

Ed and Ethel Moore Alzheimer's Disease Research Program

Funding Opportunity Announcement

FY 2015-2016

ADDENDUM

Changes to the FY 2015/2016 Funding Opportunity Announcement:

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3. Grant Categories

The Department anticipates making awards from the following types of grant categories:

- **Standard Grant:** Research projects that are fully developed, scientifically rigorous, and include sound background information, hypotheses, and promising preliminary studies or supporting data.
 - Research organizations are eligible to apply for up to <u>five</u> Standard Grants that address Priority Areas 1-4. If submitting more than one Standard Grant application, the additional Standard Grant applications must be in different Priority Areas. Organizations choosing to submit 5 Standard Grant applications must have an application addressing each of the four Priority Areas with one Priority Area allowing only two applications.
 - Maximum award amount will be up to \$250,000.
 - Maximum duration to complete the grant will be up to two years. <u>Grant duration</u> <u>is contingent upon spending authority from fiscal year to fiscal year.</u>
- **Pilot Grant:** Exploratory, novel studies that break new ground or extend previous discoveries toward new directions or applications. No preliminary data are required, but may be included if available.
 - Research organizations are eligible to apply for up to <u>three</u> Pilot Grants that address Priority Areas 1-4. If submitting more than one Pilot Grant application, the additional applications must be in different Priority Areas.
 - Maximum award amount will be up to \$100,000.
 - Maximum duration to complete the grant will be up to two years. <u>Grant duration</u> <u>is contingent upon spending authority from fiscal year to fiscal year.</u>
- **Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Grant (Priority Area 5):** Supports the career development of individuals who have made a commitment to focus their research endeavors on patient-oriented research.
 - Research organizations are eligible to apply for up to <u>two</u> Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Grants. Organizations choosing to submit two Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Grant applications, must assure that they address different focus areas (1-4) listed in Priority Area 5.
 - Maximum award amount will be up to \$100,000.
 - Maximum duration to complete the grant will be up to two years. <u>Grant duration</u> <u>is contingent upon spending authority from fiscal year to fiscal year.</u>

The maximum number of applications an organization can submit is 10 in the following categories:

- Standard Grant: 5 applications
- **Pilot Grant:** 3 applications
- Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Grant: 2 applications

All applications must be different. Organizations may <u>not</u> submit the same application in different grant categories. For example, organizations may not submit the same project for a standard grant and a pilot grant.