

**Summary of Customized Grant Research Findings
Medical Research Client Organization**

Funder Name	Program Title	Due Date	Funding Range	Brief Description
1. National Cancer Institute	Specialized Programs of Research Excellence (SPORES) in Human Cancer (P50)	Letter of Intent: 12/23/06, 4/22/07; 8/21/07. Application: 1/23/07, 5/22/07, 9/21/07	Max annual total of \$2.5 million per applicant.	Organ-specific cancers; Applicant must demonstrate their ability to conduct translational research in the prevention, etiology, screening, diagnosis and treatment of leukemias, lymphomas, myelomas and/or cancer of the brain. This is a new program (released 8/2/06) No funding history available.
2. National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke	Research on Sleep and Sleep Disorders	October 1, 2006 February 1, 2007 June 1, 2007	NINDS has set aside \$1,000,000 in total cost per year for applications sent in response to this funding opportunity. Because the nature and scope of the research proposed may vary, it is anticipated that the size of each award will also vary.	Applications proposing research to advance biomedical knowledge related to sleep or sleep disorders, improve understanding of the neurobiology of functions of sleep over the life-span, enhance timely diagnosis and effective treatment for individuals affected by sleep-related disorders.
3. National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke	Understanding and Preventing Brain Tumor Dispersal	October 1, 2006 February 1, 2007 June 1, 2007	NINDS has set aside \$1,000,000 in total cost per year for applications sent in response to this funding opportunity. Because the nature and scope of the research proposed may vary, it is anticipated that the size of each award will also vary.	Promote studies that identify the properties of brain tumor cells that cause them to migrate, determine how interaction of tumor cells with normal brain elements affects migration, and translate understanding of these parameters into interventions that target invading tumor cells. This is a new program (released 3/7/06) No funding history available.
4. National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke	Neurovascular Mechanisms of Brain Function and Diseases	October 1, 2006 February 1, 2007 June 1, 2007	Because the nature and scope of the research proposed may vary, it is anticipated that the size of each award will also vary.	Applications for studying the integration of neurobiological and cerebrovascular mechanisms in the adult, aged and pediatric brain in health and disease. This is a new program (released 3/7/06) No funding history available.

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5. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Grants for Injury Control Research Centers	September 1, 2006	Max funding will not exceed \$905,000 per year. Project period is up to five years	Build a scientific base for the prevention and control of fatal and nonfatal injuries and related disabilities. Addresses Healthy People 2010 priority area of injury and violence preventions and is aligned with NCIPC's performance goal to conduct a targeted program of research and to reduce injury-related death and disability.
6. The William Randolph Hearst Foundation	Health Priorities: Programs promoting wellness in Cancer, perinatology, pediatrics, women's health, and healthcare of the elderly and disabled. Small number of medical research grants available	Accept proposals year round	\$50,000 – \$350,000	Health Priorities: Cancer, perinatology, pediatrics, women's health, and healthcare of the elderly and disabled. Foundation assists institutions in providing opportunities to underserved and underrepresented populations. Urban and Rural.
7. National Multiple Sclerosis Society	Research grants, Collaborative research center awards, Pilot research grants, Postdoctoral fellowships	Early February for projects starting the following 1 st of October; Early August for projects to start on the following 1 st of April	\$200,000 – \$500,000	The National Multiple Sclerosis Society will consider any bona fide request for research or training support relevant to the Society's mission. The mission of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society (the Society) is to end the devastating effects of multiple sclerosis. The Society was organized in 1946 by people with a particular interest in multiple sclerosis and it is chartered as a non-profit charitable agency under the laws of the State of New York. The Society is empowered to make grants of money for use by individuals within lawfully established agencies or institutions to further its mission.
8. Brain Tumor Society	Research Grant Program	October 2007	Max amount of \$100,000 per year.	Funds given for basic scientific research on brain tumors directed at finding a cure.

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9. Michigan Department of Community Health	Heart Disease and Stroke Projects	August 31, 2006; Information will be released in October regarding 2007 opportunities	\$25,000 - \$100,000	To support projects that will help prevent and/or control heart disease and stroke and risk factors associated with these diseases. In addition to stroke and heart disease, the RFP may be in the following areas: Hypertension, CHF, peripheral artery disease, obesity, physical inactivity, unhealthy eating and hyperlipidemia.
10. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	Medical Research Program	Future funding opportunities to be announced. Currently in planning stages for 2007.	Funding in 2005 included awards ranging from \$240,000 for a 2 year project to 6.75 million for a 5 year project	The goal of the Medical Research Program is to strengthen and support clinical research to help advance the translation of basic biomedical discoveries into new treatments, preventions, and cures for human diseases.
11. Elsa U. Pardee Foundation	Medical Research	Ongoing	Grants awarded for 2005 ranged from \$92,000 to \$217,000	Funds research to investigators in the United States non-profit institutions proposing research directed toward identifying new treatments or cures for cancer.
12. The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation	Science	The Board meets periodically throughout the year. Awards are disbursed in December.	Grant award range \$50,000 – 1.5 million	Trustees seek to encourage projects that include advanced research and new applications of science and/or technology
13. Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ)	AHRQ Small Research Grant Program(RO3)	Annually on March 24, July 24 November 24 (ending November 24, 2008)	A total project period of up to two years and a budget of up to \$100,000 total costs may be requested.	Grants supports different types of health services research projects including pilot and feasibility studies; secondary analysis of existing data; small self-contained research projects; development of research methodology; and development of new research technology.