Florida Department of Health Ed and Ethel Moore Alzheimer's Disease Research Grant Program Questions and Answers

1) If the department is anticipating grants starting March 1, 2025, wouldn't the first budget period need to be four months instead of three months?

If the grant starts on March 1, 2024, the budget period should be four months, but the start date is tentative. The department will work with you through the execution process to ensure the full award amount is captured.

2) I am not receiving emails from the Florida Department of Health funding opportunity announcements?

Email <u>research@flhealth.gov</u> to get added to the Florida Department of Health, Public Health Research, Biomedical Research listserv.

3) Is the budget required for the LOI phase?

The budget is required for the application process. It is not required for the LOI phase.

4) What was the acceptance rate for the post-doctoral project applications for previous three years?

	FY 21-22	FY 22-23	FY 23-24
Applications	9	4	7
# Grants Awarded	6	3	4
Percent Funded	66%	75%	57%
Total Amount Awarded	\$599,456.00	\$299,345.00	\$399,986.00

Grant applications must assure that they address different focus areas (1-4) listed under Priority Area 5.

5) When is the deadline for requesting a letter of support for Department of Health data?

Letters of support are submitted with the main application. The main application is anticipated to open September 17, 2024, and will close October 1, 2024, at 5:00pm Eastern time. Submit requests for letters of support for Department Health data as a early as practicable.

6) Will reviewer comments be provided for submissions not accepted?

It is anticipated that reviewer comments will be shared in early 2025 for unfunded applications.

7) Will the scores be shared?

Scores are not shared.

8) Is there a limit to collaborators?

No, there is no limit on the number of collaborators. It should be based on what grant budget will allow.

9) Are these consortium grants renewable, or can they be otherwise extended through a follow-up Consortium award?

Ed and Ethel Moore Alzheimer's Disease Research Grant Program grants are not currently able to be renewed. The grantee can reapply for additional funding if the aims are not the same.

Applicants must ensure that their proposed project does not duplicate or significantly overlap, scientifically or financially, with other projects in which they or any key personnel are involved. Overlap, whether scientific or financial, or commitment of a project member's effort greater than 100 percent is prohibited.

10) If so, when should we apply for another Consortium award given that our current grant will end in March 2026 (e.g., this cycle, next cycle)?

Department staff will not provide feedback on your proposed research ideas.

11) Will you share a recording of this webinar?

Yes. Visit the Florida Department of Health's Funding Opportunity Announcements page.

12) Who do I contact with questions?

Questions about the Program and application process may be submitted via email to research@flhealth.gov. Questions may be submitted any time from August 19 until 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on August 26, 2024.

Contact the Helpline at Help.FLDOH@orau.org (or call 865-210-7649) for all technical questions with the PeerNet system. Helpline hours: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 pm, Eastern time, Monday - Friday except for Monday, September 2, 2024.