Budget Info in the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA)

Budget Form Types

R&R Subaward Budget

Modular Budget

Follow all instructions in the SF424 (R&R) Application Guide

https://grants.nih.gov/grants/how-to-apply-application-guide.html

Award Budget

Direct Costs

Indirect Costs

Project and Budget Periods

- Budget period means an interval of time into which a project period is divided for budgetary purposes.

Cost Sharing (a.k.a. Matching)

https://research.ncsu.edu/administration/compliance/fiscal-compliance/cost-sharing/

Mandatory Cost Sharing

Voluntary Committed Cost Sharing

Voluntary Uncommitted Cost Sharing

Additional Review Considerations

Budget and Period of Support
- Reviewers will consider whether the budget and the requested period of support are fully justified and reasonable in relation to the proposed research.

Funding Restrictions

All awards are subject to the **terms and conditions, cost principles,** and other considerations described in the <<NIH Grants Policy Statement>>
http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/url_redirect.htm?id=11120

Pre-award costs are allowable only as described in the NIH Grants Policy Statement
http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/url_redirect.htm?id=11143

- Selection of an application for award is not an authorization to begin performance.
- Any costs incurred before receipt of the NoA are at the recipient's risk.
- These costs may be reimbursed only to the extent considered allowable pre-award costs.

S2: Department of Education

II. Award Information

- Type of Award: Discretionary grants. Five-year Individual Development Grants only. Cooperative Arrangement Grants and Planning Grants will not be awarded in FY 2022.

- Estimated Available Funds: $45,245,314.
  - Contingent upon the availability of funds and the quality of applications, we may make additional awards in subsequent years from the list of unfunded applications from this competition.

- Estimated Range of Awards: $500,000-$600,000.

- Estimated Average Size of Awards: $575,000.

- Maximum Awards: We will not make an award exceeding…

S2: Language from Title V in FOA

- (7) describe in a comprehensive manner any proposed project for which funds are sought under the application and include—
  - (D) a detailed budget showing the manner in which funds for any proposed project would be spent by the applicant; and
  - (E) a detailed description of any activity which involves the expenditure of more than $25,000, as identified in the budget referred to in subparagraph (E);

S2: Instructions for Completing the Application (PDF p. 62; document p. 60)

6. U.S. Department of Education Budget Information Non-Construction Programs (SF 524) –

- Applicants should include costs for all 5 project years.

- Section B of this form should only be completed if an Endowment Fund is one of your proposed activities since it requires matching grant funds with non-federal funds.

- Section C (budget narrative) of this form should be left blank. Applicants will upload their Budget Narrative to the "Budget Narrative Attachment Form" within Grants.gov.

- Note: Indirect costs are not allowed under this program.

S2: Instructions for Completing the Application (continued)

10. Budget Narrative Attachment Form - Here is where you upload a detailed supporting narrative explaining the proposed costs for each year of the performance period.

- Total costs per year should mimic the costs stated on the ED-524 form. Include the level of effort (time commitment) per year for key personnel.

- You must upload the supporting narrative in .pdf format.

- Note: The Budget Narrative response here is different than the response to the "Quality of the Budget" Selection Criterion. To respond to "Quality of the Budget," applicants defend proposed costs (i.e., Are the costs that you are proposing reasonable and necessary? How were the costs determined?).

Questions?