Note: This opportunity has an unusually short turnaround time; internal LOIs are due to the LSP by Tuesday, September 20th.

UCSF May Submit 1 Application

PLEASE FORWARD THIS ANNOUNCEMENT TO ALL APPROPRIATE FACULTY AND RESEARCH ADMINISTRATORS

WHAT: HRSA Sickle Cell Disease Newborn Screening Follow-Up Program (<u>http://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppId=288736&utm_campaign=hrsa&utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery</u>)

REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS NUMBER: HRSA-17-079

PURPOSE:

- This announcement solicits applications for the Sickle Cell Disease Newborn Screening Follow-Up Program (SCDNBSFP) to provide support for a Sickle Cell Newborn Screening Technical Assistance Center (TAC) that will improve the care and reduce rates of loss to follow-up of individuals identified with sickle cell disease (SCD) and sickle cell trait through universal newborn screening by supporting efforts of community-based organizations (CBOs) on sickle cell disease education and service coordination.
- This program will enhance sickle cell CBOs' ability to ensure that individuals diagnosed with sickle cell disease through newborn screening receive appropriate follow-up services including counseling, education, access to a medical home, and other support services.

ELIGIBILITY:

• Any individual(s) with the skills, knowledge, and resources necessary to carry out the proposed research as the Program Director(s)/Principal Investigator(s) (PD(s)/PI(s)) is invited to work with his/her organization to develop an application for support.

BUDGET AND PROJECT PERIOD:

- Award Budget: Up to \$2,904,400 per year
 - UCSF indirect cost policy will apply except for non-federal entities.
- Project Period: limited to 4 years

AWARD TYPES ALLOWED: New & Continuing

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS UCSF MAY SUBMIT: 1

DUE DATES:

- Internal: 10am, Tuesday, September 20, 2016. If multiple groups submit an LOI, a preapplication will be due September 30, 2016.
- Please note PIs may submit directly to the LSP; RMS does not get involved unless and until you are nominated
- Sponsor: Thursday, November 10th, 2016

Submit the attached Letter of Intent (LOI) by 10am, September 20, 2016, to: <u>limitedsubmissions@ucsf.edu</u>

Sent on behalf of the Research Development Office (RDO), Limited Submission Program (LSP)