Cystic Fibrosis Research Development Program Research Fellowship: Call for Applications

LOI due: Jul 17, 2017 Applications due: <u>Aug 15, 2017</u>

The Cystic Fibrosis Research Development Program is seeking applications for post-doctoral fellowship positions in laboratory-based research. Applicants may have M.D., Ph.D., D.V.M, D.O. or equivalent degree(s) and be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, or non-resident working in a U.S. based laboratory. Funds are available for up to 2 years and include stipend, laboratory supplies and travel funds. **The fellow must pursue a research question of direct relevance to cystic fibrosis**. Examples of relevant topics include but are not exclusive to:

- a) Chronic lung inflammation
- b) Lung microbiology and chronic infection.
- c) Bacterial-host cell interactions
- d) Bacterial physiology and antibiotic resistance as related to chronic airway infections
- e) CF model systems
- f) Lung transplantation

New this year: Applicants indicate intent to apply by **July 17**th. Please include the following items in your Letter of Intent:

- 1. Project Title
- 2. Fellow and Faculty Advisor/Mentor name and institution
- 3. Statement of Hypothesis and Specific Aims (one half page maximum)

Full applications must include a 5-7 page application including specific aims, background and significance, research plan, and references. Applicants should provide a bissketch and at least two letters of recommendation, including one from his/her faculty sponsor. The applicant must have a University of Washington faculty sponsor, must participate in UW center activities (such as the seminar series and CF retreat), and must be willing to apply for a national CF fellowship as their project develops.

Signatures from institutional officials are **NOT** required for the application at this time. **For further information and to submit completed LOIs and applications contact:**

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