Grant Title: RESEARCH ON THE ECONOMICS OF DIET, ACTIVITY, AND ENERGY BALANCE (R01)

Funding Opportunity Number: CFDA Number(s) - 93.399; 93.361, 93.866, 93.847, 93.848, 93.839; Other – PA-08-078.

Area of Research: Energy balance (i.e., the relationship between diet, physical activity, and body composition)


Application Deadline: [Terminology: New = New, Renewal = Competing Continuation, Resubmission = Revised or Amended, Revision = Competing Supplement.] For R01 NEW Applications: Cycle I due date - February 5, Cycle II due date - June 5, Cycle III due date - October 5. For R01 Renewal, Resubmission, or Revision: Cycle I due date - March 5, Cycle II due date - July 5, Cycle III due date - November 5. For AIDS and AIDS-Related Applications: Cycle I due date – May 7, Cycle II due date – September 7, Cycle III due date – January 7.

Amount and Length of Support: Because the nature and scope of the proposed research will vary from application to application, it is anticipated that the size and duration of each award will also vary.

Eligible Applicants: Private or Public/State Controlled Institution of Higher Education; Nonprofit with or without 501(c)(3) IRS Status (Other than Institution of Higher Education); Small Business or other For-Profit Organization; State Government; U.S. Territory or Possession; Indian/Native American Tribal Government (Federally Recognized or otherwise); Indian/Native American Tribally Designated Organization; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entity (Foreign Organization); Hispanic-serving Institution; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs); Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Regional Organization; Eligible agencies of the Federal government; and Faith-based or community-based organizations.

Agency/Department: Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health

Summary: This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is intended to make funding opportunities in the area of energy balance (i.e., the relationship between diet, physical activity, and body composition) known to researchers with expertise and experience in health economics, health services, and econometric modeling (including multi-level analyses) who otherwise might not be aware of the opportunity to apply their disciplines and efforts collectively to this area of research. Obesity has become a major focus of public health efforts at the national, State, and local levels. The major focus of this FOA is to solicit projects that enhance the state-of-the-science on the causes of obesity and to inform Federal decision making on effective public health interventions for reducing the rate of obesity in the United States. This FOA is also intended to promote collaborative activities between researchers trained in economics and researchers specializing in public health, cancer, cardiovascular diseases, and other chronic diseases so that the desired goals can be more efficiently, quickly, and successfully attained.