

Pre-Application Webinar - Center for Rapid Surveillance of Tobacco (CRST) to Assess Changes in Use Behaviors, Product Marketing, and the Marketplace

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Key Dates and Award Information from the RFA

- Letter of Intent Due Date – March 20, 2022
- Application Due Date – May 18, 2022
- Earliest Start Date – April 2023
- Maximum project periods length is five (5) years
- Applications capped at
 - \$2.8 Total Costs for 01 year
 - \$3.8 Total costs for years 02-05
- Applications from Foreign organization are **not allowed**; however applications from Domestic organizations may include non-US components

Cooperative Agreement Requirements

- Awards funded under this RFA will be Cooperative Agreements which means that there is planned substantial involvement of NIH staff in the research
- The RFA describes the Cooperative Agreement Terms and Conditions which detail the roles and responsibilities for
 - Grant Recipient Staff – Principal Investigator
 - NCI Staff – Project Collaborator
 - TRSP and FDA Staff – Project Coordinator
 - Both – CRST Steering Committee
- All of these terms and conditions will be incorporated by reference in the Notice of Award

Additional Requirements of the Awards

- Non-SNAP Research Performance Progress Reports (RPPR) will be due annually - 60 days prior to the anniversary date. Electronic submission via the NIH Commons.
- A Mid-Period Progress Report (MPPR) will be due every six (6) months following the project start date. Electronic submission via e-mail to the Grants Management Specialist listed on the Notice of Grant Award. The scientific summary should be a maximum of two (2) pages.
- Carryforward of funds from one budget period to the next will require NIH prior approval

Questions?

- If you have any administrative questions while preparing and submitting your application – feel free to contact:

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