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AcademyHealth Alice S. Hersch Student Scholarship - AcademyHealth is pleased to offer the Alice S. Hersch Student Scholarship which provides two (2) free registrations to the National Health Policy Conference (NHPC) and four (4) free registrations to the Annual Research Meeting (ARM). The scholarship is designed to encourage professional and educational development in health services research and policy among student members. This scholarship commemorates the dedication of Alice S. Hersch, the founding executive director of the Association for Health Services Research (AHSR), to supporting the next generation of health services researcher. **Application Due Date: March 17, 2017.** <http://www.academyhealth.org/node/2261>

AcademyHealth Systems Science Scholarship - Academy Health awards travel scholarships for its Annual Research Meeting (ARM) and Public Health Systems Research (PHSR) Interest Group (IG) Annual Meeting. The purpose of this scholarship is to introduce systems science methods to the health services research (HSR) community. In particular, the scholarship seeks to foster collaboration between the scholars and those in HSR who are investigating systems-level challenges related to public health. It is hoped that these interactions will demonstrate the applicability of systems methods, while exposing more systems scientists to the challenge of transforming the U.S. health system. Ultimately, it is hoped that this scholarship will foster a synergy between these two fields so that more systems science methodologists will become actively engaged in HSR and PHSR. **Application Due Date: March 17, 2017.** <http://www.academyhealth.org/node/8861>

Psychosocial Research Grants (PSR) - PSR Postdoctoral Fellowships - In order to better understand the relationship among biological, psychological and social aspects of health and functioning in people living with spinal cord injury (SCI), as well as identify and prioritize critical program gaps and develop more effective interventions to improve psychological and social outcomes in individuals with SCI across the lifespan, the Neilsen Foundation offers funding for Psychosocial Research (PSR). The goal of the PSR portfolio is to develop sound data to inform and disseminate best practices that produce better outcomes, improving quality of life for people living with SCI. This includes research: 1) focused on the influence of psychological and social factors on an individual's health, functioning or quality of life; 2) addressing the interrelation of psychological (e.g., behavioral, emotional, cognitive) and social (e.g., interpersonal, community, environmental) factors with health, disability, participation and other quality of life factors relevant to people living with SCI; 3) developing and testing the effectiveness of interventions, and feasibility of implementing them. **Application Due Date(s): Letters of Intent Due by March 31, 2017. Full Applications due by July 19, 2017.** <http://chnfoundation.org/how-to-apply/>