

Competition Description: To achieve the purpose of this program, the recipient will be responsible for one of the following activities:

Violence

(1) Evaluating strategies for disseminating and implementing evidence-based interventions or policies for the prevention of intimate partner violence, sexual violence, youth violence, suicide, and child maltreatment.

(2) Evaluating the efficacy, effectiveness, and cost effectiveness of interventions, programs, and policies to prevent intimate partner violence, sexual violence, youth violence, suicide, and child maltreatment.

(3) Identifying shared and unique risk and protective factors for the perpetration of intimate partner violence and sexual violence and examine the relationships among these forms of violence and others such as child maltreatment, youth violence, or suicidal behavior.

Unintentional Injury

Dissemination of effective interventions; evaluation of the usability of an intervention package for moving effective interventions to practice and policy; effectiveness of interventions; identification of risk and protective factors for injuries; development of measures of supervision and sports injuries.

Eligible Applicants: Assistance will be provided to any United States public or private institution. The institution must support an accredited doctoral level training program. The performance site must be domestic. Applicants must be students in good standing enrolled in an accredited doctoral degree program. The applicant must have the authority and responsibility to carry out the proposed project. Applicants must be conducting or intending to conduct research in one of the areas described under the "Research Objectives" in the Program Requirement's section of this announcement. To receive this funding, applicants must have successfully defended their dissertation proposal. This must be verified in a letter of certification from the mentor (the chair or another member of the dissertation committee). CDC requests that, if available, the letter of certification be submitted with the grant application, or before the negotiation and award.

Estimated Amount of This Competition: \$120,000.

Estimated Number of Awards to be Made: 6.

Estimated or Average Size of Each Award: \$20,000.

Estimated Project Period: 1 Year.

Application Availability Date: November 3, 2003.

Application Deadline: February 3, 2004.

Project Award Date: August 1, 2004.

National Immunization Program (NIP)

Competition Title: National Minority Organizations Immunization Projects.

Program Announcement Number: 04051.

CFDA Number: 93.185.

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Competition Description: The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to assist National Minority Organizations (NMOs) with the promotion and improvement of childhood, adolescent, and adult immunization coverage levels. Applicants must allocate a percentage of the funds awarded to subcontract with affiliate minority Community Based Organizations (CBOs). Focus is on technical assistance to and training of CBOs to identify and document effective models of collaboration at the community level to improve immunization access and levels among racial and ethnic minorities. Other requirements include development and dissemination of education products to be shared with other national organizations, State and local health agencies, and other CBOs. Development and implementation of a plan to ensure sustainability of program activities to ensure its continuation after the end of the project period is also necessary.

Eligible Applicants: Established, tax-exempt national organizations that coordinate public health or related programs serving racial or ethnic minority populations within a major portion or region of the United States through their own offices or organizational affiliates. Faith-based organizations are eligible to apply for these funds. Groups recognized as racial and ethnic minorities include (but are not limited to) African Americans, Alaskan Natives, Asian Americans, Caribbean Americans, Latinos/Hispanics, Native Americans, and Pacific Islanders.

Estimated Amount for This Competition: \$750,000.

Estimated Number of Awards to be Made: 3.

Estimated or Average Size of Each Award: \$250,000.

Estimated Project Period: 3 years.

Application Availability Date: January 2004.

Application Deadline: March 2004.

Projected Award Date: July 1, 2004.

National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH)

Competition Title: Occupational Safety and Health Research Grants—Investigator-Initiated (R01).

Program Announcement Number: NIOSH-1.

CFDA Number: 93.262 (R01).

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Competition Description: NIOSH supports research to identify and investigate the relationships between hazardous working conditions and associated occupational diseases and injuries; to develop more sensitive means of evaluating hazards at work sites, as well as methods for measuring early markers of adverse health effects and injuries; to develop new protective equipment, engineering control technology, and work practices to reduce the risks of occupational hazards; and, to evaluate the technical feasibility or application of a new or improved occupational safety and health procedure, method, technique, or system.

The announcement for this program is published in the *NIH Guide*. See

<http://www.cdc.gov/niosh> for links to the announcements.

Eligible Applicants: Eligible applicants include domestic and foreign, public and private nonprofit and for-profit organizations and by governments and their agencies; that is, universities, colleges, research institutions, hospitals, and other public and private organizations, including state and local governments or their bona fide agents, and federally recognized Indian tribal governments, Indian tribes, or Indian tribal organizations. Racial/ethnic minority individuals, women, and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply as Principal Investigators. Faith-based organizations are eligible to apply for these funds.

Estimated Amount of This Competition: \$38,000,000.

Estimated Number of Awards To Be Made: 50.

Estimated or Average Size of Each Award: \$30,000 to \$400,000, average \$300,000.

Estimated Project Period: Contact NIOSH Extramural Program Office, <http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/extramur.html>.

Application Availability Date: Contact NIOSH Extramural Program Office, <http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/extramur.html>.

Application Deadline: All (new) February 3, June 1, and October 1, 2004. Competing Continuation, Supplemental, and Revised Research Grant/Cooperative Agreements applications—March 1, 2004, July 1, 2004, and November 1, 2004.

Project Award Date: From 4 to 5 months, with an additional 4 to 5 months for program review and funding.

Competition Title: Occupational Safety and Health Research Grants—Special Emphasis Research Career Award (K01).

Program Announcement Number: NIOSH-2.

CFDA Number: 93.262 (K01).

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Competition Description: Special Emphasis Research Career Award (SERCA) Grants (K01) are an important mechanism used in the occupational safety and health research grants program to attract new investigators into occupational safety and health. NIOSH supports research to identify and investigate the relationships between hazardous working conditions and associated occupational diseases and injuries; to develop more sensitive means of evaluating hazards at work sites, as well as methods for measuring early markers of adverse health effects and injuries; to develop new protective equipment, engineering control technology, and work practices to reduce the risks of occupational hazards; and to evaluate the technical feasibility or application of a new or improved occupational safety and health procedure, method, technique, or system.

Eligible Applicants: Eligible applicants include domestic and foreign, public and private nonprofit and for-profit organizations and governments and their agencies; that is, universities, colleges, research institutions, hospitals, and other public and private organizations, including state and local