

DMRF SPRING 2020 Molly Appeal for Health Research CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

Submission Deadline: **Monday, December 16, 2019**

Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation's (DMRF) Molly Appeal has been DMRF's annual Maritime-wide public fundraising campaign since 1980. To date, the Molly Appeal has raised over \$6 million for annual medical research initiatives.

FUNDING PRIORITY:

DMRF invites applications for the **SPRING 2020 Molly Appeal for Health Research Funding**.

This Call for Applications is open to all Dalhousie Faculties supported by DMRF.

Specifically: **Faculty of Dentistry**
Faculty of Health
Faculty of Medicine

MAXIMUM FUNDING REQUEST: \$75,000

APPLICATION CONSULTATION:

- Applicants are **strongly encouraged to consult with each of their larger Faculty research communities**, to identify **areas of greatest need** and to **obtain signatures of support from Faculty Deans and Faculty Department Heads, as well as signatures of multiple researchers within their respective faculties/departments** whose work would benefit from support for this research funding application.

- Research teams are also encouraged to consult with their **Faculty's Research Development Officer and/or Associate Dean of Research**, particularly to demonstrate collective and collaborative research facilities and benefits.

CRITERIA:

- Of particular interest to DMRF is an innovative project within our current six priority areas of research:
 - I3V (Infection, Inflammation, Immunity & Vaccinology)
 - Genetics & Genomics
 - Neuroscience & Mental Health
 - Cardiovascular Research in Vulnerable Populations
 - Biomaterials & New Materials
 - Collaborative Health Solutions
- **Support from other Dalhousie Health researchers**
To demonstrate, please provide signatures of support from fellow researchers who concur that the funding application is for an area of greatest need within the **Dalhousie Health research community** and will promote and enhance collaborative efforts.
- **Provide a relevant and transparent budget**
- **Demonstrate multi-user benefits** for collective and collaborative research efforts and results
- If applying for **equipment and/or core facilities**, applicants are encouraged to demonstrate links to **benefits for multi-user research and collaboration within the application**
- Successful application needs **compelling spokespeople** – researchers, clinicians, patients – to educate donors. The selected applicant must agree to work with DMRF to develop this area. The DMRF Spring 2020 Molly Appeal will launch in April 2020.

TO APPLY: Complete the attached application.

***Please **deliver a completed print copy** of your application to the offices of DMRF.

Location: Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation 5743 University Avenue Suite # 98 (corner of Cathedral Lane)

AND email a completed copy to dmrfdal@dal.ca by 4:00 pm on Monday, December 16, 2019***

All applications will be vetted by DMRF's Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC).

The DMRF Spring 2020 Molly Appeal for Health Research application selection to be announced in January 2020.

For questions contact: **Carol Murray**, DMRF Manager Annual & Planned Giving – 902-233-8767 carol.murray@dal.ca
Jane Greenlaw, DMRF Annual Giving Officer – 902-494-2693 jane.greenlaw@dal.ca

DETAILED BUDGET DMRF Spring 2020 Molly Appeal HEALTH Research Project

Detailed budget for the proposed research project (include breakdown on any equipment details)

Amount of DMRF Spring 2020 MOLLY Appeal funding for Health Research requested (maximum **\$75,000**):

Have other sources of funding for the health research project and/or equipment been requested / obtained?
If so, please state outcome of application or expected date of notification.
(Please attach copy of budget & summary pages from other funding source original application).

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Detail SUMMARY DMRF SPRING 2020 Molly Appeal Health Research Project

PROVIDE A SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RESEARCH PROJECT.

Demonstrate multi-user benefits for collective research efforts and results.

Directly link use of equipment and core facilities to benefits of multi-user research and collaboration.

Explain benefits for researchers, clinicians, patients and detail any potential medical advances in diagnosis, treatment, etc.

Re any equipment please provide:

- i. A detailed description of the equipment requested
- ii. Justification for equipment need (i.e. replacement of old equipment or acquisition of new technology or improved core facility)
- iii. Outline clearly how the new equipment will benefit the research program application
- iv. Provide details of use by supporting applicants
- v. Provide details of how this equipment will benefit the department, group and/or faculty as a whole.
(additional pages may be appended for **Summary of Spring 2020 Molly Appeal Research Project**)

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Detail Summary DMRF Spring 2020 Molly Appeal Health Research Project (continued)

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Appendix A – Additional Supporting Signatories

Full Name (PRINT) & Signature of supporting applicants – fellow researchers whose research will benefit from funding for this project:

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