

SPR E-BULLETIN, January 21, 2005

1. JAMA'S CALL FOR PAPERS ON VIOLENCE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

The Journal of the American Medical Association has announced a call for papers for its Theme Issue on Violence and Human Rights. The details are at <http://jama.ama-assn.org/cgi/content/full/292/24/3030?eaf>.

2. 2005 NIH DIRECTOR'S PIONEER AWARD

The National Institutes of Health announces the 2005 NIH Director's Pioneer Award, a key component of the NIH Roadmap for Medical Research. The award supports scientists of exceptional creativity who propose pioneering approaches to major challenges in biomedical research.

The program is open to scientists at all career levels who are currently engaged in any field of research, interested in exploring biomedically relevant topics, and willing to commit the major portion of their effort to Pioneer Award research. Women, members of groups that are underrepresented in biomedical research, and individuals in the early to middle stages of their careers are especially encouraged to nominate themselves. Awardees must be U.S. citizens, non-citizen nationals, or permanent residents.

In September 2005, NIH expects to make 5 to 10 new Pioneer Awards of up to \$500,000 in direct costs per year for 5 years. The streamlined self-nomination process includes a 3- to 5-page essay, a biographical sketch, a list of current research support, and the names of 3 references. Submit nominations on the Pioneer Award Web site, <http://nihroadmap.nih.gov/pioneer>, between March 1 and April 1, 2005.

3. PUBLISHED IN THE NIH GUIDE JANUARY 7, 2005:

Request for Applications:

Neurobiology of Behavioral Treatment: Recovery of Brain Structure and Function (RFA-DA-05-006), National Institute on Drug Abuse, Application Receipt Date(s): March 21, 2005

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DA-05-006.html>

Notices

NIH Director's Pioneer Award Program (NOT-OD-05-021), National Institutes of Health

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-05-021.html>

Notice of Legislative Mandates Contained in the FY 2005 Consolidated Appropriations Resolution P.L. 108-07; Signed December 8, 2004 (NOT-OD-05-023), National Institutes of Health

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-05-023.html>

Salary Limitation on Grants, Cooperative Agreements, and Contracts (NOT-OD-05-024), National Institutes of Health

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-05-024.html>

Multidisciplinary Clinical Research Career Development Programs (RFA-RM-05-016), NIH Roadmap Initiatives, Application Receipt Date(s): March 25, 2005
<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-RM-05-016.html>.

4. APF'S INNOVATIVE RESEARCH AND PROGRAMS GRANT: 2005 REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The American Psychological Foundation (APF) has announced the 2005 Request for Proposals for the Raymond A. and Rosalee G. Weiss Innovative Research and Programs Grant. This exciting funding opportunity offers up to \$10,000 for innovative psychological research and programs. Applicants must be doctoral-level psychologists engaged in scientific study or program implementation in psychology. Special consideration will be given to programs that fit with the Foundation's priority issues of violence prevention and the relationship between physical and mental health. The full text of the announcement can be found at <http://www.preventionresearch.org/Weiss.pdf>. Application guidelines may also be found on the APF website at <http://www.apa.org/apf/innovative.html>.

5. DEADLINE EXTENSION FOR NPN CALL FOR PROPOSALS

The deadline for submitting call for papers for the upcoming National Prevention Network (NPN) Research Conference in New York City has been extended to February 4th. Learn more about the National Prevention Network and its conference at <http://www.preventionresearch.org/NPNCover.pdf>. The full text of the Call for Proposals can be found at http://www.preventionresearch.org/NPN_CFP.pdf. You may submit an intent form at the NPN Conference website, <http://swpc.ou.edu/npn>.

6. POSTDOCTORAL TRAINING IN PREVENTION OF ADOLESCENT SUBSTANCE ABUSE

The Center for Child and Family Policy, part of the Terry Sanford Institute of Public Policy of Duke University, seeks applicants for multi-year Postdoctoral Research Scientist position. Please go to <http://www.preventionresearch.org/trainingop.php#duke> for details.

7. EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Go to the SPR Career Opportunities page (<http://www.preventionresearch.org/sprcareers.php>) to learn about these newly posted job openings:

Research Analyst at the Social Development Research Group, University of Washington School of Social Work, Seattle, WA

Health Scientist Administrator at the National Institute of Mental Health, Bethesda, MD

Behavioral Scientist at the Department of Preventive Medicine, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL

Assistant or Associate Professor at the Department of Human Development & Family Studies, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI

Assistant Professor in the Division of Prevention & health Behavior, Department of Public Health, at the Weill Medical College of Cornell University, New York, NY.

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