

**Fiscal Year 2013 Psychological Health and Traumatic Brain Injury Research Program
Reference Table of Award Mechanisms and Submission Requirements**

Award Mechanism	Eligibility	Key Mechanism Elements	Funding	Submission Deadline
<p>Traumatic Brain Injury Research Award</p> <p>Go to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Announcement • General Application Instructions <p>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-13-PHTBI-TBIRA</p>	<p>Independent investigators at all academic levels (or equivalent)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The intent of this mechanism is to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Promote new/innovative ideas that have the potential to yield highly impactful data and new avenues of investigation to further the research field of interest; ○ Advance knowledge regarding the theoretical construct surrounding the traumatic brain injury (TBI) Research Area of interest to increase scientific understanding of certain phenomena or behaviors; ○ Propose new paradigms or challenging existing paradigms; and ○ Address the technical feasibility of promising new devices, behavioral and rehabilitation interventions, therapeutic techniques, clinical guidance, and/or emerging approaches and technologies. • Applications must specifically address the Translation/Clinical Research Area: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Development of interventions or therapies to protect and/or restore neuronal function following TBI in the acute (first week), subacute (>1 week to 3 months), and chronic (≥ 3 months from time of injury) phases of care. • Applications should be designed to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Provide objective evidence of induction of structural and functional changes in the brain following TBI 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The maximum period of performance is 3 years. • The maximum allowable total costs for the entire period of performance are \$3,000,000 inclusive of indirect costs for clinical studies including clinical trials and \$1,000,000 inclusive of indirect costs for applied and or mechanistic studies. • Subject to availability of funding, approximately three clinical studies and three applied and/or mechanistic (preclinical) studies will be awarded. 	<p>Pre-Application: February 27, 2013 5:00 p.m. Eastern time (ET)</p> <p>Application: May 30, 2013 11:59 p.m. ET</p>

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		<p>that correlate with improved functional outcomes;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Maximize functional outcomes, as well as define the mechanisms involved in the structural and functional improvements; and ○ Validate methods to objectively assess structural and functional recovery. It is recognized that in some cases it may not be possible to precisely define mechanisms or to conduct testing in an animal model. In such cases, objective measures of improvement in the human condition are paramount. 		

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<p>Basic/Applied Psychological Health Award</p> <p>Go to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Announcement • General Application Instructions <p>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-13-PHTBI-BAPHA</p>	<p>Independent investigators at all academic levels (or equivalent)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The FY13 PH/TBI BAPHA seeks to fund basic and applied research (including early phase clinical trials) in the following topic areas of psychological health and well-being of military personnel and their families: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Research and develop assessment tools, methods, assistive devices, training strategies, and clinical applications (specifically those which target return-to-duty, cognitive self-management, evidence-based retraining focused on compensatory strategies, and/or daily functioning) that show promise in ameliorating cognitive deficits due to TBI and/or its co-morbidities such as stress disorders. ○ Understand and prevent or address psychological injuries (depression, anxiety, PTSD, suicide, etc.) and psychosocial issues (relationships, fertility issues, vocational) associated with dismantled combat injuries (DCI; urogenital system damage/loss). ○ Research to elucidate combat-related psychological issues unique to women and develop specific interventions as indicated. ○ Research to understand and prevent or address psychosocial issues related to sexual trauma (males and females). ○ Develop and validate military-relevant standards for making return-to-duty 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The maximum period of performance is 4 years. • For basic research awards, the maximum allowable direct costs for the entire period of performance is \$1,000,000 plus indirect costs. • For applied research and combined awards, the maximum allowable direct costs for the entire period of performance cannot exceed \$4,000,000 plus indirect costs. • Subject to availability of funding, approximately 5-10 Basic/Applied Psychological Health Award applications will be awarded. 	<p>Pre-Application: April 16, 2013 5:00 p.m. Eastern time (ET)</p> <p>Application: July 23, 2013 11:59 p.m. ET</p>

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		<p>decisions that are related to PH issues.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Understand and address unique military-related issues associated with gender and gender orientation (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender) with consideration in the context of the Don't Ask Don't Tell repeal and to include the impact on family (e.g., parents, partner, children). ○ Understand, prevent, and address violence within the military (targeted/radicalized violence within the workplace, sexual trauma). ○ Develop methods to improve use of pre-deployment resilience-focused sleep interventions, and post-deployment use of non-pharmacologic, behavioral sleep interventions as a primary treatment for sleep difficulties, obviating the use of hypnotics. ○ Employ implementation science and translational research approaches to provide methods for motivating families to engage in health-promoting behaviors; population level skills-based family resilience training and education (communication, parenting, relationship, etc.) for military families to promote adaptation, flexibility, and reduce cumulative stress burden. ○ Research to optimize dissemination and foster provider adoption and use 		

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		<p>of evidence-based treatments for deployment-related psychological health problems (e.g., depression, adjustment disorder, anxiety, PTSD) requires strong military collaboration.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Address prevention and treatment of alcohol and substance abuse in the military, including evaluation of effectiveness of current Service prevention programs as well as adaptation and validation of screening, brief intervention, and referral to treatment approaches for use within the military. 		