



Limited Submission Funding Opportunity

SPONSOR: Mountain West IDeA Clinical and Translational Research – Infrastructure Network (MW CTR-IN)

PROGRAM: Multi-Site Pilot Projects (MSPP)

LIMIT ON NUMBER OF FULL PROPOSALS PER INSTITUTION: 1

Partner institutions within the seven [Mountain West CTR-IN states](#) are eligible to apply. MSPP must include CTR-IN partner institutions in at least three Mountain West states. For example, the project will include the Lead Institution/Lead PI and two or more collaborating Site Institution(s)/Site PI(s) in different states. Each partner institution may nominate up to one application as Lead Institution, but institutions can be collaborating sites on multiple proposals.

LIMIT ON NUMBER OF FULL PROPOSALS PER PI: 1

The PI must be eligible to submit extramural grant applications from their institution as a PI. Per IDeA program policy, an awardee may not concurrently receive funding for their research program through other IDeA mechanisms (e.g., CTR, COBRE, or INBRE).

AWARD: \$90,000 to \$150,000 in direct costs for one year

OVERVIEW: The Research and Faculty Development (RFD) team in the Office of Research and Economic Development is requesting notice of intent (NOI) to apply to the Mountain West CTR-IN Multi Site Pilot Projects, a limited submission funding opportunity. The University of Idaho can serve as the lead institution on 1 proposal to this program. RFD will use an internal review process to determine which proposal will be submitted to Mountain West CTR-IN. Interested individuals must submit an NOI to RFD by 5:00 p.m. PT on Monday, **December 2, 2019**.

SYNOPSIS: The purpose of this funding opportunity is to provide support for multi-site clinical and translational (CTR) research with the expectation that the project will yield critical preliminary data and capacity building to facilitate a large-scale multi-site extramural grant application or other extramural grant funding opportunities. The MW CTR-IN is particularly interested in projects that address health disparities in the Mountain West, including (1) childhood obesity and metabolic conditions including diabetes and other related factors of food security, food sovereignty, and health food access; and (2) opioid and other substance abuse, mental health, suicide prevention, and psycho-social trauma. Multi-site Pilot Projects must include CTR-IN partner institutions in at least three and preferably five to seven of our MW states. PIs and Co-PI are encouraged to consider an initial project that first demonstrates the feasibility of conducting a large-scale, multi-site project. Large scale multi-site projects that can demonstrate feasibility for one year of funding are then also encouraged to apply for another year of competitive funding that builds on the results of the first year.

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Key Submission Dates:	How to submit NOI:
12/02/2019 NOI to RFD	1. Go to the RFD Notice of Intent (NOI) portal.
12/16/2019 Concept paper to RFD	2. Project Title: Enter a draft proposal title.
12/23/2019 Internal Awardee Notification	3. Program: Choose “Other.”
01/22/2020 External Nominating Packet	4. Name of Program: Enter the name of the sponsor and program, using this format:
Deadline	“CTR-IN-MSPP”
04/15/2020 Full proposal due to AGENCY (by	5. Click “Request.”
invitation)	
(All deadlines are at 5:00 pm Pacific Time.)	

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