Grant Title: NIDCD CLINICAL RESEARCH CENTER GRANT (P50)

Funding Opportunity Number: PAR-13-277. CFDA Number(s): 93.173.

Agency/Department: National Institutes of Health (NIH), National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD).

Area of Research: Advance the diagnosis, prevention, treatment, and amelioration of human communication disorders.


Amount: Budgets for new applications are limited to $1,500,000/year direct cost (DC). Competing renewals (type 2) grant applications may request budgets (DC) that are no greater than 10% above the budget of the last year of the existing grant or $2,000,000 whichever is less. Annual budget increases should not exceed more than NIH allowances at the time of submission of the application. Salary levels in all years are limited to the NIH maximum rate. Competitive revision applications requesting an additional research component to an existing P50 are allowed, but may not exceed the terms of the parent award or the budgetary caps as described above.

Length of Support: The total project period may not exceed 5 years.

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

Summary: The National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD) invites applications for Clinical Research Center Grants designed to advance the diagnosis, prevention, treatment, and amelioration of human communication disorders. For this announcement, Clinical Research is defined as research involving individuals with communication disorders or data/tissues from individuals with a communication disorder. Examples of such research include but are not limited to, studies of the prevention, pathogenesis, pathophysiology, diagnosis, treatment, management or epidemiology of a disease or disorder of hearing, balance, smell, taste, voice, speech, or language. Applications are encouraged in the seven scientific programs of the NIDCD: hearing, balance, smell, taste, voice, speech and language. The Clinical Research Center Grant supports a research program in which a multidisciplinary team of investigators works in a clearly defined central theme of mutual scientific interest. This mechanism facilitates economy of effort, space, and equipment, and accelerates the acquisition of knowledge by stimulating cooperation among clinical investigators whose projects are directed toward a common goal.