



## Call for Novel Studies in Diabetes and Obesity to Eliminate Disparities: *Team Science Across the Translational Continuum*

Washington University Center for Diabetes Translation Research (CDTR), Nutrition Obesity Research Center (NORC), Diabetes Research Center (DRC), and Institute for Public Health (IPH)

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The major objective of this rapid funding mechanism is to stimulate transdisciplinary team research to advance novel approaches in the prevention and treatment of diabetes/obesity with the goal of eliminating disparities. This opportunity will support novel research directions targeting the interaction of social determinants with biological and environmental mechanisms through which social disadvantage increases diabetes/obesity burden and inform new leverage points for intervention.

Awards will provide up to \$60,000 direct costs, per year, for one or two years. The second year of funding will depend on demonstrating adequate progress during the first year. Preference will be given to projects focusing primarily on the St. Louis region.

### APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Principal Investigators must be members (or eligible for membership) of the Washington University CDTR, NORC, DRC, ICTS, or IPH.
- Applicants must hold a faculty level appointment. Fellows in the final year of training with a letter of commitment from their department head for a faculty position effective by the time of award are also eligible.

### APPLICATION TIMELINE

- [Informational session](#), March 23, 2020 (11 a.m. - 1 p.m.)
- [Electronic notification of intent](#) due by March 30, 2020 (*optional*)
- **Full proposals are due April 20, 2020 (5:00pm)**

Additional application details are attached and can be found on the [CDTR website](#).

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