

Grant Title: MENTORED RESEARCH SCIENTIST DEVELOPMENT AWARD (K01)

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Area of Research: Support and "protected time" (three, four, or five years) for an intensive, supervised career development experience in the biomedical, behavioral, or clinical sciences leading to research independence.

Release and Expiration: Release Date: December 11, 2008. Expiration Date: January 8, 2012.

Application Deadline: February 12, June 12, October 12 annually.

Amount: Because the nature and scope of the proposed career award program will vary from application to application and the amounts provided by the participating ICs are not uniform, it is anticipated that the size and duration of each award will also vary.

Length of Support: Three, four, or five years.

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher education. See the full announcement for complete list of eligible applicants.

Summary: The purpose of the NIH Mentored Research Scientist Development Award (K01) is to provide support and protected time (three, four, or five years) for an intensive, supervised career development experience in the biomedical, behavioral, or clinical sciences leading to research independence. Although all of the participating NIH Institutes and Centers (ICs) use this support mechanism to support career development experiences that lead to research independence, some ICs use the K01 award for individuals who propose to train in a new field or for individuals who have had a hiatus in their research career because of illness or pressing family circumstances. Other ICs utilize the K01 award to increase research workforce diversity by providing enhanced research career development opportunities. Prospective candidates are encouraged to contact the relevant NIH staff for IC-specific programmatic and budgetary information: Table of Institute and Center Contacts.

Detail Information: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-09-040.html>