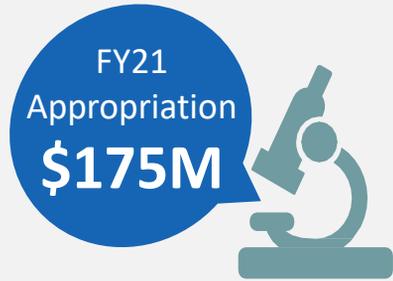




Traumatic Brain Injury and Psychological Health Research Program (TBIPHRP)

The TBIPHRP vision is to optimize psychological health and reduce or eliminate the effects of traumatic brain injury (TBI) and traumatic stress. The program seeks to fund research to understand, prevent, and treat TBI and psychological health conditions that accelerates solutions to improve the health, well-being, and healthcare of Service Members, Veterans, military beneficiaries, and the American public.



Funding Mechanisms for FY21

The Fiscal Year 2021 (FY21) TBIPHRP is offering a range of mechanisms to accommodate research across the development spectrum. In addition, several mechanisms offer support for independent investigators of all levels.

\$300K
Idea Development Award (IDA)

\$500K
Investigator-Initiated Research Award (IIRA)

\$1.25M
Translational Research Award (TRA)

\$300K
Clinical Trial Development Award (CRDA)

\$1.5M–\$6M
Clinical Trial Award (CTA)
• 3 Research Levels

\$8M
Focused Program Award (FPA)

Deadlines

8 September 2021

Letters of Intent: IDA, IIRA, and CRDA

15 September 2021

Pre-proposals: TRA, CTA, and FPA

30 September 2021

Applications: IDA, IIRA, and CRDA

16 December 2021

Applications: TRA, CTA, and FPA

Community Involvement

Inclusion of **Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR)** is a new element required or encouraged by FY21 TBIPHRP mechanisms. CBPR is characterized by equitable collaboration between community members and researchers. These collaborative relationships are often established through integrating community members into research teams as co-researchers, advisors, and consultants. *Applicants must provide strong justification if CBPR approaches are not included as part of the research proposal.*

Early-Career Investigator Partnerships

The FY21 TBIPHRP IIRA, TRA, and CTA (Level 1) include partnering options with an **Early-Career Investigator**. The Principal Investigators (PIs) may have experience in similar or disparate scientific disciplines, but each PI is expected to bring distinct contributions to the application.

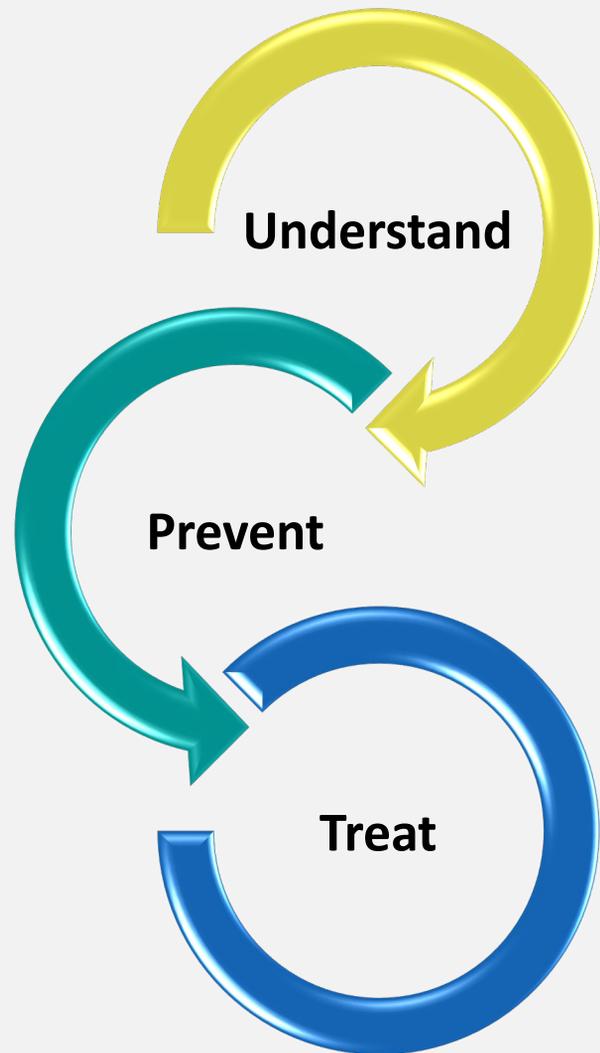


FY21 Focus Areas: Please visit the TBIPHRP website (<https://cdmrp.army.mil/tbiphpr/>) for full text of the focus areas.

Relevance to the healthcare needs of Service Members, Veterans, military beneficiaries, and the American public is required for all funding mechanisms supported by the TBIPHRP.

Understand: Research will address knowledge gaps in foundational science, epidemiology, and etiology of TBI and psychological health.

Prevent: Research will address the prevention or progression of TBI or psychological health conditions through population, selective, and indicated prevention approaches. Efforts that focus on primary prevention (including protection), screening, diagnosis and prognosis are within scope.



Treat: Research will address immediate and long-term treatments and improvements in systems of care, including access to and delivery of healthcare services. Treatment topics may include novel treatments and interventions, personalized medicine approaches, length and durability of treatment, rehabilitation, relapse, and relapse prevention.