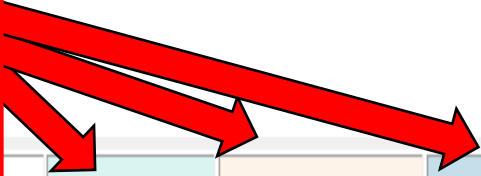
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Application Due Dates

3 standard receipt dates a year.



Activity Codes	Program Description	Application Form	Cycle I Due Date	Cycle II Due Date	Cycle III Due Date
P Series <i>All - new, renewal, resubmission, revision</i>	Program Project Grants and Center Grants Standard receipt dates for each type of grant cycles. Transition to SF424 (R&R): On Hold	PHS 398	January 25	May 25	September 25
R18/U18 R25 <i>All - new, renewal, resubmission, revision</i>	Research Demonstration Education Projects	SF424 (R&R)	January 25	May 25	September 25
T Series D Series <i>All - new, renewal, resubmission, revision</i>	Institutional National Research Service Awards Other Training Grants NOTE: Applicants should contact the Institute or Center (IC) for series applications for each cycle. Applicants should contact the Contacts for information for each IC's scientific/research contact for the NRSA T32 program.	SF424 (R&R)	January 25	May 25	September 25

Standard receipt dates for each type of grant cycles.

Scroll further on page for timelines for each "round"



Review dates and
earliest start date by
submission round

Review and Award Cycles

	Cycle I	Cycle II	Cycle III
Application Due Dates	January 25 - May 7	May 25 - September 7	September 25 - January 7
Scientific Merit Review	June - July	October - November	February - March
Advisory Council Round	August or October *	January	May
Earliest Project Start Date	September or December *	April	July

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/how-to-apply-application-guide/due-dates-and-submission-policies/standard-due-dates.htm>

**Is there ever a reason NIH
accepts a late application?**



What happens if a standard due
date falls on a weekend or
holiday?

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Use the application instructions found on this page along with the guidance in the funding opportunity announcement to submit grant applications to NIH, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Food and Drug Administration, and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality.

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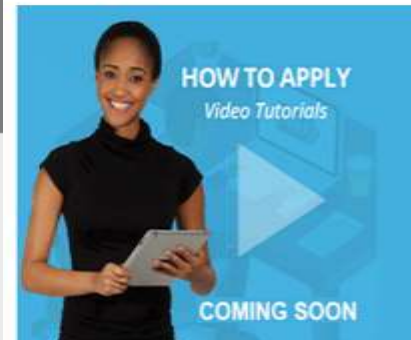
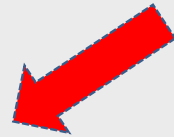
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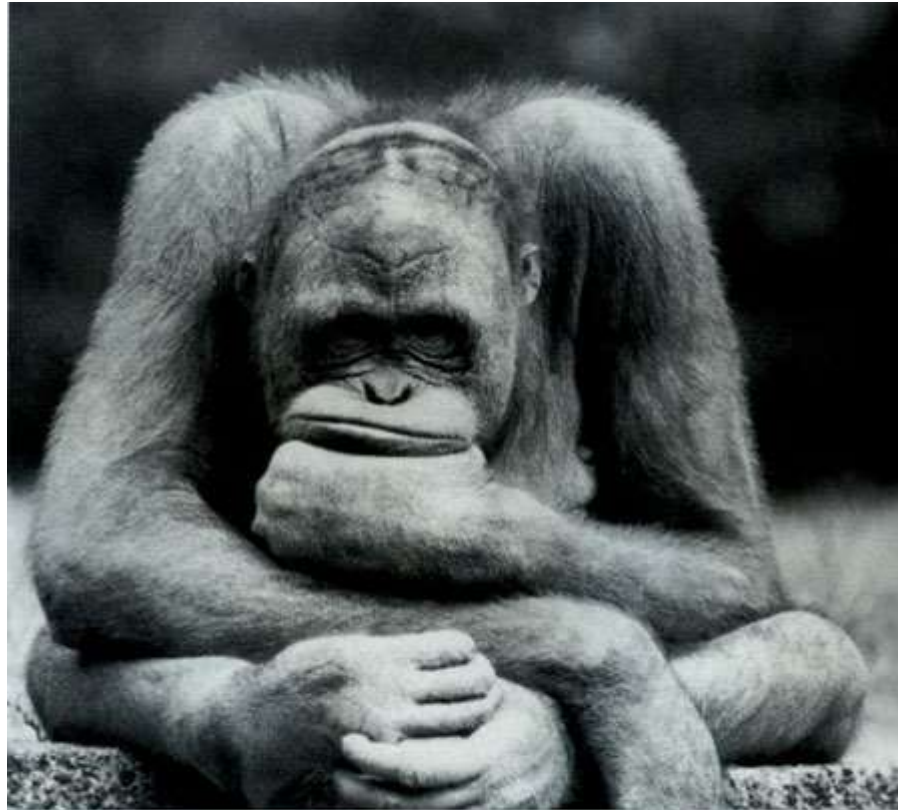
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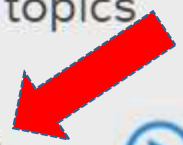
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NIH Grants Policy Statement - Oct. 2018 [HTML*](#) [PDF](#)

Applies to all NIH grants and cooperative agreements with budget periods beginning on or after October 1, 2018.

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Anticipated date of next update: October 2019

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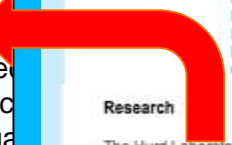
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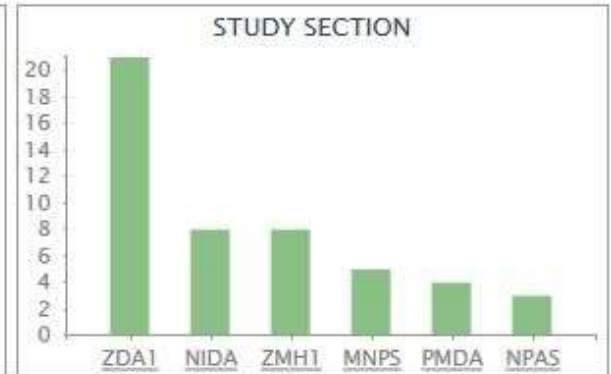
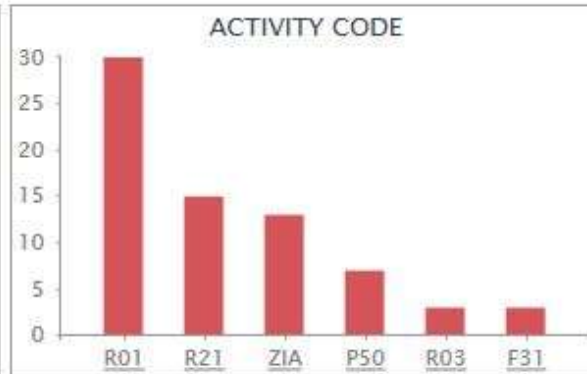
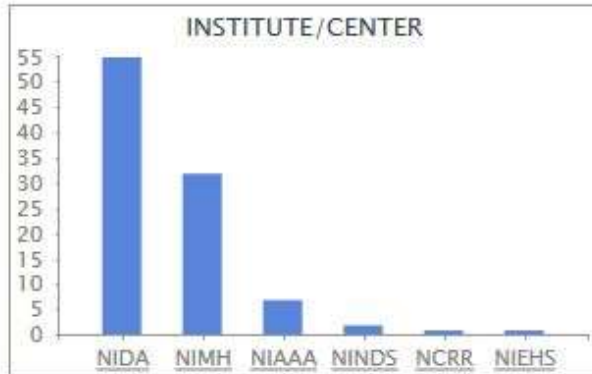
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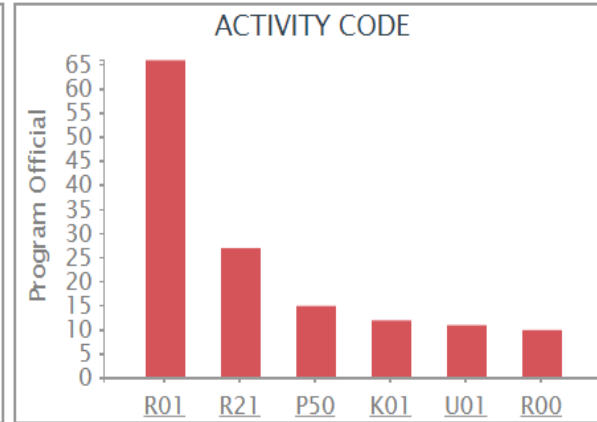
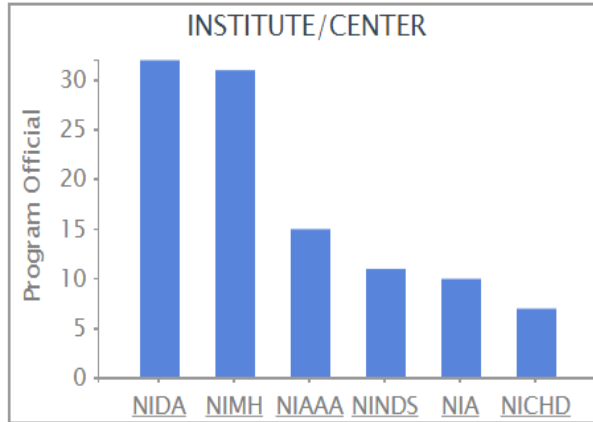
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Title: THE OPIOID MESOLIMBI


Contact PI / Project Leader: [HURD, YASMIN L](#)
Awardee Organization: ICAHN SCHOOL OF

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Budget Start Date: 1-MAR-2013
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NIH's Next Generation Researchers Policy Now Posted

Today we posted a policy (NIH Guide Notice [NOT-OD-17-101](#)) describing current plans for the Next Generation Researchers Initiative. Since I [first blogged about it in June](#), NIH leadership have reviewed data (see [accompanying blog](#)) and deliberated about how best to proceed. Our goal is to increase the number of NIH-funded early-stage investigators and assure, as best we can, that funded early-stage investigators have a reasonable chance of secure stable funding during the earliest stages of their independent research careers. The new policy will supersede previous notices on new and early stage investigators ([NOT-OD-08-121](#), [NOT-OD-09-013](#) and [NOT-OD-09-134](#)).

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