



# The Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation

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## ***D.M.R.F. EQUIPMENT GRANTS***

Applications for research equipment from investigators in the Faculty of Medicine will be judged on the basis of scientific merit, impact on the research program and perceived need. Funding priorities include, but are not limited to the following categories.

- Applications from new investigators recently appointed to the Faculty of Medicine.
- Applications for multiple user equipment.
- Applications on which partial funding from other sources has been applied for or received.

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- ✓ University departments may submit more than one application, but in such cases, the Department Head MUST submit a letter listing the applications in order of departmental priority.
  - ✓ The Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation is treated as an external granting agency. All applications must be accompanied by a Dalhousie University - Investigator's Check List and submitted to Carla Ross, Research Coordinator, Medical Research Services, Clinical Research Centre, for the Dean's signature.
  - ✓ Forward nine signed copies plus the original to the DMRF Office, Main Floor, Outer Foyer, Sir Charles Tupper Medical Building.

### *Deadline:*

A current competition schedule can be obtained by visiting the Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation Website ~ [www.dmrp.org](http://www.dmrp.org) or by contacting the DMRF office at 494-3502.

### *Please Note:*

- ✓ The amount of DMRF Equipment Grants is typically capped at \$30,000. In addition the Foundation's Scientific Advisory Committee has complete discretion to recommend a level of funding which is considered appropriate.
- ✓ The D.M.R.F. reserves the right to withhold all or part of the funding until the results of alternate competitions have been received and if necessary, the external agency reviews will also be taken into consideration.
- ✓ Equipment purchases funded at a level of 50% or greater by D.M.R.F. equipment grants remain the property of the Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation and may not be sold or disposed of without authorization. It is the policy of the Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation to locate new potential users and re-allocate the equipment based on need within the Faculty.
- ✓ DMRF equipment grants are designated for specific equipment purchases and no other expenditure of these funds is permitted without prior authorization.



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## D.M.R.F. Equipment Grant

### Application Form

(Refer to terms of reference for information regarding this award.)

**\*\* Please forward nine copies plus the original \*\***

Principal Applicant:	
Faculty Position:	Department:
Co-Applicants (if applicable):	
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
<b>Indicate pieces of equipment required.</b> (Please attach details supported by manufacturer's quotation) – Also see page 5 of 7.	
Amount of D.M.R.F. funding requested:	

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Dept. Head

\_\_\_\_\_  
Dean's Signature



**DETAILS OF FUNDING**

List total funding currently held (in table format). Also, append financial budget summary pages from operating grants. *(Required from both primary investigator and co-applicants)*

Have other sources of funding for the equipment been obtained / requested? If so, clearly state outcome of application or expected date of notification. (A copy of the budget and summary pages from each application should also be attached.)

Is funding for support personnel and maintenance of the equipment assured? Please describe the source, amount and conditions that apply.

Would the equipment be used for service work? If so, (a) confirm the percentage of time that equipment will be used for service work, (b) detail cost-sharing plans.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Principal Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Amount Requested



# ABBREVIATED CURRICULUM VITAE

*(Pages 3a, & 4a of the CIHR - CV Module (for primary investigator only) may substituted for this page)*

<b>EDUCATION</b>				
Degrees	University or Institution and location	Scientific Field	Supervisor	Year
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
<b>RESEARCH AND/OR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE</b>				
Dates (from-to)	Institution	Department	Position	Supervisor
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				

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Name of Principal Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_

Amount Requested



# PUBLICATIONS

*(Page 11a... of the CIHR - CV Module may be substituted for this page.)*  
**Note:** *Relevant publications of co-applicants also required.*

Total number (excluding abstracts):

**List papers published during the past five years. Include papers accepted for publication. Abstracts should be identified and listed separately. Additional pages may be appended if necessary.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Principal Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Amount Requested



## DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF EQUIPMENT & ANTICIPATED USE

Provide:

- i. A detailed description of the equipment requested;
- ii. Justification for equipment need (ie. Replacement of old equipment or acquisition of new technology);
- iii. Outline clearly how the new equipment will benefit the research program of each applicant;
- iv. Provide details of use by all applicants, including percentage of the total instrument time that each anticipates using the equipment;
- v. Provide details of how this equipment will benefit the department, group and/or faculty as a whole.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Principal Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Amount Requested



# SUMMARY OF RESEARCH PROPOSAL

Provide for each applicant, a summary of proposed research, clearly indicating why the requested equipment is essential for each individual. (Pages may be appended)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Principal Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Amount Requested



## LAY SUMMARY OF RESEARCH

A lay description of the primary applicant's research will help the Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation provide its donors with a better overall picture of the ongoing medical research activities at Dalhousie which their financial contributions help support. Please provide a 100-150 word description of the primary applicant's current research efforts and identify any activities which are clinically relevant to patient care.

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Name of Principal Applicant

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Amount Requested

