

Small Research Project Grant Application

The UW Osher Center for Integrative Health annually funds up to 3 small research projects conducted by University of Washington faculty members, fellows, and residents. The purpose of these grants is to stimulate scholarship in integrative medicine.

- Funds available:** A total of \$10,000 will be available to fund up to 3 grant projects annually. The maximum available per grant is \$5000. Grant funds are to cover research costs such as survey mailings or hourly research staff time. Funds are not eligible to be used to support faculty FTE.
- Length of grant:** One year from the beginning of the project.
- Reports:** Brief progress reports will be due 3, 6, and 9 months after funding is awarded. A final report describing the project and summarizing the findings will be due a year after funding. The final report should be in the form of a manuscript that could be submitted for publication.
- Application:** Please complete and submit the attached form to Dan Cherkin, UW Osher Center Director of Research, at dcherkin@uw.edu.
- Deadline:** There is no submission deadline, but it is advised to apply early in the year before funds run out.
- Evaluation criteria:**
- Importance of research topic to integrative health
 - Use of appropriate study design and methods
 - Feasibility of completing project within one year and within budget
 - Relevance for promoting equity, diversity and/or inclusion?
- Questions:** Dan Cherkin, UW Osher Center, Director of Research, dcherkin@uw.edu

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Please limit to 3 pages

Applicant name:			
Title(s):			
Phone:		Email:	
Investigator(s) Name(s), faculty title(s), department(s)			
Co-Investigator(s) Name(s), faculty title(s), department(s)			
Mentor(s) Name(s), faculty title(s), department(s)			
1. Title of Research Project			
2. Brief background, significance, rationale			
3. Specific Aims and hypotheses			
4. Brief description of research design and methods			
5. Description and roles of project team members			
6. Timeline for completing key phases of project (12-month limit)			
7. Funds requested from OCIH and justification (\$5000 max.)			
8. Criteria to be used to evaluate the success of the project			

9. Brief summary of your previous work in this field, if any
10. How might this proposal lead to additional research or scholarship?