

UCSF May Submit 1 Application

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WHAT: NIH NCI Pediatric Early Phase Clinical Trials Network (UM1)
(<https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-17-027.html#>)

REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS NUMBER: RFA-CA-17-027

PURPOSE:

- To enhance NCI's program for conducting early phase clinical trials in children with cancer, currently supported as the Children's Oncology Group (COG) Phase 1 & Pilot Consortium. The overall goal is to ensure that high priority novel agents can be tested in pediatric patients in a timely manner.
- To solicit applications for the Pediatric Early Phase Clinical Trials Network (PEP-CTN) to continue the clinical research activities now supported through the COG Phase 1 & Pilot Consortium
 - The scope of the proposed PEP-CTN should cover:
 - The design and conduct of pediatric Phase 1 trials that will be expected to often include Phase 2 expansion cohorts
 - Pilot studies of novel regimens to determine their tolerability so that promising agents/regimens can proceed to definitive testing in Phase 3 clinical trials.
 - Leading the PEP-CTN Operations and Data/Statistics Center (ODSC)

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. Individuals from underrepresented racial and ethnic groups as well as individuals with disabilities are always encouraged to apply for NIH support.

BUDGET AND PROJECT PERIOD:

- Award Budget: up to \$3.6m per year, direct costs
 - UCSF indirect cost policy will apply except for non-federal entities.
- Project Period: limited to 5 years

AWARD TYPES ALLOWED: New

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS UCSF MAY SUBMIT: 1

DUE DATES:

- **Internal: 10am**, Friday, June 16th, 2017. If multiple groups submit an LOI, a pre-application will be due Monday, June 26th.
- **Please note PIs may submit directly to the LSP; RMS does not get involved unless and until you are nominated**
- Sponsor: Wednesday, August 16, 2017

Submit the attached Letter of Intent (LOI) by 10am, June 16th, 2017, to: limitedsubmissions@ucsf.edu

The LSP is a selection process, not an award process. As the LSP is under significant time constraints, all reviewer feedback is optional. We encourage you to seek other avenues for proposal feedback.

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