



## New/Early-Stage Investigators

Latest Update 9/22/2025

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- **NIH**, Stephen I. Katz Early Stage Investigator Research Project Grant (**R01** Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PAR-25-322](#)). **Expiration Date: August 26, 2028**
- **NIH**, Stephen I. Katz Early Stage Investigator Research Project Grant (**R01** Basic Experimental Studies with Human Required) ([PAR-25-323](#)). **Expiration Date: August 26, 2028**
- **NIDDK, OD**, New Investigator Gateway Awards for Collaborative T1D Research (**R03** Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([RFA-DK-26-009](#)). **Expiration Date: March 07, 2026.**
- **NIDCD**, NIDCD Early Career Research (ECR) Award (**R21** Clinical Trial Optional) ([PAR-25-120](#)) **Expiration date: Oct. 16, 2027**
- **NIH**, International Research Scientist Development Award (IRSDA) (**K01** Independent Clinical Trial Required) ([PAR-24-114](#)) **Expiration date: Mar. 10, 2026**
- **NIH**, International Research Scientist Development Award (IRSDA) (**K01** Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PAR-24-113](#)) **Expiration date: Mar 10, 2026**
- **NIH**, Mentored Research Scientist Development Award (**Parent K01** - Independent Clinical Trial Required) ([PA-24-175](#)). (**Parent K01** -

Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PA-24-176](#)). (**Parent K01** Independent Basic Experimental Studies with Humans Required) ([PA-24-177](#)). **Expiration Date: May 08, 2027**

- **NIH, Independent Scientist Award (Parent K02 - Independent Clinical Trial Required) ([PA-24-178](#)). (Parent K02 - Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PA-24-179](#)). (Parent K02 Independent Basic Experimental Studies with Humans Required) ([PA-24-180](#)). Expiration date: May 08, 2027**
- **NIH, Mentored Clinical Scientist Research Career Development Award (Parent K08 Independent Clinical Trial Required) ([PA-24-181](#)). (Parent K08 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PA-24-182](#)). (Parent K08 Independent Basic Experimental Studies with Humans Required) ([PA-24-183](#)). Expiration date: May 08, 2027**
- **NIH, Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (BIRCWH) (K12 Clinical Trial Optional) ([RFA-OD-24-013](#)) Expiration date: May 29, 2026**
- **NHLBI Career Transition Award for Intramural Postdoctoral Fellows and Research Trainees (K22 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PAR-24-209](#)) (K22 Clinical Trial Required) ([PAR-24-211](#)) Expiration Date: July 13, 2027**
- **NIH, Mentored Patient-Oriented Research Career Development Award (Parent K23 Independent Clinical Trial Required) ([PA-24-184](#)). (Parent K23 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PA-24-185](#)). (Parent K23 Independent Basic Experimental Studies with Humans Required) ([PA-24-186](#)). Expiration date: May 08, 2027**
- **NIH, Midcareer Investigator Award in Patient-Oriented Research (Parent K24 Independent Clinical Trial Required) ([PA-24-187](#)). (Parent K24 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PA-24-188](#)). (Parent K24 - Independent Basic Experimental Studies with Humans Required) ([PA-24-189](#)) Expiration date: May 08, 2027**

- **NIH, Mentored Quantitative Research Development Award (Parent K25 Independent Clinical Trial Required) ([PA-24-190](#)). (Parent K25 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PA-24-191](#)). (Parent K25 Independent Basic Experimental Studies with Humans Required) ([PA-24-192](#)). Expiration date: May 08, 2027**
- **NIH Pathway to Independence Award (Parent K99/R00 Independent Clinical Trial Required) ([PA-24-193](#)). (Parent K99/R00 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PA-24-194](#)). (Parent K99/R00 Independent Basic Experimental Studies with Humans Required) ([PA-24-195](#)). Expiration date: May 08, 2027**
- **AACR Research Funding Opportunity | AACR-QuadW Foundation**  
Sarcoma Research Fellowship in Memory of Willie Tichenor represents a joint effort to encourage and support a postdoctoral or clinical research fellow to conduct translational or clinical sarcoma research and to establish a successful career path in this field. [Details](#).
  - Application Deadline: **November 18, 2025, 1:00 PM (EST)**
  - Decision Date: March 2026
- **Louisiana Cancer Research Center (LCRC) announce the opening of new Louisiana Cancer Research Center funding opportunities for the current cycle. Due **11/3/2025**. [Details](#).**
  - **Seed Grants** – These grants support early-stage, innovative projects with the potential to generate preliminary data and serve as a foundation for larger grant applications. Seed grants provide critical funding for high-risk, high-reward research aligned with LCRC’s mission and strategic priorities.
  - **New Investigator Awards** – This program fosters the development of emerging faculty and researchers early in their careers. There awards support independent research projects and help recipients establish a track record of excellence in cancer research
- **CCTS Deep South Mentored Career Development Program (K12) | The CCTS K12 Award program prepares early-career faculty who have recently**

finished a research or health professional doctorate for a career in translational research. [Details](#).

- **Pre-Application Due: October 17, 2025**
- Applicants invited for full proposals: November 21, 2025
- **Due Date for full proposals: February 6, 2026**
- Awardees notified: Early March 2026

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## Education and Training

- **NIGMS**, Innovative Programs to Enhance Research Training (IPERT) (R25 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PAR-24-252](#)). **Expiration Date: October 15, 2026**
- **NIH**, Summer Research Education Experience Program (R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PAR-24-204](#)). **Expiration Date: May 08, 2027**.
- **NINDS** Research Education Opportunities (R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PAR-24-200](#)). **Expiration date: July 15, 2026**
- **NIH**, NIDDK Education Program Grants (R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) ([PAR-24-074](#)). **Expiration date: Jan 31, 2026**
- **FIC, NIAID**, Global Infectious Disease Research Training Program (D43 Clinical Trial Optional) ([PAR-24-174](#)). **Expiration date: August 07, 2026**
- **AIM-AHEAD All of Us Training Program** | The AIM-AHEAD All of Us Training Program aims to expand research in artificial intelligence and machine learning by leveraging the All of Us data and infrastructure. The program is seeking applications for early-career scientists and health care workers. [Learn more](#) and apply by **Friday, September 26, 2025**.

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