Announcement of Amendment to the FY 2018-2019 Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOAs) for the Bankhead-Coley Cancer Research Program, James and Esther King Biomedical Research Program, and Live Like Bella Pediatric Cancer Research Initiative

The deadlines for the Letter of Intent and the Application WILL NOT be extended as a result of this amendment. All deadlines listed in the Schedule of Important Dates found in Table 1. in the FOAs remain unchanged.

The purpose of this announcement is to clarify institutional eligibility requirements. The current FOAs include the following definition:

**Eligible Institution:** Any university, research hospital, Florida-based Veteran’s Administration, or established research institute in Florida.

This amendment provides further clarification of the phrase “established research institute,” by adding the following definition:

**Established Research Institute:** An established research institute eligible for Program funding is an organization that is any Florida nonprofit covered under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, with a physical location in Florida, whose stated purpose and powers are scientific, biomedical or biotechnological research and/or development and is legally registered with the Florida Department of State, Division of Corporations.