Applying for NIH Grants

Useful Links

NIH Office of Extramural Research: http://www.grants.nih.gov
Learn the Basics: https://grants.nih.gov/grants/grant_basics.htm

- Finding the right fit for your research
- What does NIH look for?
- Types of grant programs and applications

Plan Your Application: https://grants.nih.gov/grants/planning_application.htm

- Use NIH RePORTER to identify where your research fits best
- Contact NIH staff for guidance
- Explore the different Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOAs) to find the best fit
- Determine the application submission date, which varies by type of grant
- Involve your Office of Sponsored Research early in the process
- Learn about prior approvals you might need from NIH
- Learn about the NIH peer review process & criteria
- Consider other elements – collaborators, New Investigator status . . .

Learn How to Apply -- Application Guide:
https://grants.nih.gov/grants/how-to-apply-application-guide.html

- Prepare to apply using Form SF 424
- Submitting and tracking your application
- How to direct where your application is assigned and reviewed, using the PHS Assignment Request Form
  - Use NIH RePORTER — https://projectreporter.nih.gov — to identify possible funding institutes and review groups
  - Use CSR's Assisted Referral Tool — http://art.csr.nih.gov — to identify review groups

Discover NIH Programs to Advance a Diverse Workforce: https://diversity.nih.gov/programs-partnerships
Extramural Training Opportunities: http://grants.nih.gov/training/extramural.htm

The OER Grants Information support team will help you identify the best online resources or staff to answer your questions about funding opportunities and grant application forms, instructions, and policies: grantsinfo@nih.gov; phone 301 945-7573; https://grants.nih.gov/grants/giwelcome.htm.

 National Institutes of Health   **http://www.nih.gov**

NIH Application Submission & Review

Useful Links

Center for Scientific Review | http://www.csr.nih.gov | 301-435-1111 | 🐦 **@CSRpeerreview**

Information for Applicants: https://public.csr.nih.gov/ForApplicants

- Resources on submission pitfalls
- Who to contact for what
- Sample grant applications
- Tips on writing your application
- And more!

Application Referral and Review
https://grants.nih.gov/grants/referral-and-review.htm
- How receipt of grant applications and their referral to review groups works
- Basics of the peer review process

NIH Peer Review Videos
http://www.csr.nih.gov/video

CSR's Early Career Reviewer Program
http://www.csr.nih.gov/ECR

Applicant Webinars
http://www.csr.nih.gov/webinar

Insider's Guide to Peer Review for Applicants
http://www.csr.nih.gov/ApplicantResources/Insider/

CSR Study Section Information – Descriptions, Rosters, Meeting Dates, etc.
http://public.csr.nih.gov/StudySections

More Helpful Web Links
http://www.csr.nih.gov/links