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

Award Mechanism	Eligibility	Key Mechanism Elements	Funding	Submission Deadline
Idea Development Award Go to: Program Announcement General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-19-ERP-IDA	Investigator must be at or above the level of postdoctoral fellow (or equivalent), but below the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent). Level II: The Principal Investigator must be an independent investigator at or above the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent).	Intent: The intent of the FY19 ERP IDA is to solicit novel, innovative research to understand the magnitude and underlying mechanisms of PTE. The work should innovatively challenge existing research paradigms or exhibit high levels of creativity within the contexts of the ERP's mission and vision. • Level I is intended to support high-risk or high-gain research from early-career researchers. • Level II is intended to support a more mature, hypothesis-driven research project. The following Focus Areas are open to both Funding Levels: • Innovative Research • Markers and Mechanisms • Epidemiology • Longitudinal Studies Preliminary data, while not required, are encouraged for both levels. Note: Research focusing on interventional clinical trials (e.g., pharmacological interventions) is strongly discouraged.	 Maximum funding of \$300,000 for direct costs (plus indirect costs). Maximum period of performance is 3 years. Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with the institution's rate agreement. Level II: Maximum funding of \$500,000 for direct costs (plus indirect costs). Maximum period of performance is 3 years. Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with the institution's rate agreement. 	Pre-Application (Letter of Intent): June 26, 2019, 5:00 p.m. ET Application: July 17, 2019, 11:59 p.m. ET

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Research Partnership Award: Program Announcement General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-19-ERP-RPA	The Principal Investigator must be an independent investigator at or above the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent).	Intent: To create an avenue for collaborative research partnerships between/among investigators to address a research problem or question in a manner that would be unachievable through separate efforts. • Level I is intended to support preclinical or pre-validation research • Level II is intended to support research requiring access to a patient cohort for a prospective study. Applications must include clearly stated plans for interactions between the partners. The plans must include communication, coordination of research progress and results, and data sharing between all investigators and organizations participating in the project. The following Focus Areas are open to both Levels I and II: • Markers and Mechanisms • Epidemiology • Longitudinal Studies Preliminary data are required Note: Research focusing on interventional clinical trials (e.g., pharmacological interventions) is strongly discouraged.	 Level I: Maximum funding of \$1.3M for total costs. Maximum period of performance is 3 years. Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with the institution's rate agreement. Level II: Maximum funding of \$2.0M total costs. Maximum period of performance is 4 years. Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with the institution's rate agreement. 	Pre-Application (Letter of Intent): June 26, 2019, 5:00 p.m. ET Application: July 17, 2019, 11:59 p.m. ET