

LIMITED SUBMISSION FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

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| Sponsor: | National Institute of Health (NIH) |
| Participating Organization: | National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD) |
| Title: | Transdisciplinary Collaborative Centers for Health Disparities Research Coordination Center (U54) |
| FOA Number | RFA-MD-14-002 |
| Internal Review Deadline: | Wed. April 30, 2014 Expression of Interest |
| Sponsor Deadlines: | May 19, 2014 - Letter of Intent June 19, 2014 5:00 PM Local time Application |
| Nominations allowed: | One (1) per university |
| Award Amount: | \$2 million in annual total costs |
| Duration: | Maximum project period is 5 years |

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

Award Description: This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) invites applications to establish a Coordination Center to facilitate and support consortium-wide activities for NIMHD Transdisciplinary Collaborative Centers (TCCs) for Health Disparities Research. The TCC Coordination Center will serve as the focal point for disseminating TCC consortium information to the broader research community and public, including research results, scientific data, and methods to assess the impact of consortium activities on health disparities locally, regionally and nationally.

See RFA for full details: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-MD-14-002.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(s)/Principal Investigator(s) (PD(s)/PI(s)) is invited to work with his/her organization to develop an application for support. Individuals from underrepresented racial and ethnic groups as well as individuals with disabilities are always encouraged to apply for NIH support.

For institutions/organizations proposing multiple PDs/PIs, visit the Multiple Program Director/Principal Investigator Policy and submission details in the Senior/Key Person Profile (Expanded) Component of the SF424 (R&R) Application Guide.

INTERNAL REVIEW INSTRUCTIONS:

The internal review process involves two required steps described below.

Step #1: Expression of Interest (EOI). Investigators who wish to submit a proposal should send an EOI to hsfunding@ucsd.edu by 5:00 pm, April 30, 2014. The EOI should be submitted as a one-page pdf and include:

1. PI's name and department
2. A brief project summary

Step #2: Pre-application, if, and only if, more than one EOI is received by the first campus deadline noted in Step #1.

Those who have submitted EOIs will be asked to submit a pre-application (content will be specified) to

hsfunding@ucsd.edu by 5:00 pm Pacific Time on Thursday May 8, 2014.

An independent faculty committee will then review all pre-applications and select the most competitive application, using the guidance about the sponsor's priorities in the RFP, to represent UC San Diego.

CONTACTS

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