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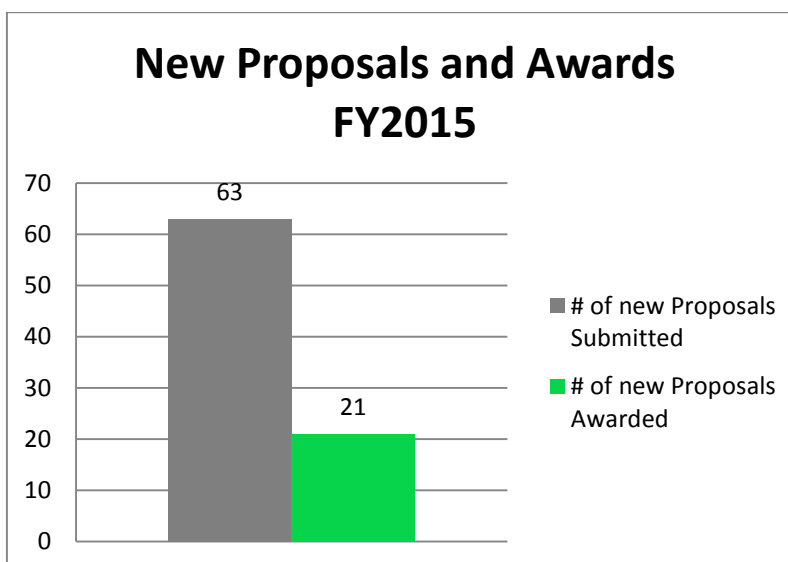
Keep Informed ... Stay Connected!!!

Office of Research Services Celebrates One Year!

What an incredible year!!! September 2014, was the inception of ORS where pre-award and post award services are provided to faculty in the School of Public Health and Texas Prevention Institute. The information below includes all those proposals submitted and tracked through ORS. *ORS is looking forward to another successful year of providing services.*

New Proposals Direct Total	New Proposals Indirect Total	New Proposals Total	# of New Proposals Submitted
\$ 38,227,110.99	\$ 9,496,906.08	\$ 47,724,017.07	63

Award Direct Total from new proposals	Award Indirect Total from new proposals	Award Total from new proposals	# of New Proposals Awarded
\$ 1,376,938.09	\$ 277,209.37	\$ 1,654,147.46	21



Upcoming NIH Deadlines:

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/funding/submissionschedule.htm>

Cycle III grants due:

New:

Oct 5 = R01 and U01

Oct 12 = K series due

Oct 16 = R03, R21, R33, R21/R33, R34, R36, UH2, UH3, UH2/UH3

Oct 25 = R15

Renewals, resubmission, revision:

Nov 5 = R01 and U01

Nov 12 = K series

Nov 16 = R03, R21, R33, R21/R33, R34, R36, UH2, UH3, UH2/UH3

Did you know? ...

ORS has a designated television monitor on the 7th floor, and is located in the hall near the EPI/BIO suite of offices. If you are in the area, take a moment to stop and see various things highlighted such as new awards, WIPS information, funding deadlines, and various pictures highlighting recent events hosted by the Research Committee. **Have an idea about what we should be sharing? Please email ORS@unthsc.edu.**

Grantmanship Skills Workshop

There is still time to register for the upcoming Grantmanship Skills Workshop scheduled for **Friday, October 2, 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in EAD 506**. It is sponsored by the Office of Research Development and Commercialization and conducted by the staff from the Grant Training Center located in Arlington, VA. Register by emailing Aurelio.Rodriguez@unthsc.edu.

Below is a FAQ by many SPH/TPI faculty

Should I include a cover letter with my proposal?

Although a cover letter is not required, **NIH encourages you to submit a cover letter** with your application. There is also a place in **Cayuse** for a cover letter to be uploaded. Below are suggestions from The Grant Training Center and other information can be found at this link <http://public.csr.nih.gov/ApplicantResources/PlanningWritingSubmitting/Pages/Cover-Letters-Help-Us-Refer-and-Review-Your-Application-.aspx>

1st paragraph – describe the significance of project

2nd paragraph – suggest a study section to the scientific review officer and you can list more than one.

3rd paragraph - describe why your project fits the mission of the institute.

4th paragraph – list the name and email address of 6 to 12 potential reviewers so these people can be put into the review study section.

Quick Guide of IRB Services provided by ORS.

Here's how we can help:

- Assist in determining the type of IRB review needed (Exempt, Expedited, and Full Board)
- Provide guidance in what items are needed for the selected type of IRB review
- Pre-review IRB application to ensure all requisite materials are included in package
- Submit IRB application to OReC
- Provide needed guidance for protocol amendments and modifications

Remember early notification is best practice. As soon as you know your research will involve human subjects, please schedule an advisory meeting by emailing ORS@unthsc.edu. Thank you for your patience as we develop this area of service.

Help Office of Research Services (ORS) stay informed

Keep the ORS in the loop about your projects! Our office can help with all aspects of submissions including human subject protection. Please contact us as soon as possible.

Email ORS@unthsc.edu

Office of Research Services recently assisted with the following proposals:

Pre-Award submissions June 2015 - August 2015

Spence-Almaguer, Emily	DOJ via Family Pathfinders	The Second Chance Act Comprehensive Community-Based Adult Reentry Program Utilizing Mentors Grant
Fulda, Kimberly	NIH	Perceived Stress in Association to Oxidative Stress Biomarkers
Tao, Menghua	NIH	Mitochondrial DNA methylation and alcohol consumption in breast cancer epidemiology
Paxton, Raheem	NIH	A Multilevel Exercise Program for Older Adults in the Primary Care Setting
Walters, Scott	NIH via UNT Denton	Exploring the cognitive, affective and conative dimensions of communication effects related to college students' smoking cessation and conformity to a smoke-free campus policy
Paxton, Raheem	NIH	Chexercise - chair exercises for cancer survivors
Spence-Almaguer, Emily	The Community Foundation of North Texas	Early Childhood Parent Engagement - Cross-Sector Capacity Building Grant
Fulda, Kimberly	NIH	Perceived Chronic Stress in Association to Neuroendocrine and Inflammatory Biomarkers
Aryal, Subhash	NIH	Statistical Methods for Sample Size Determination for Hierarchical Models
Fulda, Kimberly	TCPH	Provider and patient Perspectives on Reproductive Life Planning
Fulda, Kimberly	Wesstat Via U. of Kentucky	Re-engineered Visit (REV) for Primary Care
Spence-Almaguer, Emily	Mount Tabor Christian Center	Breast Cancer Screening Day Evaluation
Kitzman-Ulrich, Heather	NIH	Cardiovascular risk identification, notification and education of adolescents
Kitzman-Ulrich, Heather	NIH	Collaborate for Her: Improving Cardiovascular Health in African American Women

Post-Award notifications June 2015 - August 2015

Lee, Joon	City of Fort Worth	West Nile Virus Surveillance and response Partnership Program between City of Fort Worth and UNTHSC
Carlson, Erin	United Way	Health Literacy Program
Wei, Changshuai	Practice Highway	Risk Prediction Model for Fertility
Spence-Amaguer, Emily	United Way	Directions Home Program Year VII
Liu, Youcheng	CDC	Assessing User Barriers of PAPRs in Healthcare Work Settings
Fulda, Kimberly	TCPH	Provider and patient Perspectives on Reproductive Life Planning
Spence-Almaguer, Emily	US Dept of Justice, OJP, BJA	Second Chance Act Community-Based Mentoring Program FY2014
Spence-Almaguer, Emily	DOJ - BJA via Family Pathfinders	the Second Chance Act Comprehensive Community-Based Adult Reentry Program Utilizing Mentors Grant
Carlson, Erin	UHS Bexar County Hospital District via CPRIT	UHS Breast Cancer Secondary Prevention Services - a Su Salud Breast Health Program
Spence-Almaguer, Emily	DHHS	TESSA: Technology Enhanced Screening and Supportive Assistance
Paxton, Raheem	NIH	Lifestyle interventions for high-risk cancer survivors (year5)
Suzuki, Sumhiro	UTMB via NIH	CCL1 gene therapy to inhibit translocation in acute radiation syndromes
Paul, Marcy	DSHS	Preconception Peer Educator Program