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# Nov. 28, 2016      Funding Opportunity NE LB506

*Sponsored Programs Administration*

**UNMC Deadline** Friday, January 20th, 2017

## **Program Summary**

The Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services (NE DHHS) announced the Fiscal Year 2018 Cancer and Smoking Disease Research Funds grant competition. Funded by LB506, this program focuses on reducing cancer and smoking-related diseases. The program gives priority to scientific technical or behavioral research proposals relating directly to the prevention of cancer and smoking-related diseases. Preferred applications will focus on innovative, new research that could support future proposals for external peer-reviewed funding.

Interested Principal Investigators (PIs) must submit applications to SPAdmin by Friday, January 20, 2017.

## **Award**

Up to \$50,000 for the period of July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018

- No indirect costs allowed
- No salary support for the PI or other faculty on full-time appointments allowed
  - UNMC requires researchers to commit effort to projects for which they will serve as PIs. To minimize cost-share, SPAdmin recommends committing no more than 10%

## **New Requirements**

NE DHHS changed its FY2018 application requirements to include

- Only one application per PI
- A Table of Contents at the beginning of the Appendix (if any) listing the items included in the Appendix
- Letters of Support at the end of Section 1. General Information (after the Certification of Non-Acceptance of Tobacco Funds)

## **Timeline**

Friday, Jan. 20, 2017.....Applications/Appendices due to SPAdmin by 5pm to allow for processing

Monday, Jan. 23, 2017.....Applications/Appendices due to NE DHHS by 5pm

Tuesday, Feb. 28, 2017.....IRB, IACUC and IBC submissions due to UNMC compliance offices by 5pm for review

Friday, April 28, 2017.....Protocol Approvals for IRB, IACUC and IBC due to NE DHHS

*Approvals required by this date or NE DHHS will consider the application incomplete and return without review*

Thursday, June 1, 2017.....Awards Announced

## Application & Format

| Task  | Detailed Instructions   | Who      | Deadline |
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| Prepare application & appendix; save as directed per NE DHHS instructions | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the application <a href="#">face page</a> and application <a href="#">form</a></li> <li>Prepare one PDF of application &amp; letters<br/>PDF Title: PI name (Last, First) - LB506 - 2018</li> <li>Prepare one PDF of all appendix materials<br/>PDF Title: PI name (Last, First) - Appendix</li> </ul> | PI/Dept. | 1/20/17  |
| Email application & appendix documents to SPAdmin                         | Email application PDF & appendix PDF to <a href="mailto:spadmin@unmc.edu">spadmin@unmc.edu</a> by 5pm on Friday, January 20, 2017<br><i>To ensure a competitive application, please be available for questions prior to the NE DHHS deadline.</i>   | PI/Dept. | 1/20/17  |
| Prepare & route internal forms  | Generate routing form & budget in ADIS; send to SPAdmin for review  | PI/Dept. | 1/20/17  |
| Submit application to NE DHHS   | Upon final review & authorized signature, SPAdmin will submit application/appendix to NE DHHS   | SPAdmin  | 1/23/17  |
| Submit protocol materials to UNMC compliance offices                      | Send IRB, IACUC & IBC documents to the applicable UNMC compliance office for approval   | PI/Dept. | 2/28/17  |
| Submit protocol approvals   | Send verification of protocol approval for IRB, IACUC & IBC to NE DHHS  | SPAdmin  | 4/28/17  |

## For more information

- NE DHHS required [application face page](#) and [application form](#)
- FY 2018 [instructions & timeline](#)
- Nebraska Cancer and Smoking Disease Research Program [website](#)

- Contact information for [Sponsored Programs Grants & Contracts Specialists](#)