

Developing a Research Question for Potential Grant Submission

Section A: Grants Available and Description

1. NOAMA Clinical Innovation Fund (Early February) **For NOSM faculty only** – max \$50,000
2. NOAMA Alternate Investment Fund (Mid – October) **For NOSM faculty only** – max \$50,000
3. Physician Services Incorporated (PSI) open submission for all physicians – max \$200,000 over 2 years
4. Trillium Fund – requires registered charitable organisation as partner
5. NSERCC, SSRCC, CIHR – various specific applications – Tri Council of Canada
6. Cambrian Innovates – must have partnership with industry - \$5000.00 initial investment required.

Section B: Developing the Research Question

What question are you trying to answer?

How did this question come to you?

Does this research involve:

- Policy change
- Clinical research
- A practical application that may be used on patients/ in the hospital/ by physicians
- Academic research
- Other: _____

What methodology do you anticipate involving in this research?

- Chart reviews
- Prospective research
- Pilot study
- Randomized trials
- Other: _____

How did this idea come to you?

- An attempt to improve patient care
- Scaling research done in larger centers to try in small rural centers
- An idea to solve an issue in your practice
- Other: _____

Section C: Time for Research

If this project were to be funded, how much time, per week are you able to spend working on it?

- 2 – 4 hrs
- 5 – 8 hrs
- 9 – 12 hrs
- More than 12 hours
- Less than 2 hours

Do you expect to be compensated for your time?

- Yes
- No

Who would you like to have working with you on your research team?

- Colleagues
- Residents
- Students – Medical
- Students – Other
- Community members with an interest in the project

How long do you think this project would take to complete?

- Under 6 months
- 6 – 12 months
- 12 – 18 months
- 18 months – 2 years
- Over 2 years

Is there anything else that you would like to share that may help me develop this research question for you?

Please email completed forms to Lisa. lisa.allen@mahc.ca.

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