Global Health Seed Grants
DEADLINE: November 30, 2022

Purpose
Rutgers Global Health Institute is committed to supporting faculty in collaborative, interdisciplinary activities that address health inequities in New Jersey and around the world. These grants are designed to serve as seed funding for expanded research and funding.

Grant Categories
Grants will be awarded in one of two categories:
1. Education, Training, and Capacity Building
2. Research

Requirements and Preferences
• Proposals must use funds as seed money to develop a new project or idea with the goal of obtaining external funding and having a long-term impact.
• Proposals must include collaboration with external partners.
• Proposals that involve interdisciplinary efforts are especially welcome.
• Proposals that include some form of matching and/or in-kind contribution are welcome, but matching is not required.

Project Description Instructions
Project descriptions should be no more than three pages and should include the following sections, delineated by headers for each section:
1. Statement of Need (for education, training, and capacity building grants) or Research Question (for research grants)
2. Project Objectives. Indicate what you hope to achieve
3. Project Design: To include design/methodology, timeline, list of activities, success measures and plan for evaluation.
4. Innovation. Acknowledge what is distinct or unique about your project and its potential findings or impact.
5. Potential for Beneficial Partnership. The project must involve partnership(s) that benefit a community experiencing health inequity.
6. Sustainability Plans. Include capacity for future funding, utilization of results and continuing benefit to target community.

Budget
Consult the general Budget Guidelines for all Global Grant proposals on the main Rutgers Global Grants webpage. Budgeted categories must include only one-time costs. Global Health Seed Grant funding may not be used for ongoing costs such as salaries and overhead.

Oversight and budgetary control will reside within your academic department or appropriate dean’s office. Please consult with the budget guidelines for the Rutgers Global Grants and your department/unit when developing your budget proposal. Expenses and costs must comply with all relevant university policies and state and federal regulations.
Selection
Applications will be reviewed and evaluated using the requirements and guidelines listed on this document.

A committee(s) appointed by the director of Rutgers Global Health Institute will review proposals and recommend awardees. Proposals will be scored based on an evaluation of the six elements of the Project Description as outlined above, with equal weight assigned to each.

Inquiries
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