

LIMITED SUBMISSION FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

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Sponsor:	National Institute of Health (NIH)
Participating Organization:	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
Title:	Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Center 2014 (U54)
FOA Number	RFA-HD-14-012
Internal Review Deadline:	April 4, 2014 8:00 AM
Sponsor Deadlines:	May 6, 2014 5:00 PM Local time (Application)
Nominations allowed:	One (1) per university
Award Amount:	Support should not exceed \$1.3 million in total costs
Duration:	Maximum project period up to (5) years

This is a limited submission opportunity requiring internal review; please see internal review instructions below.

Award Description: This opportunity invites applications for research center cooperative agreements designed to advance the diagnosis, prevention, treatment, and amelioration of intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD).

This FOA seeks applications from institutions that meet the qualifications for a multi-disciplinary program of IDD research that will include: 1) Cores that facilitate interdisciplinary and translational research in IDD, and support IDD-related projects funded by other sources; and 2) at least one specific research project related to one of five focus themes identified as an area of research need in IDD. Funds for the majority of research projects using these core facilities come from independent sources including Federal, State, and private organizations.

See RFA for full details: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HD-14-012.html>

Eligible Individuals: (Program Director/Principal Investigator)

Any individual(s) with the skills, knowledge, and resources necessary to carry out the proposed research as the Program Director/Principal Investigator (PD/PI) is invited to work with his/her organization to develop an application for support.

The IDDC Center Director (PD/PI) should be a scientist or science administrator who can provide effective scientific and administrative leadership. The PD/PI(s) of the IDDC should be a recognized scientific leader(s) experienced in the field of IDD research and must be able to coordinate, integrate, and provide guidance in the establishment of research programs. The Director will be responsible for the organization and operation of the IDDC and for communication with the NICHD on scientific and operational matters. The Director should be able to integrate and synthesize the proposed research, and, thereby, serve as an example to other investigators. The Center Director should have a minimum total commitment of 2.4 person-months to the IDDC. The Center Director may also serve as PD/PI on the Research Component Project of the IDDC. The Center Director cannot serve as a Project PD/PI on another active IDDC award.

INTERNAL REVIEW INSTRUCTIONS:

Required documentation:

- **Summary Page (1 page)**
 - Complete contact information of PI including: full name and current academic title with the university, depart, phone number, email address
 - Title of this funding opportunity
 - Descriptive title of proposed research
 - Names of other key personnel (if applicable)
 - Participating institutions (if applicable)
- **Project Summary (2-4 pages)**
Tailored to address the sponsor's goals/focus (full details online)
- **Biographical Sketch (2-4 pages)**

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- **COMBINE ALL DOCUMENTS LISTED ABOVE INTO ONE PDF** and email to Limited Submission Committee at **hsfunding@ucsd.edu** by the date and **TIME** listed above.
- **In the body of your submission email, include your full name and contact information (often accomplished by including an email signature).**

UCSD will prescreen and select 1 applicant, as allowed by the sponsor, to move forward to the full application stage.

If selected, PI should be prepared to complete a full application pursuant to the sponsor's guidelines which may include the following items:

- **Budget**
- **Expanded application and proposal**
- **Additional reference letters**

All applications for funding must also be reviewed by the Office of Contracts and Grant Administration (OCGA). Upon receiving notification of passing internal review, the selected PI(s) will also be given the contact information for the appropriate OCGA officer. Coordination of the OCGA review will be direct between the PI and their OCGA contact.

CONTACTS

Internal Contact for Questions:

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