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Faculty Research Opportunities

Addressing Health Disparities in NIDDK Diseases (R01) - This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) invites research projects to improve understanding of the causes of high priority diseases in the United States and reducing/eliminating health disparities. Research is encouraged in the following high priority diseases within the scientific mission areas of the NIDDK: diabetes; obesity; nutrition-related disorders; hepatitis C; gallbladder disease; H. Pylori infection; sickle cell disease, specifically, studies in complications of sickle cell disease within the NIDDK mission areas; kidney diseases; urologic diseases; hematologic diseases, including studies in abnormal hemoglobin synthesis; metabolic diseases; gastrointestinal, hepatic, and renal complications from infection with HIV. Clinical trials are not permitted in response to this FOA. **Application Due Date:** [Standard dates](#) apply. <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-17-021.html>

Powering Research through Innovative Methods for mixtures in Epidemiology (PRIME) (R01) - The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to stimulate the development of innovative statistical, data science, or other quantitative approaches to studying the health effects of complex chemical mixtures in environmental epidemiology. **Application Due Date: February 22, 2017.** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-17-001.html>

Expanding Alcohol-Focused High-Priority Translational Research for HIV/AIDS (UH2/UH3) - This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is a new initiative to support the development of highly innovative HIV/AIDS and alcohol-relevant high-priority research (see NOT-OD-15-137) suitable for advancing the translation of basic biological and behavior science research into clinical practice through improved interventions for prevention and treatment among HIV+ individuals. Specifically, the FOA solicits applications for projects to adapt, apply, and validate existing or emerging behavioral and/or biological technologies into a new generation of patient-focused intervention to improve the treatment of alcohol-related problems among HIV+ individuals. **Application Due Date: January 4, 2017.** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AA-17-015.html>

Self-Management Interventions and Technologies to Sustain Health and Optimize Functional Capabilities (R01) - This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) seeks clinical research on self-management interventions and technologies that improve health and quality of life in persons needing assistance to optimize and maintain existing functional capabilities, prevent/delay disabilities and navigate their environment. The research focus encompasses maintenance/restorative care that can be tailored to individuals' existing functional abilities and interests and is intended to enhance physical, sensory, motor, and mental capabilities. Of particular interest is research designed to maintain functional capabilities in such conditions as cardiac and respiratory insufficiency, movement impairment associated with arthritis, chronic back pain, stroke, and other physical or cognitive disabilities. Companion funding opportunity is [PA-17-011](#), [R21](#) Exploratory/Developmental Grant. **Application Due Date(s):** [Standard dates](#) apply. <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-17-012.html>

Addressing Unmet Needs in Persons With Dementia to Decrease Behavioral Symptoms and Improve Quality of Life (R01) - The purpose of this funding opportunity announcement (FOA) is to stimulate clinical research addressing behavioral and psychological symptoms of dementia (BPSD) and the association of BPSD with unmet physical, social, or environmental needs in persons with dementia.

Companion funding opportunity is [PA-17-013](#), [R21](#) Exploratory / Developmental Grant. **Application Due Date(s):** [Standard dates](#) apply. <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-17-014.html>

Improving Individual and Family Outcomes Through Continuity and Coordination of Care in Hospice (R21) - This funding opportunity announcement (FOA) seeks to stimulate research that focuses on reducing negative individual and family outcomes related to unwanted transitions at the end of life and optimizing the individual and family outcomes related to high quality coordination of care of care of individuals who are enrolled in hospice. This FOA emphasizes individuals who are receiving hospice care and their family caregivers, in any setting where hospice care is provided, including their home, a relative's home, a hospice inpatient facility, an assisted living facility, a short- or long-term care facility, or a hospital. Companion Funding Opportunity is [PA-17-016](#), [R01](#) Research Project Grant. **Application Due Date(s):** [Standard dates](#) apply. <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-17-015.html>

The Commonwealth Fund Research Grants - The mission of The Commonwealth Fund is to promote a high performing health care system that achieves better access, improved quality, and greater efficiency, particularly for society's most vulnerable, including people with low-incomes, the uninsured, minority Americans, young children, people with disabilities, and the elderly. The Fund carries out this mandate by supporting independent research on health care issues and making grants to improve health care practice and policy. **Application Due Date: Letters of Intent are accepted on a rolling basis.** <http://www.commonwealthfund.org/grants-and-fellowships/grants>

Josiah Macy Jr. Foundation Board Grants – Through its programs, the Foundation strives to foster innovation in health professional education and to align the education of health professionals with contemporary health needs and a changing health care system. The Foundation's priorities include: Interprofessional education and teamwork; New curriculum content; New models for clinical education; Education for the care of underserved populations; and Career development in health professions education. **Application Due Date: Letters of Intent are accepted on a rolling basis.** <http://macyfoundation.org/apply/board-grants>

W.K. Kellogg Foundation Secure Families Grants - The economic security of families is crucial to creating the optimal conditions through which children can develop, learn and grow. The WKKF works alongside communities to help parents and families access promising career pathways, accumulate assets and achieve financial independence and freedom from economic barriers based on race. **Application Due Date: Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.** <http://www.wkkf.org/what-we-do/secure-families>

W.K. Kellogg Foundation Healthy Kids - We work alongside communities – especially those facing health inequities – to support community-based approaches in four key areas: maternal and child health, oral health, breastfeeding (breast milk as the optimal first food), and continued access to good food and active living throughout a child's early development. In our national grantmaking and investments in priority places, WKKF supports efforts to improve the health of mothers and families; to increase breastfeeding rates; to provide innovative, community-based oral health care and to transform food systems so children and families have healthier foods in child care settings, in schools and in their communities. **Application Due Date: Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.** <http://www.wkkf.org/what-we-do/healthy-kids.aspx>

Norman Foundation Grants - Thomas Jefferson observed that "the ground of liberty is won by inches." The Norman Foundation seeks to help win some of those precious inches. The foundation supports efforts that strengthen the ability of communities to determine their own economic, environmental and social well-being, and that help people control those forces that affect their lives. These efforts may: - promote economic justice and development through community organizing, coalition building and policy reform efforts; work to prevent the disposal of toxics in communities, and to link environmental issues with economic and social justice; link community-based economic and environmental justice organizing to national and international reform efforts. **Application Due Date: Letters of Intent are accepted on a rolling basis.** <http://normanfdn.org/index.php?page/guidelines>