



Child Health Research Awards Program

Frequently Asked Questions

Eligibility

I applied for a Hood award two years ago and would like to submit an entirely different project for this cycle. Am I eligible?

If you applied ~~o~~ My appointment is Staff Clinician at a hospital. Does this count as a “faculty” appointment?

If you have completed your training and are within the five or seven year window, you are eligible. Please refer to the Application Guidelines for additional guidance on eligibility requirements for both physician scientists and PhD scientists.

My faculty appointment is at an out-of-state institution, but I am currently in a temporary position in a New England institution. May I apply for this grant?

No. The applicant's primary faculty appointment must be at a New England institution.

Are leaves of absence counted towards the five-~~or~~ seven year

Is the \$500,000 limit on direct costs inclusive of a Hood Award and my startup package?

No. This figure does not include the Hood Award, the start-up package or any other intramural support.

If my direct costs from all external funding total \$500,000 in Year 1 of the Hood Award and I have no funding for Year 2, would I be eligible to apply?

No. The applicant is ineligible if there is a total of \$500,000 or more in combined direct costs during the first year of the Hood Award.

If I have taken over as PI on an R01 from the original PI, would I be eligible?

No. If you are the PI on an R01 award, you are not eligible to apply for a Hood Child Health Award.

If I have a K Award, would I be considered eligible to apply?

Potentially, but Child Health Research Awards require research independence and applicants with any current mentored award (including K Awards) must

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