

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE RESEARCH ADMINISTRATORS MEETING

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CURRENT Topics

Understanding an NIH Notice of Award – Common Terms

- Automatic vs Restricted Carryover
- SNAP eligibility
- Funding adjustments
- Named Key Personnel (in addition to PI/MPIs)

CURRENT Topics

Understanding an NIH Notice of Award – Uncommon Terms

- Multi-Year Funding
- Regulatory restrictions (IRB/IACUC/Other Support)
- Other award-specific terms or restrictions
- Required interim reporting
- Specific cost allowances or restrictions (e.g. DMS, supplemental funding, effort min/max)
- Supplemental funding

CURRENT Topics

NOT-OD-25-142 – NIH has re-enabled automatic NCEs

- Prior approvals previously submitted will still be processed
- No restrictions on awards with foreign subcontracts *that we're currently aware of*
- Submit AMR or webform request within 90 days of project period end date to request NCE
 - See [NCE QuickGuide](#) for required documentation

NOT-OD-25-143 – NIH will no longer post NOFOs in the NIH Guide as of October 2025

- NOFOs will be posted on Grants.gov – explore their [Search page](#)
- Update your Grants.gov [email subscription settings](#)

Notifications & Reminders

Upcoming AHA Deadlines

- SOMOGC [Deadline Calendar](#) has been updated
- Remember to build in an extra day for the Labor Day holiday!
- Pre- and Post-doc fellowships are due on consecutive

FY27 MTDC Base Changes – effective July 2026

- New SOM [Budget Template](#) excludes subawards over the first \$50k
- Updated Equipment threshold of \$10k
- *De minimis* F&A rate increased to 15% (foreign entities still receive 8% without a negotiated rate agreement)

Notifications & Reminders

Research Security Training

- See SOMOGC [Compliance page](#) for all disclosure and training requirements
- Required for all investigators as of January 2026
- Required for participants on NSF or DOE (Dept of Energy) awards/proposals immediately

NIH Other Support Training

- VPR Training Team is working on this requirement
- Required for all NIH investigators as of October 2025