**Transdisciplinary Initiatives Program - Internal Stanford funding opportunity in Maternal Child Health**

Stanford Child Health Research Institute (CHRI) Transdisciplinary Initiatives Program

The Stanford Child Health Research Institute (CHRI) Transdisciplinary Initiatives Program aims to support, for up to 2 years of funding, new, innovative child health research programs that could best (or only) be performed by faculty from different disciplines, interdisciplinary curricular innovations, seminars and symposia. We encourage faculty from different schools to work together on these initiatives, and strongly promote collaborations between basic and physician scientists.

All projects must be significantly related to the health of expectant mothers and children\(^1\). The initiative must utilize a multi-PI approach where at least two of these lead investigators are from different disciplines.

Complete letter of intent guidelines [here](#).

**LETTER OF INTENT DEADLINE:** Tuesday, December 5, 2017 @ 5:00 pm

*Submit your letter of intent (LOI) to the following link: [ONLINE APPLICATION LINK](#), per the application instructions. You do not need to submit your LOI via your RPM.

**TIMELINE**

Applicants notified to proceed with full proposals in late January.

**FULL PROPOSAL (by invitation) DEADLINE:** Monday, April 9, 2018 @ 5:00 pm

Notification of selected proposals is anticipated the week of May 1, 2018.

Project start date no later than August 1, 2017. Awards will be announced in May 2018. Earliest award start date is May 1, 2018. The performance period is for no longer than 2 years.

**GENERAL ELIGIBILITY**

- All Stanford faculty holding Clinician Educator (CE), University Tenure Line (UTL), Research (NTL-Research), or Medical Center line (MCL) positions.
- Utilize a multi-PI approach where at least two of these lead investigators are from different disciplines AND two different schools of the university (Graduate School of Business, Earth, Energy & Environmental Sciences, Education, Engineering, Humanities & Sciences, Law and Medicine).

**AWARD**

Total award is up to $100,000 / year for two years. Support could be for personnel (undergraduate, graduate, or postdoctoral students, research assistants, or associates, or faculty).

**Questions? Contact:** CHRI Administration ([chri_admin@stanford.edu](mailto:chri_admin@stanford.edu), 650-724-6891)

\(^1\) “Children” or “Child” refers to expectant mothers, oocyte, zygote, embryo, fetus, infant, child, and/or adolescent.