UCSF May Submit 1 Application

Internal Deadline: 11:59 PM, Monday, November 8th, 2021

PLEASE FORWARD THIS ANNOUNCEMENT TO ALL APPROPRIATE FACULTY AND RESEARCH ADMINISTRATORS


REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS NUMBER: RFA-DK-21-025

PURPOSE:
- To support innovative, discovery research studies to better characterize early-life risk factors and elucidate underlying causal mechanisms through which these risk factors contribute to the development of obesity during infancy and early childhood.
- Studies should aim to understand biological mechanisms that mediate behavioral and/or metabolic risk for obesity development in young children and how risk may be modified by other contributors such as psychosocial, contextual, and/or environmental factors.
- Multidisciplinary teams of scientists including but not limited to those with expertise in basic, translational, clinical, and behavioral research are encouraged.

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.

BUDGET AND PROJECT PERIOD:
- Award Budget: up to $500,000 direct costs per year
  - UCSF indirect cost policy will apply except for non-federal entities.
- Project Period: up to 5 years

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APPLICATION TYPES ALLOWED: New

DUE DATES:
- Internal: 11:59 PM, Monday, November 8th, 2021. If multiple groups submit an LOI, an additional pre-application will be due Tuesday, November 30th, 2021.
- PIs submit directly to the LSP; RMS does not get involved unless and until you are nominated.
- Sponsor: Tuesday, March 8th, 2022.

Submit the attached Letter of Intent (LOI) by 11:59 PM, November 8th, to: limitedsubmissions@ucsf.edu
To qualify for UCSF Limited Submission Program opportunities, applicants must have a paid UCSF appointment either at the time of application or anticipated by the time of award.

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.

For information on all current LSOs, please visit: http://rdo.ucsf.edu/limited-submission-program-lsp

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