WHAT: Morgan Stanley Children's Mental Health Innovation Awards
(https://www.morganstanley.com/about-us/giving-back/childrens-mental-health-awards)

PURPOSE:
- To identify and fund mental healthcare solutions for children and young adults across the U.S. This program specifically addresses the lack of both private and public investment in children’s mental health and offers effective ways to connect innovative ideas with capital through seed funding, networking and capacity building opportunities.
- The Foundation is looking for new or piloted projects from direct-service organizations that will help address the far-reaching challenges of stress, anxiety, depression or other mental health issues in children and young adults on a national or local level in the U.S. Projects must tackle specific issues and address unmet needs, with a goal of reducing stigma, increasing access to care, improving equity in mental health, enabling early identification/prevention or enhancing intervention, especially among disadvantaged and vulnerable populations.

ELIGIBILITY:
- Applicants from organizations with an annual total revenue over $5 million must be able to demonstrate why existing funds cannot be used to support the proposed initiative.
- 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 their 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: $100,000 direct costs
  - The funding does not cover institutional overhead on the proposed project
  - UCSF indirect cost policy will apply except for non-federal entities.

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS UCSF MAY SUBMIT: 1 per department

APPLICATION TYPES ALLOWED: New, Resubmission

CURRENTLY FUNDED INSTITUTIONS: 5

DUE DATES:
- Internal: NOON, Tuesday, May 28, 2024.
- PIs submit directly to the LSP; RMS does not get involved unless and until you are nominated.
- The Foundation will hold a briefing session on June 06, 2023. If you are interested in attending this briefing session, you can sign up here.
- Sponsor: Monday, July 08, 2024.
Submit the attached cover sheet by NOON, May 28, to: limitedsubmissions@ucsf.edu

To qualify for UCSF Limited Submissions 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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