

Eugene Applebaum College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Health Sciences Division Clinical Award Program

Application Deadline: January 14, 2023

Overview

The Office of the Associate Dean of the Health Sciences is pleased to announce the 2023-2024 Health Science Division (HSD) Clinical Awards. This program is designed to promote research activities for junior and new faculty researchers. Applicants may submit only one proposal per year as either the PI (Principal Investigator) or Co-I (Co-Investigator / faculty research mentor). All previous funding from this source must be completed and evidence of scholarly work must be provided before consideration will be given to review a second application.

Four awards are available:

Two Large awards up to \$5,000.00 in support for each award

Two Small awards up to \$2,500.00 in support for each award

Timeline for work completion is one-year. A no-cost one year extension will be considered in special circumstances.

Funds may be used to:

- conduct a feasibility study
- support subject fees, instrumentation, and fees for surveys.
- support research assistants
- Statistical support (research design, organizing your data, performing analyses)

Our committee is willing to assist and answer questions as you prepare your application. This may be related to research design, statistics, budget preparation and justifications, recruitment, and IRB processes. Providing feedback and the opportunity to strengthen your application is a core value and intention of this award.

Eligibility

Assistant Professors in the Applied Health Sciences and Health Sciences programs who are interested in starting a new project and have limited or no funds currently available to support research interests. Associate Professors who have NEVER received funding or are not currently serving as PI on a study may also apply, however applications from Assistant Professors will be given preference.

Submission Instructions

Please include the following application as a single PDF file and send to dadamo@wayne.edu.

1. Face Page (Please see the form appended to these instructions)
2. Project Narrative (maximum 1 page)
 - a. Purpose / Objective
 - b. Why is the study important?
 - c. What steps do you need to take to accomplish/reach your goals or objectives?
 - d. What potential obstacles do you anticipate along the way? Please provide alternative solutions to overcome these problems.
 - e. How will this project advance your professional growth? (2-3 sentences)
3. Budget and Budget Justification
 - a. Identify each item you will need to conduct your study.
 - b. For each item, describe how it will help you to conduct your study and the amount of money requested. (add rows as needed)

For example,

Item/Expense	Describe how/why	Expected Cost	Total
1.Participant fees	Need as an incentive to recruit participants	\$ 10.00 for 6 visits X 20 participants	\$120.00

- 4.Research Plan – include these sections in your application
 - a. Introduction – in this section you may include the purpose of your study, why the study is important and previous research or literature that justifies the investigation. What is the “so what question”? How will your findings contribute to current knowledge?
 - b. Methods – in this section you may include the tools or assessments that will be used to collect data related to your research question/objectives. Instruments may include surveys, questionnaires and/or performance-based measures such as walking speed and grip strength. This section also includes information about statistics you will use to analyze your data.
 - c. Results – in this section you may list your expected findings as you will not know what the results will be until you collect and analyze your data

d. Dissemination – in this section you may outline where you plan to present your results. You are expected to present your work at College Research Day the year work is completed. Additional submissions as posters and platform presentations to local and national conferences and manuscript submissions to peer-reviewed journals should be listed here. Data that will be used to support future grant applications is an important component of the application process.

5. Study Timeline

- a. Provide a study timeline
- b. Indicate each task in your project
- c. Enter a range of time anticipated to complete the task

Timeline example

Year 2023						
Tasks	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	Etc
IRB						
Set up with business office						
Order gift cards*(keep record)						
Recruitment						
Data collection						
Dissemination						

*Please plan to keep a record of all submitted expenses and any receipts you may incur if your project is funded.

Post grant award:

If awarded, you will be requested to 1) submit an interim report 6 months after your start date, 2) present your final results at the Annual College Research Day and, 3) provide a written report within 2 months of completing the work to include a summary of submitted scholarly work and when and how you plan to disseminate the findings of your study. In the event the work is not completed within year, you may request a one-time no cost extension for up to 12 months. However, this is contingent upon approval from the committee and may include a discussion about overcoming obstacles, using resources and finding ways to complete the work by the no-cost extension approval date.

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Project Title:

Principal Investigator: _____ email: _____

Any Co-Investigators? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please provide name and department

Total funds requested: _____

Human and animal research subjects used in studies require IRB approval. Please provide the IRB approval number or indicate the stage of your IRB submission. All IRBs must be approved before the study may commence.

If already approved, insert your IRB Protocol number here: _____

If not approved, please insert either:

a. The date your IRB application was submitted _____ or

b. The approximate date you plan to submit your IRB: _____

Where will the study take place?

Have you received any previous internal (from within the university, such as a FRAP or University award) or external (foundations, national institutes) funding? Yes _____
No _____ If yes, list previous awards, year of funding and the amount of support

Signature of PI: _____ Date: _____