

Massachusetts General Hospital Corporate & Foundation Relations Office of Development

FOUNDATION FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES: APRIL 30, 2021

Please contact Corporate & Foundation Relations in the Office of Development at devcfr@mgh.harvard.edu if you wish to submit a proposal in response to any of these opportunities. Note that proposals are still routed through the standard InfoEd/Research Management process.

Please be aware that any grant that brings in less than 15% in indirect costs (IDC) will need to be supplemented up to the 15% equivalent by existing investigator or departmental sundry funds. Resolution of this issue must occur prior to submitting a proposal. Training fellowships from foundations, public charity, and non-profit organizations are excluded from this minimum IDC requirement.

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1. Research Grants, County Health Rankings & Roadmaps/Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) NEW!

The Research Grants will support scholarly inquiry from outside the program to identify potential improvements to CHR&R tools to increase their strategic use and the impact of efforts to improve health and increase health equity.

This Call for Proposals (CFP) includes four specific focus areas, informed by Public Health Critical Race Praxis:

- Contemporary patterns of racial relations and spatial inequities using the CHR&R data and tools
- Knowledge production that supports understanding of the context of racial inequity and systemic racism for inclusion in CHR&R
- Conceptualization and measurement of spatial and racial differences that evolve CHR&R data sources, methods, tools, and narratives
- Actions to counter racial, spatial, and power inequities to strengthen the potential for CHR&R to contribute to change

Citizenship: United States

Award Amount:

- Targeted Studies: Up to \$50,000 for 1 year
- Complex/Comprehensive Studies: Up to \$100,000 for 1 year



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Indirect Costs: 12%

Preliminary Proposal Deadline: June 4, 2021 (Invited) Application Deadline: July 23, 2021

Website: https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/research-grants

2. Damon Runyon-Rachleff Innovation Award, Damon Runyon Cancer Research Foundation

The Damon Runyon-Rachleff Innovation Award is designed to provide support for the next generation of exceptionally creative thinkers with "high-risk/high-reward" ideas that have the potential to significantly impact our understanding of and/or approaches to the prevention, diagnosis or treatment of cancer.

The Innovation Award is specifically designed to provide funding to extraordinary early career researchers who have an innovative new idea but lack sufficient preliminary data to obtain traditional funding. It is not designed to fund incremental advances. The research supported by the award must be novel, exceptionally creative and, if successful, have the strong potential for high impact in the cancer field.

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

- Applicants must belong to one of the following categories: 1) Tenure-track Assistant Professors, 2) Clinical Instructors and Senior Clinical Fellows, 3) Distinguished Fellows
- Applicants may apply no more than two times.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount:

- Stage 1 award will be for two years, \$200,000 per year (\$400,000 total) with the opportunity for up to two additional years of funding (up to four years total for \$800,000).
- Stage 2 support for years three and four will be granted to those awardees who demonstrate progress on their proposed research during years one and two of the award.

Indirect Costs: None

Application Deadline: July 1, 2021

Website: https://www.damonrunyon.org/for-scientists/application-guidelines/innovation

3. Bridge Funding Award, Foundation for Society for Maternal-Fetal Medicine (SMFM) NEW!

The Bridge Funding Award is designed to stabilize a research program of a promising physician scientist in the field of perinatal sciences (basic or clinical) who has had a major national-level research program grant (e.g., R-level grant) or training grant (e.g., AAOGF/ABOG, AAOGF/SMFM, BIRCWH, WRHR, RSDP), and has applied for a subsequent

grant but has not been successful in obtaining independent research funding or who has a temporary lapse in funding.

Bridge funds are intended to enhance the likelihood of successful application for other major funding opportunities by accelerating ongoing research productivity and by ensuring that essential research personnel are not lost due to lapses in funding. Priority will be given to programs with a strong likelihood that the investigator will successfully garner independent external funding by the end of the award. The proposed research should address important problems in perinatal biology and medicine. Basic, translational, clinical and health services research projects are encouraged.

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

- Board certified or eligible Maternal-Fetal Medicine physician-investigators who are at the rank of Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology or above may apply.
- SMFM member required.
- Under-represented miniorities are encouraged to apply.
- Applicants who have successfully completed a funded research training award (e.g., AAOGF/ABOG, AAOGF/SMFM, BIRCWH, WRHR, RSDP, or other mentored training award) are encouraged to apply.
- Investigators with a K or any R award for the proposed period of bridge funding are NOT eligible.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: \$75,000 for 1 year

Indirect Costs: None

Application Deadline January 22, 2022

Website: https://foundationforsmfm.org/programs/bridge-funding-award

4. Shaffer Fund for Innovative Glaucoma Research, Glaucoma Research Foundation

We support new high-impact clinical, epidemiological and laboratory research based on our strategic research goals:

- Protect and restore the optic nerve
- Accurately detect glaucoma and monitor its progress
- Find the genes responsible for glaucoma
- Understand the intraocular pressure system and develop better treatments
- Determine the risk factors for glaucoma damage using systematic outcomes data

Citizenship: Unspecified

Award Amount: \$50,000 for 1 year

Indirect Costs: None

Preliminary Proposal Deadline: July 15, 2021

(Invited) Proposal Deadline: September 30, 2021

Website: http://www.glaucoma.org/research/applying-for-a-grant.php

5. Grant Opportunities, Lymphangioleiomyomatosis (LAM) Foundation

Pilot and Feasibility Grant

The objective of this grant is to provide funds to encourage the development and testing of new hypotheses and/or new methods in research areas relevant to LAM. Proposed work must be hypothesis generating or hypothesis testing, reflecting innovative approaches to important questions in LAM research or development of novel methods, and providing sufficient preliminary data to justify the Foundation's support.

Francis X. McCormack, MD, Career Development Research Grant

This grant aims to provide support for both postdoctoral research fellows and investigators with less than five years in a faculty position who intend to pursue a career in LAM research.

Established Investigator Research Grant

The objective of this grant is to provide funds to faculty level investigators for technician support and supplies to encourage the development of new information that contributes to the understanding of the basic biology of LAM expression, and the pathogenesis/management of LAM. In addition, consideration will be given to those projects that provide insight into the development of information that may contribute to new therapies for LAM. All proposals must be hypothesis generating or hypothesis testing and provide sufficient preliminary data to justify The LAM Foundation's support.

Citizenship: Unspecified

Award Amount:

- Pilot and Feasibility Grant: Up to \$50,000 for 1 year
- Career Development Research Grant: Up to \$180,000 paid over 3 years
- Established Investigator Research Grant: Up to \$150,000 paid over 3 years

Indirect Costs: None

LOI Deadline: June 15, 2021

(Invited) Proposal Deadline: September 15, 2021

Website: https://www.thelamfoundation.org/Investigators/Grants/Grant-Opportunities

6. Interdisciplinary Translational Project (ITP) Programs, Michigan-Pittsburgh-Wyss Regenerative Medicine Resource Center (MPWRM Resource Center)

The Michigan-Pittsburgh-Wyss Regenerative Medicine (MPWRM) Resource Center is one of the two national Resource Centers established by the National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research (NIDCR)'s Dental Oral and Craniofacial Tissue Regeneration Consortium (DOCTRC) initiative. With the overarching goal of developing clinical trial-ready tissue engineering/regenerative medicine products and protocols, the DOCTRC initiative is providing funding and

resources through the Interdisciplinary Translational Project (ITP) program administered by the two national Resource Centers.

The MPWRM Resource Center brings together a multi-disciplinary team of clinicians, engineers, scientists, and technology commercialization and regulatory experts from academia and industry to support the regenerative medicine research community by providing resources and expertise to guide innovations that address unmet clinical needs for the regeneration or restoration of DOC tissues.

The program seeks to identify promising regenerative medicine/ tissue engineering technologies that address clear unmet clinical need with market potential in the dental, oral, and craniofacial (DOC) space, and to catalyze the clinical translation of these technologies towards FDA submissions. The long-term goal is to achieve high impact outcomes in the clinical marketplace.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: \$300,000 for 1 year

Indirect Costs: 10%

Preliminary Proposal Deadline: June 1, 2021 (Invited) Proposal Deadline: August 27, 2021

Website: https://mpwrm-doctrc.pitt.edu/core-services-resources/about-the-itp-program/

7. Investigator-Initiated Research Grants, National Institute for Health Care Management Research and Educational Foundation (NIHCM Foundation)

NIHCM Foundation supports innovative research that will advance the existing knowledge base in the areas of health care financing, delivery, management and/or policy. Studies must have strong potential to yield insights that can be used to have a positive impact on the U.S. health care system by reducing spending, improving quality of care, and/or expanding access to insurance coverage and health care services.

Citizenship: Unspecified

Award Amount: The 2021-2022 round of grant making for this program is making a total of \$1

million available. Indirect Costs: 12%

LOI Deadline: June 30, 2021

(Invited) Application Deadline: September 2021

Website: https://www.nihcm.org/grants/research-grants

8. Abbott Nutrition Advanced Fellowship Training in Pediatric Nutrition, North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition (NASPGHAN)

Pediatric nutrition is one of the fastest growing areas of scientific and clinical importance to child and population health. To address this growing interest and to accelerate the training of pediatric experts, the NASPGHAN Foundation has partnered with Abbott Nutrition to develop a pathway for advanced fellowship training in pediatric nutrition.

The primary objective of the fellowship is to catalyze and increase the number of highly-trained, expert nutrition clinicians, educators and scientists among the membership of NASPGHAN, as a means to improve service to our patients and the public.

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

- The applicant must be a MD, DO and a member in good standing of the North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition.
- Applications will be accepted from candidates who are within ten years of their GI fellowship training.
- Fellowships may be conducted in a variety of settings, including hospital-based programs, university nutrition programs, government programs, or not-for-profit entities.
- The applicant may not hold salary funding from any other granting agency for the award period.
- Although not required, strong preference will be given to applicants seeking training at a location distinct from the institution in which their fellowship training occurred.

Citizenship: United States

Award Amount: \$75,000 for 1 year

Indirect Costs: None

Application Deadline: August 23, 2021

Website: https://naspghan.org/research/naspghan-foundation-grants/

9. George Ferry and Nestlé Nutrition Research Young Investigator Development Award, North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition (NASPGHAN)

The Young Investigator Development Awards are two-year awards available to junior faculty to support research activities that have the potential for evolution to an independent research career in pediatric gastroenterology, hepatology or nutrition.

- 1. NASPGHAN Foundation/NASPGHAN George Ferry Young Investigator Development Award: This grant is awarded to support a meritorious clinical, quality improvement, translational or basic science research project related to diseases of the gastrointestinal tract, liver, pancreas or nutritional disorders of children.
- 2. NASPGHAN Foundation/Nestlé Nutrition Research Young Investigator Development Award: This grant, generously supported by NestléNutrition Institute, is awarded to

support a meritorious clinical, quality improvement, translational or basic science research project relating to nutrition in infancy, childhood or adolescence.

NOTE: Investigators may apply for both grants, as long as the proposed studies adhere to all criteria for each grant.

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

- Be a NASPGHAN member in good standing for at least two years.
- Have or will complete pediatric gastroenterology, advanced fellowship training, or basic post-doctoral training within 5 years of the application due date for this award. Concurrent completion of advanced fellowship training is not allowed for this award.
- Hold a full time faculty position below the rank of Associate Professor.
- Not currently hold or previously been awarded an NIH mentored grant such as a K08, K23, an NIH RO1, PO1 (or similar), or an or equivalent Canadian or Mexican grant mechanisms. Those with concurrent or previous institutional career development awards (KL2, K12, or similar) or Foundation grants are eligible to apply if the proposal does not have scientific overlap.
- Not currently hold another NASPGHAN Foundation grant.

Citizenship: North America

Award Amount: \$150,000 paid 2 years

Indirect Costs: None

Application Deadline: July 1, 2021

Website: https://naspghan.org/research/naspghan-foundation-grants/

10. Mid-Level Career Development Award, North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition (NASPGHAN)

This award is designated for NASPGHAN members at the mid-career level who are pursuing research in pediatric gastroenterology, hepatology and nutrition. The goal of this award is to support and advance the success of investigators at the midlevel stage of their career.

Applications will be accepted for investigators to:

- Support a new project within an established area of research or
- Support investigation of a new or innovative research area which represents a departure from previously funded research

The proposal must include a focused project that has the potential to both directly enhance the applicant's ability to obtain further federal peer-reviewed research funding and to make a significant impact on pediatric gastrointestinal, nutrition and liver health. Basic, clinical, quality improvement, translational, epidemiologic, dissemination and implementation research are all encouraged. Although not mandatory, a preference will be given to applicants who have: 1) a track record of prior national federal (e.g. NIH) research funding; 2) currently have a gap in

research funding; and 3) have demonstrated commitment to a long-term academic career in pediatric gastroenterology.

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

- Applicants who are at the Instructor, Assistant or Associate level are eligible.
- Be a NASPGHAN member in good standing for at least two full years at the time of the application deadline.
- Be at least 6 years out from the start of their first faculty position regardless of rank or academic track.
- Not have an active R01 (similar or equivalent CIHR or other independent investigator grant) at the time of application. Applicants holding a career development award, such as a K grant, can apply for this mid-career grant during the last two years of the career development award.

Citizenship: North America

Award Amount: \$50,000-\$100,000 paid over 1-2 years

Indirect Costs: None

Application Deadline: July 1, 2021

Website: https://naspghan.org/research/naspghan-foundation-grants/

11. QOL Medical Research Award For the Study of Disorders Associated with Carbohydrate Maldigestion/Malabsorption in Children, North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition (NASPGHAN) NEW!

This award will provide funds for studies focused on disorders of carbohydrate (CHO) maldigestion/malabsorption in children, either primary or secondary. Relevant conditions include, but are not limited to, lactose intolerance, congenital sucrose-isomaltase deficiency, congenital enteropathies that impact intestinal epithelial cell function, or inflammatory conditions affecting CHO absorption.

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

- The principal investigator must be a member in good standing of the North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition for at least one year at the time of the application. Inclusion of co-investigators or collaborators in other scientific disciplines is encouraged.
- The applicant may not hold funding from any granting agency for a project that has an
 overlapping scientific objective at the time of the award is made or during the two year
 period of the award.
- Applications in either the clinical, translational, laboratory or quality improvement sciences are eligible.

Citizenship: North America

Award Amount: \$150,000 paid over 2 years

Indirect Costs: None

Application Deadline: July 1, 2021

Website: https://naspghan.org/research/naspghan-foundation-grants/

12. Takeda Pharmaceutical Products Inc. Research Innovation Award, North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition (NASPGHAN)

This grant will provide funds for innovative, high-impact research in pediatric gastroenterology, hepatology, and nutrition. The intent of this research award is to stimulate scientific inquiry in an area that is exceptionally innovative and has the potential to impact the field in a highly novel manner.

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

- The principal investigator must be a member in good standing of the North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition for at least one year at the time of the application. Inclusion of co-investigators or collaborators in other scientific disciplines is encouraged.
- The applicant may not hold funding from any granting agency for a project that has an
 overlapping scientific objective at the time of the award is made or during the two-year
 period of the award.

Citizenship: North America

Award Amount: \$150,000 paid over 2 years

Indirect Costs: None

Application Deadline: July 1, 2021

Website: https://naspghan.org/research/naspghan-foundation-grants/

13. Research Support Grants, Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Foundation (OMSF)

Purpose of the Research Support Grant:

- Further the development of scientific investigators who are committed to problems related to oral and maxillofacial surgery.
- Foster inter-professional research collaborations.
- Encourage promising lines of basic, translational, and patient-oriented research consistent with the research priorities established by the specialty.

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

- Applicant oral and maxillofacial surgeon (OMS) must have completed an oral and maxillofacial surgery training program accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association (CODA).
- The OMS who is the PI or Co-PI, as the case may be, must be a fellow or member of the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons (AAOMS) and must be a donor of the OMS Foundation.

Citizenship: United States

Award Amount: \$75,000 for 1 year

Indirect Costs: None

Application Deadline: July 15, 2021

Website: http://omsfoundation.org/research-education/apply/

14. Osteology Researcher Grants, Osteology Foundation

The Osteology Foundation aims to support scientific research and education projects in the field of oral tissue regeneration . In order to actively promote clinical and translational research the Osteology Foundation awards grants to selected researchers twice a year.

The Foundation offers two types of grants: Advanced Researcher Grants and Young Researcher Grants. The Young Researcher Grants programme supports young researchers in realizing their own research project and fuelling their research career. In both grant programmes clinically relevant questions shall be addressed and the results published open access in international peer-reviewed journals. These grants are intended for research proposals submitted by investigators who want to address questions in the field of oral and maxillofacial tissue regeneration. The Foundation ensures strict confidentiality of all applications and applying research teams, as well as of the results of the review process among the reviewers and the foundation.

Research types falling within the scope of the Advanced and Young Researcher Grants are for example:

- Basic research in oral and maxillofacial tissue regeneration with a clear link to clinical application
- Pre-clinical research in oral and maxillofacial tissue regeneration with a clear link to clinical application
- Clinical research projects in oral and maxillofacial tissue regeneration

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount:

- Grants will be limited to 100,000 Swiss francs (approx. \$99,000) with a maximum project duration of two years.
- Osteology Young Researcher Grants: Grants will be limited to 30,000 Swiss francs (approx. \$29,729) with a maximum project duration of one year.

Indirect Costs: 10%

Abstract Deadline: June 15, 2021

(Invited) Application Deadline: October 15, 2021

Website: http://www.osteology.org/grants/researcher-grants/

15. Research Grants and Fellowships, Paralyzed Veterans of America (PVA) Research Foundation

From transplanting cells and regenerating damaged nerve fibers to designing adaptive canoe seats, the Paralyzed Veterans of America Research Foundation supports innovative research and fellowships that improve the lives of those with spinal cord injury and disease (SCI/D).

The grant funds the following categories:

- Basic Science laboratory research in the basic sciences to find a cure for SCI/D
- Clinical clinical and functional studies of the medical, psychosocial and economic effects of SCI/D, and interventions to alleviate these effects
- Design and Development of assistive technology for people with SCI/D, which includes improving the identification, selection and utilization of these devices
- Fellowships for postdoctoral scientists, clinicians and engineers to encourage training and specialization in the field of spinal cord research

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

• Senior fellows are encouraged to apply as principal investigators. Post-doctoral scientists are eligible to apply for fellowship support within four years of receiving a PhD or completing MD residency.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount:

Research Grants: Up to \$150,000 paid over 2 years
Fellowship Grants: Up to \$100,000 paid over 2 years

Indirect Costs: 8%

Application Deadline: July 1, 2021

Website: https://www.pva.org/research-foundation

16. Management of Metabolic Risks that Drive Liver Diseases and Increase Cardiovascular Risk in NASH, Pfizer Global Medical Grants (GMG) NEW!

It is our intent to provide an independent grant(s) to an organization or organizations that will focus on the management of metabolic disorders' risks that drive liver disease outcomes and increase cardiovascular risk in non-alcoholic steatohepatitis (NASH). Projects that will be considered for Pfizer support will focus on:

- Innovative treatment approaches to reduce the risk of, slow or prevent progression to severe liver outcomes such as advanced fibrosis, cirrhosis, hepatocellular carcinoma, or liver transplant
- Understanding the linkage of NAFLD/NASH and cardiovascular disease in patients with NASH
- Understanding the contribution of NAFLD/NASH to overall morbidity and mortality risks

The submitted proposals should aim to inform the scientific and clinical community and to advance the discussion around management of liver and cardiovascular outcomes in NASH.

It is not our intent to support clinical research projects. Projects evaluating the efficacy of therapeutic or diagnostic agents will not be considered.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: \$200,000 Indirect Costs: 28%

Application Deadline: June 15, 2021

Website: https://www.pfizer.com/purpose/independent-grants/competitive-grants

17. Grants for Research on Progeria, Progeria Research Foundation (PRF)

PRF's research focus is highly translational. Topics must fall within the following research priorities:

- Projects that are likely to lead to clinical treatment trials within 5 years. This includes the
 discovery and/or testing of candidate treatment compounds in cellbased or animal
 models of HGPS. Only proposals that test compounds in a progerin-producing animal
 or cell model will normally be considered. Analyses in non progerin-producing models
 are acceptable, but only as a comparison to progerin-producing models and with strong
 justification.
- Development of gene- and cell-based therapies to treat Progeria
- Assessment of natural history of disease that may be important to developing outcome measures in treatment trials (preclinical or clinical)

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: \$75,000-\$150,000 paid over 1-2 years

Indirect Costs: No indirect costs will be provided. *Exception*: If an institution has a strict, written policy which does not allow researchers to apply to granting organizations that do not pay indirect costs, and if there have been no exceptions to that policy, PRF will negotiate a minimal rate. The policy must be provided for review.

LOI Deadline: July 1, 2021

(Invited) Application Deadline: October 1, 2021

Website: https://www.progeriaresearch.org/research-funding-opportunities/

18. Research in Transforming Health and Health Care Systems, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) NEW! COVID!

The Medicaid program is facing tremendous opportunities and challenges at a time when its role is so vital. States and the federal government have implemented numerous temporary changes to Medicaid in response to the pandemic—such as making it easier to access, qualify and enroll in state coverage and affordable health care services.

With states having the option to make some policies permanent once federal declarations end—it is essential to understand how Medicaid policies being implemented or considered in response to the pandemic may advance racial equity—or, alternatively, reinforce or exacerbate structural racism. Evidence on these issues is needed to inform Medicaid policy in the months and years after the pandemic ends, and to help state and federal Medicaid policymakers identify and eliminate policies that contribute to racial inequities in access, care, and outcomes.

The purpose of this 2021 RTHS call for proposals is to fund research studies that evaluate or predict how enrollees are effected by Medicaid policy changes enacted in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Given the disproportionate impact of the pandemic on communities of color, we are requesting studies that examine the impact of Medicaid policies on communities of color and/or explore how current or proposed policies may alleviate or exacerbate racial inequity and structural racism in the context of Medicaid. The goal of this funding opportunity is to generate rigorous evidence on the effects of recent Medicaid policy changes on enrollees, states, and others, and to inform and advance equitable policies and racial equity in Medicaid.

Citizenship: United States or United States Minor Outlying Islands

Award Amount: \$150,000-\$350,000

Indirect Costs: 12%

Preliminary Proposal Deadline: June 28, 2021 (Invited) Proposal Deadline: November 1, 2021

Website: https://www.rwjf.org/en/library/funding-opportunities/2021/research-in-transforming-

health-and-health-care-systems.html

19. Research in Transforming Health & Health Care Systems, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) COVID!

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Citizenship: United States

Award Amount: \$150,000-\$350,000

Indirect Costs: 12%

Preliminary Proposal Deadline: June 28, 2021 (Invited) Proposal Deadline: November 1, 2021

Website: https://www.rwjf.org/en/library/funding-opportunities/2021/research-in-transforming-health-and-health-care-systems.html

20. Changemakers in Family Planning, Society of Family Planning Research Fund

Institutionalized racism, past and present, is a barrier to the full participation of people of color in science. This systematic maldistribution of resources, power, and opportunity negatively affects scholars of color who enter the academic sphere and the research produced. The science of family planning is no exception; the underrepresentation of people of color inhibits the generation of research on abortion and contraception.

As a core strategy, the Society of Family Planning Research Fund (SFPRF) is seeking to build and support an inclusive, multidisciplinary, skilled, and well-connected community with a shared focus on family planning. Underlying this strategy is the knowledge that the full participation of scholars of color is essential to pursuing the ambitious vision of just and equitable abortion and contraception informed by science.

Eligibility requirements (partial list):

- Scholars who self-identify as persons of color;
- Have completed a terminal degree program within ten years of submitting an application;
- Have received less than \$250,000 to conduct family planning research as a Principal Investigator or have never served as a Principal Investigator for family planning research;

Citizenship: United States

Award Amount: \$60,000 paid over 2 years

Indirect Costs: 20%

Application Deadline: June 7, 2021

Website: https://www.societyfp.org/research-support/