

***Fiscal Year 2019 Melanoma Research Program
Reference Table of Award Mechanisms and Submission Requirements***

Award Mechanism	Eligibility	Key Mechanism Elements	Funding	Submission Deadline
<p>Idea Award</p> <p>Go to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Announcement • General Application Instructions <p>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-19-MRP-IA</p>	<p>Independent investigators with a faculty-level appointment (or equivalent).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preproposal is required; application submission is by invitation only. • Supports new ideas that represent innovative, high-risk, high-gain approaches to melanoma research. • Emphasis on innovation and impact. • Preliminary data are not required. • Clinical trials are not allowed. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The maximum period of performance is 3 years. • The maximum allowable funding for the entire period of performance is \$300,000 in direct costs. • Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with the institution's negotiated rate agreement. 	<p>Pre-Application: July 26, 2019 5:00 p.m. ET</p> <p>Application: October 23, 2019 11:59 p.m. ET</p>

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<p>Team Science Award</p> <p>Go to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Announcement • General Application Instructions <p>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-19-MRP-TSA</p>	<p>At least two and up to three investigators must partner in one overarching multidisciplinary research study.</p> <p>Initiating Principal Investigator (PI): Independent investigators at or above the level of Associate Professor (or equivalent).</p> <p>Partnering PI: Independent investigators at or above the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent).</p> <p>Post-doctoral fellows are not eligible to be partnering PIs.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preproposal is required; application submission is by invitation only. • Supports new or existing partnerships between two or three independent investigators focusing research across the whole research spectrum. • Investigators are expected to demonstrate, within the application, the synergistic components (i.e., leveraging disciplines, expertise, or critical resources) that will significantly advance the project such that the research outcomes as a whole will be realized rapidly and efficiently and could not otherwise be accomplished through independent efforts of a single investigator. • Emphasis on synergy, multi-disciplinary research, and impact. • Inclusion of an independent early career investigator is encouraged. • Inclusion of at least one military or U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) investigator is encouraged. • Preliminary data are required. • Clinical trials are not allowed. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The maximum period of performance is 3 years. • The maximum allowable funding for the entire period of performance is \$700,000 in direct costs. • Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with the institution's negotiated rate agreement. 	<p>Pre-Application: July 26, 2019 5:00 p.m. ET</p> <p>Application: October 23, 2019 11:59 p.m. ET</p>

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<p>Translational 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-19-MRP-TRA</p>	<p>Independent investigators at or above the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preproposal is required; application submission is by invitation only. • Supports studies aiming to leverage existing biobanks, biorepositories, ongoing or completed clinical trials to address a translational question or problem in melanoma. • Emphasis on translation and impact. • Inclusion of Department of Defense or VA participation is encouraged. • Preliminary data are required. • Clinical trials are not allowed. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The maximum period of performance is 3 years. • The maximum allowable funding for the entire period of performance is \$600,000 in direct costs. • Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with the institution's negotiated rate agreement. 	<p>Pre-Application: July 26, 2019 5:00 p.m. ET</p> <p>Application: October 23, 2019 11:59 p.m. ET</p>