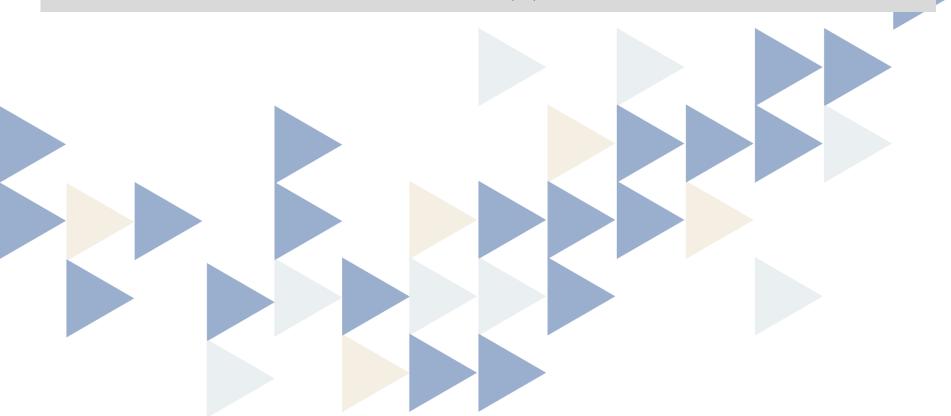


Clinical Trials Network Awards and Texas Clinical Trials Participation Program Awards RFA - Webinar October 19, 2020



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Welcome

James Willson, M.D., CPRIT Chief Scientific Officer

Patty Moore, Ph.D., Senior Program Manager for Academic Research

12:05 - 12:45

Clinical Trials Network Awards RFA Overview and Q&A

12:45 - 1:25

Texas Clinical Trials Participation Program Awards RFA Overview and Q&A

1:25 - 1:30

Key Dates and Contact Information



CLINICAL TRIALS NETWORK AWARD

- **Goal:** Develop clinical trials networks to speed development of new cancer drugs and increase access to clinical trials of new treatment strategies.
- Eligibility: Institutions, organizations, or other entities (including physician groups).
- Award: \$600,000 annually for stage 1 and \$900,000 annually for stage 2; 4 years
 - ➤ **Lead Institution:** provides access to trials appropriate for a community practice setting and meet the needs of the patients served by the Network Affiliate.
 - Network Affiliates: oncology care facilities that currently have limited access to clinical trials support, have a physician champion, onsite research pharmacy capability; personnel for eligibility determination, registration, data and adverse event reporting.
 - > Stage 1: Lead Institution and 2 Network Affiliates
 - > Stage 2: 2 additional Network Affiliates outside Lead Institution's catchment

CTNA: Lead Institution Requirements

- 1. Phase 2 and selected phase 3 trials appropriate for a community practice.
- 2. Oversight of the scientific aspects and patient safety of the clinical trials.
- 3. Clinical trials management system.
 - Web-based eligibility review
 - Central registration
 - Electronic consent forms.
- 4. Agreement to use a common IRB.
- 5. Safety and quality control monitoring capability.
- 6. Training of Network Affiliate personnel and opportunities for CME, CNE, and ACRP maintenance certification.
- 7. Tumor boards with capability for virtual meeting participation.



CTNA: Network Affiliate Requirements

- 1. Agreements with the Lead Institution.
- 2. Identify the physician leader who will oversee each Network Affiliate.
- 3. Patient demographics and cancer volumes by disease and stage.
- 4. Agreement to use the LI IRB or a central IRB.
- 5. Network Affiliate components:
 - Clinical research coordinator
 - > Access to CTMS for protocol access and patient registration
 - Research pharmacy capability
 - Remote tumor board access

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TEXAS CLINICAL TRIALS PARTICIPATION AWARD (TCTPA)

- **Goal:** Increase the number and diversity of patients participating in cancer clinical trials by removing the nonclinical out of pocket costs as barriers to participation.
- **Eligibility:** Institutions, organizations, or other entities (including physician groups) that conduct clinical research.
- Award: Up to \$1,500,000; Maximum duration 3 years.
- Requirements:
 - Clinical trials program
 - Needs assessment to determine potential impact
 - Reimburse patients and a travel companion for allowable expenses
 - Assess impact of the program

TCTPA: Costs Eligible for Reimbursement

- \$1M (66%) of the total grant costs must be used to reimburse subjects.
- Reimbursement for participants must be based on financial need.
 - > Participants at or below 700% of the federal poverty level.
- Examples of nonclinical expenses appropriate for reimbursement.
 - > travel costs
 - lodging
 - parking, tolls
 - > childcare

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KEY DATES

Process	Timeline
CPRIT Application Receipt System (CARS) Closes	January 27, 2021
Peer Review	May 2021
Summary Statements and Award Notification	August 18, 2021

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