CHHS Funding Opportunity Announcements – March 9-15, 2013

National Science Foundation/American Educational Research Association – Applications for Research Using Large Scale Data Sets

Invites education-related research proposals using NCES, NSF, and other federal data bases. Research Grants are available for faculty at institutions of higher education, postdoctoral researchers, and other doctoral-level scholars. Applications are encouraged from a variety of disciplines, such as but not limited to, education, sociology, economics, psychology, demography, statistics, and psychometrics.

Approximately 15 grants of up to $20,000 for one-year projects, or up to $35,000 for two-year projects, will be awarded.

http://www.aera.net/ProfessionalOpportunitiesFunding/FundingOpportunities/AERAGrantsProgram/ResearchGrants/tabid/12813/Default.aspx

American Nurses Foundation, Inc.


This organization has long list of research grants and scholarships including The following 17 ANF grants each with deadline of May 1, 2013:

1. Association of Perioperative Nurses Nursing Research

Support is provided to beginning and experienced registered nurse researchers conducting research on any subject. The sponsor provides a grant of $5,000 for nursing research.

2. Margretta Madden Styles Credentialing Research

The sponsor provides a grant to scholars investigating the relationship of credentialing in nursing to quality outcomes in health care. One award of $25,000 will be made.

3. Hildegard E. Peplau, EdD, RN, FAAN Nursing Research

The sponsor supports research in psychiatric/mental health nursing with an interpersonal relations focus. One award of $5,000 will be made.

4. Virginia Stone, PhD, RN, FAAN Nursing Research

The sponsor supports nurse researchers investigating clinical gerontological issues. Principal investigators must be experienced licensed registered nurses. $25,000.
5. Anne Zimmerman, RN, FAAN Nursing Research

The sponsor provides $5,000 for research related to nursing practice or social policy issues that will advance the profession. The program supports research by a beginning or experienced registered nurse researcher.

6. Jean E. Johnson, PhD, RN, FAAN Nursing Research

The sponsor provides a grant of $5,000 for research aimed at the reduction of the negative impact of physical illness, especially cancer. The program supports research by a beginning or experienced registered nurse researcher.

7. Southern Nursing Research Society (SNRS) Nursing Research

The sponsor supports nursing research conducted by a beginning or experienced registered nurse researcher. The principal investigator must be a licensed registered nurse and a member of the sponsor organization. One award of $7,500 will be made.

8. ANA Presidential Scholar

The sponsor provides a $5,000 grant for research on the topic of health disparities. The program supports research by a beginning registered nurse researcher.

9. Virginia Kelly, CRNA Nursing Research

The sponsor provides a $5,000 grant for nursing research on women's health. The program supports research by a beginning registered nurse researcher.

10. Dorothy Cornelius Scholar

The sponsor provides a $5,000 grant for nursing research. The program supports research by a beginning registered nurse researcher.

11. Eastern Nursing Research Society Nursing Research

The sponsor provides one award of $5,000 for research related to nursing. Awards are made to beginning and experienced researchers. Applicants must be members of the Eastern Nursing Research Society.

12. Western Institute of Nursing Research Grant

The sponsor supports nursing research conducted by a beginning or experienced registered nurse researcher.

13. Council for the Advancement of Nursing Science (CANS)/ANF Nursing Research

The sponsor supports nursing research conducted by a postdoctoral fellow or new investigator who has completed the doctorate within the past four years. One award of $5,000 will be made.
14. Rita K. Chow and Yaye Togaski-Breitenbach Nursing Research Grant

The sponsor supports nursing research conducted by a beginning or experienced nurse. One award of $5,000 will be made.

15. Virginia S. Cleland Scholar Nursing Research Grant

The sponsor supports nursing research conducted by beginning and experienced registered nurse researchers conducting research on nursing health policy research only. One award of $5,000 will be made.

16. Martha E. Brill Nursing Research Grant

The sponsor supports nursing research conducted by a beginning registered nurse researcher. One award of $10,000 will be made.

17. Mary Elizabeth Carnegie, DPN, MA, RN, FAAN Nursing Research

This $5,000 award is given in honor of Mary Elizabeth Carnegie whose leadership in nursing and pioneering mentorship of nurse researchers and Ethnic Minority Nurse Fellows epitomizes the vision of the ANF research grants program. The focus of the award is for research on African American nurses.

NIH: National Institute of Aging

MSTEM: Advancing Diversity in Aging Research (ADAR) through Undergraduate Education (R25) [Ongoing Program]

NIA seeks creative and innovative research education programs to diversify the workforce in aging by (1) supporting undergraduate competency and completion in medicine, science, technology, engineering and mathematics (MSTEM) as they relate to aging and (2) application and transition to graduate study that advances a cadre of students from diverse backgrounds into NIA MSTEM fields. Includes biological, biomedical, behavioral, clinical and social sciences research across the lifespan with a focus on processes of aging through midlife and into old age. Evaluation metrics for participants may include graduation rates in these fields, as well as application and enrollment in aging-related and doctoral programs in these fields.


Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Applying Behavioral Economics to Perplexing Health and Health Care Challenges

Deadline: April 17, 2013

RWJF seeks innovative proposals that apply the principles and frameworks of behavioral economics to persistent and perplexing health and health care problems. Hope to discover
interventions and insight with potential to dramatically improve the way health care delivered and health promoted and preserved. Especially experiments testing innovative solutions to reduce the use of low-value services in health care.

http://pweb1.rwjf.org/applications/solicited/cfp.jsp?ID=21420

NIH: National Institute of Mental Health

Improving Health and Reducing Premature Mortality in People with Severe Mental Illness (R01)


Proposals for rigorous effectiveness testing of innovative services interventions designed to reduce the prevalence and magnitude of common modifiable health risk factors related to shortened lifespan in adults with severe mental illness, as well as in children and youth with serious emotional disturbances.


National Institute Health: NIMH, NINDS, NIBIB

Pilot Projects on Sports-Related Brain and Spinal Cord Injury (R03 or R21)

RFA-NS-13-014 Deadline: May 14, 2013

Sports-related TBI is a major public health concern. This FOA is the result of discussions with NIH, DOD and VA, who all have a shared interest in furthering understanding of the acute and chronic effects of neurotrauma. Current guidelines for return to play are almost completely unsupported by evidence. Outcome risk factors are unknown. Scope of the FOA is intentionally broad. Effects of single and repetitive neurotrauma are both of interest, as well as research studies on risk factors including neurodevelopmental stage, development of age-appropriate biomarker and diagnostic tools, and preclinical interventions to prevent or attenuate injury or promote neural plasticity.


NIH – multiple NIH institutes

Research on Ethical Issues in Human Subjects Research (R03)

The sponsors invite applications that propose to study high priority bioethical challenges and issues associated with the types of biomedical, social, and behavioral research supported by the participating NIH Institutes/Centers. The Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research joins this FOA as part of its efforts to promote research on the behavioral and social aspects of health and illness.

US Department of Defense

Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs

Psychological Health/Traumatic Brain Injury

March 12 Status of funding: If CDMRP Programs are funded for 2013, Program Announcements will be posted once the fiscal year 2013 Department of Defense Appropriation Act is passed by Congress and signed by the President.

http://cdmrp.army.mil/funding/default.shtml

Wallace Global Fund


The Fund supports initiatives related to environmental resource depletion and system collapse, corporate abuses and the concentration of corporate power, planetary carrying capacity, sustainable human population, women's human rights, with an emphasis on ending female genital mutilation, civic engagement, civil liberties, equal justice, independent media, and media policy. The Fund supports activities at the global and national level, and will consider significant local or regional initiatives offering the potential to leverage broader national or global impact. It will consider proposals for either core or project-specific support.

http://www.wgf.org/grants

NIH: National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences

Mechanism for Time-Sensitive Research Opportunities in Environmental Health Sciences (R21)

Supports environmental health research in which an unpredictable opportunity has arisen to collect human biosample or exposure data (e.g., following natural or made-made disasters, health care policy changes, etc). The three distinguishing features of an eligible study are: 1) the unforeseeable nature of the opportunity; 2) the clear scientific value and feasibility of the study; and 3) the need for rapid review and funding (substantially shorter than the typical NIH grant review/award cycle) in order for the scientific question to be approached and for the research design to be implemented. The shortened time frame will be achieved by more frequent application due dates and expediting peer review, council concurrence and award issuance. The entire cycle from submission to award is expected to be within 3-4 months.

American Society for Healthcare Risk Management

ASHRM 2014 Research Grants - Call for Letters of Intent

***[2013 awardees: Lorens Helmchen and Janusz Wojtusiak in HAP]

Deadline: April 21, 2013

ASHRM seeks to stimulate research on healthcare risk management and patient safety and supports research projects quantitative or qualitative in nature. Priorities: High Reliability Organization, Serious Safety Event(s), Enterprise Risk Management.

http://www.ashrm.org/ashrm/education/development/research/

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National Science Foundation

Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER) Program (NSF 11-690 and NSF 13-1)

Deadline: July 22-24, 2013 (date depends on which program)

Support for junior faculty who exemplify the role of teacher-scholars through outstanding research, excellent education and the integration of education and research within the context of the mission of their organizations. Eligible faculty include those with academic training in Engineering, Computer and Information Science and Engineering, Biological Sciences, Social Behavioral and Economic Sciences, Education and Human Resources, or Cyber-infrastructure.


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US Department of Agriculture - Food and Nutrition Services

FY13 SNAP Program and Technology Improvement Grants

Deadline: May 06, 2013

For projects aimed at simplifying the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) application and eligibility determination systems or improving access to SNAP benefits by eligible households. How to improve the quality and efficiency of operations and processes within the SNAP office. Specifically, FNS is interested in initiatives that use new technologies or examine office processes in order to improve application processing timeliness for initial applications or re-certifications. Also interested in proposals that aim to increase the effectiveness of employment and training activities.

http://www.fns.usda.gov/snap/government/program-improvement.htm
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration


Deadline: May 14, 2013

Proposed projects must implement evidence-based interventions and evaluate effectiveness. Project must expand substance abuse treatment and HIV services for African American, Hispanic/Latina, and other racial/ethnic minority women (ages 18 years and older), including heterosexual, lesbian, bisexual, previously incarcerated women, and their significant others, who have substance use or co-occurring substance use and mental disorders and are living with or at risk for HIV/AIDS.

http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=n52kRQ1MttT76LMcTW1LdlHLICccq71Fn0qRglFT11yYDnpfk4ytt!828092678?oppId=226574&mode=VIEW

NIH: National Institute on Aging

"Regional and International Differences in Health and Longevity at Older Ages"  
(R01, R03, R21) New Ongoing Program]

Applications proposing secondary analysis, new data collection, calibration of measures across studies, development of innovative survey measures, and linkages to administrative sources are encouraged. Encourages proposals to advance knowledge on the reasons behind the divergent trends observed in health and longevity at older ages, both across industrialized nations and across geographical areas in the US. Intended to capitalize on NIA's investment in the development of cross-nationally comparable datasets that can be harnessed to study these research questions; Health and Retirement Study, the English Longitudinal Study on Ageing, the Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe, and the Human Mortality Data Base.


NIH - National Institutes of Health Bioengineering Research Grants (BRG)(R01) [Ongoing Program]

Supports Bioengineering Research Grants for basic and applied multi-disciplinary research performed in a single laboratory or by a small number of investigators that applies an integrative, systems approach to develop knowledge and/or methods to prevent, detect, diagnose, or treat disease or to understand health and behavior. May propose hypothesis-driven, discovery-driven, developmental, or design-directed research.


US Agency for International Development (USAID)

Operationalizing a Neighborhood Approach to Reduce Urban Disaster Risk in Latin America
and the Caribbean

USAID will support innovative and/or proven ways to reduce the risk of disasters to populations living in in hazard-prone, marginalized and vulnerable urban settlements, through applying the Neighborhood Approach in Latin America and the Caribbean.

http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=224273

NIH: National Institutes of Mental Health

Gut-Microbiome-Brain Interactions and Mental Health (R21/R33)

RFA Deadline: Oct 10, 2013

To investigate mechanisms by which the gut microbiome modulates the development and function of brain circuits that subserve behavioral functions of direct relevance to the mission of the NIMH. Because initial colonization of the gut by microbiota occurs early in life and may influence the subsequent development and modifiability of the central nervous system, developmental studies are of particular interest. NIMH encourages investigator teams to initiate hypothesis-driven research in this cross-cutting research area and to identify promising mechanistic leads for future basic and translational research.


University of Wisconsin-Madison’s Center for Demography of Health and Aging

Deadline: 05/06/2013

The Wisconsin Longitudinal Study at the University of Wisconsin-Madison will award two pilot grants to investigators using the Wisconsin Longitudinal Study (WLS) data for scholarly research. This grant program is intended to support new users and new uses of WLS data. The WLS provides an opportunity to study the life course, careers, retirement, intergenerational transfers and relationships, family functioning, physical and mental health and well-being, morbidity and mortality, and gene-environment interactions from late adolescence to the retirement years.

http://www.ssc.wisc.edu/wlsresearch/pilot/