



Oklahoma Center for Adult Stem Cell Research

Call for Equipment Grant Proposals

The Oklahoma Center for Adult Stem Cell Research announces a special grant competition for major equipment (>\$25,000). The technology must be highly relevant to adult stem cell research, and shared via core facilities. Matching funds are not necessary but a plan for service and technician support should be included. Interested investigators will find more information regarding the application process at www.ocascr.org. All proposals must be submitted by 11:59pm on December 1, 2015.

Application Procedures-

Complete the application cover page found at www.ocascr.org. Attach any supporting documents as one PDF file via email to cascr@ocascr.org with subject line "grant request". Signatures will be obtained if funding is approved. All applications should be accompanied by an NIH style (PHS 398 or later) biosketch and other support pages. Proposals must be no more than 10 pages including the cover page and references. The applications will be evaluated by the Steering Committee and prioritized for funding. Final decisions will be made by the OCASCR Governing Board. Written or oral evaluations (pink sheets) will not be provided to applicants.

The proposal should include the following:

- Manufacturer's quote
- Description of how the instrument will be used
- Description of where the instrument will be located, how it will be made available to others and how service will be provided.

Eligibility

To be eligible to receive any OCASCR grant, principal investigators must meet the following criteria:

- Hold a Doctor of Medicine (M.D.), Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.), Doctor of Science (D.Sc.) or equivalent degree (i.e. D.V.M.);
- Be a professional or faculty member (Professor, Associate Professor or tenure-track Assistant Professor equivalent) at an educational, medical or research institution in Oklahoma;
- Be qualified to conduct and mentor a program of original research within his/her own laboratory;
- Assume both administrative and financial responsibility for the grant; and
- Have access to institutional resources necessary to maintain and utilize this instrument.

Equipment purchased with these awards must be delivered before June 30, 2016. Questions can be directed to Kelly Gentry at (405) 271-7473 or kellygentry@cox.net.