Fiscal Year 2011 Tuberous Sclerosis Complex Research Program (TSCRP) Reference Table of Award Mechanisms and Submission Requirements

Award Mechanism	Eligibility	Key Mechanism Elements	Funding	Submission Deadline
Career Transition Award Go to: • Program Announcement • General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-11-TSCRP-CARTA	Must be a postdoctoral investigator with at least 2 years of postdoctoral experience by the time of application submission.	 Supports TSC researchers during the transition from postdoctoral training to an independent position. Funds the final 2 years of the postdoctoral position and the first 2 years of a faculty/independent position. Preliminary data required. 	 The maximum period of performance is 4 years. The maximum allowable funding for the entire period of performance is \$338,000 in direct costs. The maximum allowable funding is \$69,000 per year in direct costs for each postdoctoral year (years 1-2). The maximum allowable funding is \$100,000 per year in direct costs for each faculty-level position year (years 3-4). Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with your institution's negotiated rate agreement. 	Pre-application (Letter of Intent): July 18, 2011 5:00 p.m. Eastern time (ET) Application: August 1, 2011 11:59 p.m. ET
Clinical Trial Award Go to: • Program Announcement • General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-11-TSCRP-CTA	Must be an independent investigator <i>at or above</i> the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent).	 Fund Phase 0, I, or II clinical trials relevant to TSC. Combinations of phases are permitted. Preclinical data required. Phase I or pilot clinical trial data required for Phase II clinical trial applications. 	 The maximum period of performance is 4 years. The maximum allowable funding for the entire period of performance is \$1,000,000 in direct costs. Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with your institution's negotiated rate agreement. 	Pre-application (LOI*): July 21, 2011 5:00 p.m. Eastern time (ET) Application: August 4, 2011 11:59 p.m. ET

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Exploration – Hypothesis Development Award Go to: • Program Announcement • General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-11-TSCRP-EHDA	Independent investigators (including junior faculty but excluding postdoctoral fellows).	 Fund the initial exploration of innovative, untested research and pursue serendipitous observations. Preliminary data is encouraged but not required. Projects involving human subjects or human anatomical substances must be exempt under 32 CFR 219.101(b) or eligible for expedited review under 32 CFR 219.110 or 21 CFR 56.110. 	 The maximum period of performance is 2 years. The maximum allowable funding for the entire period of performance is \$100,000 in direct costs. Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with your institution's negotiated rate agreement. 	Pre-application (Letter of Intent): July 18, 2011 5:00 p.m. Eastern time (ET) Application: August 1, 2011 11:59 p.m. ET
Idea Development Award Go to: • Program Announcement • General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-11-TSCRP-IDA	Principal Investigator: Must be an independent investigator at or above the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent). Optional Qualified Collaborator: Must be at or above the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent).	 Encourage high-impact, innovative research that will drive the field of TSC research forward. Preliminary data required. Optional Qualified Collaborator: Collaborations that meet the criteria outlined in the Program Announcement/ Funding Opportunity will be qualified for a higher level of funding. Clinical trials not allowed. 	 The maximum period of performance is 3 years. The maximum allowable funding for the entire period of performance is \$450,000 in direct costs (\$600,000 in direct costs if requesting an Optional Qualified Collaborator). Indirect costs may be proposed in accordance with your institution's negotiated rate agreement. 	Pre-application (Letter of Intent): July 18, 2011 5:00 p.m. Eastern time (ET) Application: August 1, 2011 11:59 p.m. ET