Limited Submission Funding Opportunities

MCH Autism Intervention Research Networks

Two opportunities:

Opportunity #1: Autism Intervention Research Network on Behavioral Health (AIR-B)
Opportunity #2: Autism Intervention Research Network on Physical Health (AIR-P)


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The purpose of the MCH Autism Intervention Research Network on Behavioral Health (AIR-B Network) is to establish and maintain an interdisciplinary, multicenter research forum for scientific collaboration and infrastructure building, which will provide national leadership in research designed to improve the behavioral, mental, social, and/or cognitive health and wellbeing of children and adolescents with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) and other developmental disabilities.


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The purpose of the MCH Autism Intervention Research Network on Physical Health (AIR-P Network) is to establish and maintain an interdisciplinary, multicenter research forum for scientific collaboration and infrastructure building, which will provide national leadership in research designed to improve the physical health and wellbeing of children and adolescents with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) and other developmental disabilities. Physical health may include, but is not limited to, medical, dental, visual, nutrition and speech/hearing components.

Additional information on AIR-B and AIR-P Networks:
The AIR-B and AIR-P Networks are required to collaborate with a program serving vulnerable and underserved populations, such as HRSA-supported program populations (e.g., Health Center Program; Maternal, Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Program) for recruitment of these populations for Network studies. Such collaboration should also include an interdisciplinary cadre of researchers, health and related service providers, and community partners in diverse settings to broaden the scope of the Network.

LIMIT ON NUMBER OF PROPOSALS PER ORGANIZATION
Multiple applications from an organization are not allowable for either competition. An applicant organization cannot apply for more than one Network included in this FOA.
KEY DATES
Internal Letter of Intent Due: March 9, 2015 (by midnight)
Sponsor Proposal Due: April 21, 2015

SUBMITTING A MANDATORY LETTER OF INTENT
Faculty members interested in this funding opportunity are required to submit a letter of intent (LOI). An LOI is required but not binding.

1. Click here to access the LOI form. On the Project Summary section, indicate whether you are applying to the AIR-B or the AIR-P program.
2. Name the LOI as follows: “LastName-FirstInitial-LOI-HRSA-Autism”, replacing “LastName” with your last name and “First Initial” with your first initial.
3. Click on the Vault ticket: https://vault2.northwestern.edu/xythoswfs/webui/_xy-e6475381_1-t_vDi2aABy
4. Click the Upload button.
5. Click the Browse button and navigate to your file on your hard drive or network.
6. Click the OK button.

Note: You will get a tiny confirmation message upon upload. If you do not see it, you may contact Karen Cielo k-cielo@northwestern.edu for a confirmation.

COLLABORATION OPPORTUNITIES
The Office of Research Development offers assistance in identifying and facilitating collaborations, putting together interdisciplinary teams, programmatic and administrative development of large, cross-school proposals, and leveraging institutional resources for outreach and education. Contact Fruma Yehiely (yehiely@northwestern.edu), Director of ORD, for more information.

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