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>>Calls for Proposals

New This Week!**Surgeon General's Call to Action on Preventing Underage Drinking – Due March 15, 2006**

The Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Secretary, Office of Public Health and Science, Office of the Surgeon General has issued a request for comments on "Preventing Underage Drinking." Comments may be sent by mail or hand delivered to Dr. Ron Schoenfeld, Office of the Surgeon General, Department of Health and Human Services, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 18-66, Rockville, MD 20852, or sent by E-mail to ctacomment@osophs.dhhs.gov. Questions can be directed to Dr. Schoenfeld at rschoenfeld@osophs.dhhs.gov. From ASPH Friday Letter #1401.

CDC/CSTE Call for Comments on the Applied Epidemiology Competency – Due March 17, 2006

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists (CSTE) are collaborating to address workforce issues affecting public health epidemiologists. The complete draft of the CDC/CSTE Applied Epidemiology Competency document is available on the CSTE Web site [here](#). Individuals and organizations employing applied epidemiologists may also submit comments to competencies@cste.org. Questions regarding the competencies or the development process may be submitted to CSTE at: competencies@cste.org. From ASPH Friday letter #1401.

CDC: Urban Partnership Academic Centers of Excellence – Due March 30, 2006

The following cities are currently participating in CDC's National ACE Program: Baltimore, Md., Boston, Mass., Chicago, Ill., Kailua-Waimanalo, HI, New York, N.Y., Oakland, Calif., Richmond, Va., and Riverside, Calif. For complete details visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1401.

CDC: Using Immunization Information Systems to Increase Childhood Immunization Coverage – Due April 10, 2006

For complete details please see CDC's Web site at, <http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/IP06-007.htm>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1401

CDC: Parental Factors Related to Children Missing Scheduled Immunization Visits – Due April 10, 2006

The purpose of the program is to fund a survey of parents to identify parental factors which result in children less than age 36 months missing scheduled immunization appointments. For complete details see CDC's Web site [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1401.

CDC: Reducing Sexual Risk for HIV Acquisition and Transmission – Due April 10, 2006

For complete program details, see the full announcement on the CDC Web site at <http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/PS06-007.htm>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1401.

Era of Hope Postdoctoral Award: Breast Cancer Research Program – Due April 11, 2006

The BCRP seeks proposals from all areas of laboratory, clinical, behavioral and epidemiologic research, including all disciplines within the basic, clinical, psychosocial, behavioral, sociocultural and environmental sciences, nursing; occupational health, alternative therapies, public health and policy, ethics and economics. For complete details, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1401.

Era of Hope Scholar Award: Breast Cancer Research Program – April 11, 2006

Candidates for this award should be exceptionally talented, early-career scientists who have demonstrated through their extraordinary creativity, vision and productivity that they are the "best and

brightest" in their field(s). They should also exhibit strong potential for leadership in the breast cancer research community and be able to articulate a vision for the eradication of breast cancer. For complete details, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1401.

Breast Cancer Research Program IDEA Award – Due May 23, 2006

Proposals that address the needs of minority, low-income, rural and other underrepresented and/or medically underserved populations are strongly encouraged. The Idea Award supports highly innovative, high-risk/high-reward research that could ultimately lead to critical discoveries or major advancements that will accelerate the eradication of breast cancer. For complete details, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1401.

Breast Cancer Research Program Synergistic Idea Award – Due May 23, 2006

The Synergistic Idea Award supports innovative, high-risk/high-reward breast cancer research collaborations between two independent, faculty-level (or equivalent) investigators who address a central problem or question in breast cancer research from synergistic and complementary perspectives. The Synergistic Idea Award requires the submission of a single proposal addressing a critical problem in breast cancer research. For complete details, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1401.



From Previous Weeks!

NIH: The Obese and Diabetic Intrauterine Environment: Long-term Metabolic or Cardiovascular Consequences in the Offspring - LOI due February 26, 2006

For full details visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DK-05-014.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1379.

NIH: Planning Grants for Institutional Clinical and Translational Science Awards – Due February 27, 2006

For more information visit, <http://grants2.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-RM-06-001.html> From ASPH Friday Letter #1382.

NIH: Institutional Clinical and Translational Science Awards – Due February 27, 2006

For more information visit, <http://grants2.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-RM-06-002.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1382.

"The Public's Health and the Law in the 21st Century: Fifth Annual Partnership Conference," Call for Student Abstracts – Due March 1, 2006

Abstracts should be sent to abstracts2006@phla.info and must be received by Wednesday, March 1. For instructions on submission, or more information, visit <http://www.phla.info/>. Questions should be directed to Jean O'Connor at joconnor@phla.info. From ASPH Friday Letter #1398.

2006 Public Health Systems Research Interest Group Meeting: Call for Panels – Due March 1, 2006

More information can be found at: <http://www.magnetmail1.net/ls.cfm?r=22048927&sid=816660&m=143771&u=AcadHealth&s=http://www.academyhealth.org>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1392.

Translating Research into Practice and Policy 2006 Conference Call for Abstracts – Due March 3, 2006

Abstracts should be submitted electronically by completing the on-line submission form located [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1397.

USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service Grant Opportunity – March 7, 2006

For more information on this grant opportunity including an application, visit <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/ccpi/>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1397.

RWJF Launches Healthy Eating Research Program Call for Proposals – Due March 7

The program's first call for proposals focuses on school food policies and environments and is available at www.rwjf.org/cfp/her. From ASPH Friday Letter #1393.

Meatless Monday Health Scholars Grant Program – Due March 10, 2006

The deadline for submission of proposals is Friday, March 10, 2006. Proposals should be sent to Ms. Janna Howley at jhowley@jhsph.edu. The request for proposals is available online at www.jhsph.edu/clf. From ASPH Friday Letter #1392.

NIH: Community-Responsive Interventions to Reduce Cardiovascular Risk in American Indians and Alaska Natives - Due March 10, 2006

For complete details, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HL-06-002.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1390.

National Symposium on Global Health Care Justice Set for June – Abstracts Due March 15, 2006

Hiram College will host a national symposium on global health care justice June 22-25 in Hiram, Ohio. Abstract submissions are due March 15 to joerightta@hiram.edu. For more information, visit litmed.hiram.edu/. From APHA News, February 2006.

2006 Samuel J. Crumbine Award for Excellence in Food Protection at the Local Level – Due March 15, 2006

More details are available at <http://www.fpi.org/>, in the "award programs" section. Questions can be directed to Ms. Lynn Dyer at (703) 538-2800 or ldyer@fpi.org. From ASPH Friday Letter #1397.

NIH: Environmental Health Sciences Core Center Grants - Due March 15, 2006

For full details visit <http://grants2.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-05-008.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1382.

CDC: Development and Testing of New Medications for Treatment of Emerging Infectious Diseases Grant – Due March 17, 2006

For complete funding details, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1398.

HHS: Institutional Grants for Research Training in Biomedical Informatics Grant – Due March 18, 2006

For complete details, please see the full announcement on the NIH website at: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-LM-06-001.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1395.

Planning Grants for Institutional Clinical and Translational Science Award – March 27, 2006

If you wish to participate via videoconference, E-mail Mr. John Heckler at hecklerj@mail.nih.gov. Those who wish to view the workshop via Web cast/videocast may access the workshop on December 7 at <http://videocast.nih.gov/>. For more information, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-RM-06-001.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1388.

Institutional Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA) –March 27, 2006

For more information, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-RM-06-002.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1388.

Call for Applications for Investigator Awards in Health Policy Research – Due March 29, 2006

The complete call for applications is available [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1397.

CDC: Urban Partnership Academic Centers of Excellence Grant – Due March 30, 2006

For complete program details, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1398.

EPA: Environmental Small Grants Program – Due March 31, 2006

For more information, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1400.

American Legacy Foundation Alma S. Adams Scholarship Fund – Due March 31, 2006

More information about the scholarship may be obtained from the Legacy Web site at www.americanlegacy.org. From ASPH Friday Letter #1395.

SAMHSA: Development of Comprehensive Drug/Alcohol and Mental Health Treatment Systems for Persons Who are Homeless – Due April 6, 2006

For complete details, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1399.

2006 Linkage Awards Call for Abstracts – Due April 7, 2006

For more information, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1399.

EPA: Community Action for a Renewed Environment Grants – Due April 10, 2006

For more information visit [here](#), or <http://cfpub.epa.gov/care/>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1400.

NIH: Countermeasures against Chemical Threats Research Projects Grant – April 11, 2006.

For complete program details, see the full announcement on the NIH Web site at <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?mode=VIEW&oppId=7500>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1394.

CDC: Intervention Research Grants to Promote the Health of People with Disabilities – Due April 12, 2006

For complete details, visit the CDC Web site at, <http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/DD06-004.htm>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1400.

2006 Ford CHLI Leadership Program Call for Applications – Due April 14, 2006

For more information please contact Ms. Melissa Buia, program manager, Congressional Hispanic Leadership Institute at mbuia@chli.org or (202) 429-2033. For more information about the Congressional Hispanic Leadership Institute (CHLI), visit <http://www.chli.org/>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1399.

CDC: Prevention of Airborne Infections in Occupational Settings Grant – Due April 18, 2006

The objective of this RFA is to improve prevention of airborne infectious diseases in occupational settings. For more information, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1400.

New Grants Announced for Cancer Communications Research Initiative – Due April 19, 2006

Complete information can be found at grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-06-015.html. From APHA Member News, February 2006.

SAMHSA: Cooperative Agreements for HIV/AIDS Related Mental Health Services in Minority Communities -- Due May 1, 2006

For complete details, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1399.

Young Scientist Research Fund Awards for AD/HD – Due May 11, 2006

For more information, visit www.chadd.org/YoungScientist/. From APHA Member News, February 2006.

Call for Abstracts for Environmental Protection Agency's 2006 Science Forum – May 16-18, 2006

For more information about the EPA Science Forum, please visit the Forum Web page at: <http://www.epa.gov/ord/scienceforum>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1396.

Global Health Council, 33rd Annual International Conference on Global Health Excellence, Innovation and Influence: Pathways to Results - May 30-June 2, 2006

Omni Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D.C. Online Abstract Submission is now available at http://www.globalhealth.org/conference/view_top.php3?id=520. Questions? E-mail conference@globalhealth.org

Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved Call for Papers on Hurricanes Katrina, Rita, Wilma – Due September 1, 2006

Questions should be directed to JournalQuestion@mmc.edu and submissions can be sent to JournalSubmission@mmc.edu. From ASPH Friday Letter #1398.

The Network: Addressing Collegiate Alcohol and Other Drug Issues Student Research Award – Due October 15, 2006

Detailed criteria and applications are available on-line at <http://www.thenetwork.ws>. Application deadline is Sunday, October 15. For more information, contact Dr. Annann Hong at (773) 442-5568 or ahong@neiu.edu. From ASPH Friday Letter #1400.

Disease Investigation through Specialized Clinically-Oriented Ventures in Environmental Research Grants Available – October 17, 2006

For more information, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1397.

Conference Registration Scholarships for Students - Multiple Due Dates

Visit <http://www.communityhlth.org/> for details on the conference agenda and on all Association services, including the ACHI Community Health Newsletter and ACHI Career Center. Accepted students will be responsible for their own travel and accommodations expenses. From ASPH Friday Letter #1388.

NIH: Dissemination and Implementation Research in Health - Multiple Due Dates

For complete details visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-071.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1387.

NIH: Planning Grants for International Malaria Clinical, Operational and Health Services Research Training Programs – Multiple Due Dates

For complete details, visit [here](#). For more information about the President's Malaria Initiative, visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1388.

NIH: Small Grants for Behavioral Research in Cancer Control - Multiple Due Dates

For details visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-073.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1387.

NIH: Health Disparities in HIV/AIDS: Focus on African Americans - Multiple Due Dates

For details visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-069.html#SectionII>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1387.

NIH: Drug Abuse as a Cause, Correlate, or Consequence of Criminal Justice Related Health Disparities among African Americans – Multiple Due Dates

For details visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-068.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1387.

NIH: Dissemination and Implementation Research in Health – Multiple Due Dates

For complete details, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-071.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1388.

NIH: Small Grants for Behavioral Research in Cancer Control - Multiple Due Dates

For complete details, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-073.html>. From ASPH Friday letter #1388.

AHRQ: Small Grant Program for Conference Support - Multiple Due Dates

For complete details, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-074.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1388.

CDC: NIOSH Support for Conferences and Scientific Meetings - Multiple Due Dates

For complete details, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-014.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1388.

NIH: Exploratory Studies in Cancer Detection, Diagnosis and Prognosis – Various Due Dates

Various application due dates apply to this program with an expiration date of November 2, 2008. For further details, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-05-165.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1379.

NIH: International Research Collaboration on Drug Addiction - Various Due Dates

For full details visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-050.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1385.

NIH: Non-injection Drug Abuse and HIV/AIDS - Various Due Dates

For full details visit [here](#). From ASPH Friday Letter #1385.

NIH: Research on Social Work Practice and Concepts in Health - Multiple Due Dates

For complete details on NIH Research Project Grant (R01) applications, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-081.html>. For complete details on NIH Exploratory/Developmental Grant (R21) applications, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-083.html>. For complete details on NIH Small Grant (R03) applications, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-082.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1390.

NIH: Research on Pathways Linking Environments, Behaviors and HIV/AIDS – Various Due Dates

This program announcement calls for research studies on the relationships among social environments, individual behaviors and the incidence and prevalence of HIV/AIDS in populations. For full details, visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-114.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1393.

NIH: Improving Diet and Physical Activity Assessment – Various Due Dates

For full details visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-06-104.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1393.

NIDA Encouraging Research on Inhalant Abuse – Various Due Dates

For more information please visit: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-05-099.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1375.

Small Grant Program for Conference Support – Various Due Dates

For more information please visit: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-05-123.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1374.

NIH: Structural Interventions, Alcohol Use and Risk of HIV/AIDS - Various Due Dates

For more information please visit: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-05-146.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1372.

NIH: AIDS International Training and Research Program – Various Due Dates

For more information please visit: http://www.asph.org/press/fridayletter/article_view.cfm?FLE_Index=2383&FL_Index=1369. From ASPH Friday Letter #1369.

NIH: Educational Programs for Population Research - Various Due Dates

For more information visit: http://www.asph.org/press/fridayletter/article_view.cfm?FLE_Index=2358&FL_Index=1368. From ASPH Friday Letter #1368.

NIH: Diet-Induced Changes in Inflammation as Determinants of Colon Cancer – Various Due Dates

For more information visit: http://www.asph.org/press/fridayletter/article_view.cfm?FLE_Index=2307&FL_Index=1366. From ASPH Friday Letter #1366.

NIH: Global Infectious Disease Research Training Program Award – Various Due Dates

For more information visit:

http://www.asph.org/press/fridayletter/article_view.cfm?FLE_Index=2308&FL_Index=1366. From ASPH Friday Letter #1366.

AHRQ: Small Grant Program for Conference Support - Various Due Dates

For more information visit: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-05-123.html> From ASPH Friday Letter #1365.

NIH: Research on Emergency Medical Services for Children – Various Due Dates

For full details visit <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-05-081.html>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1354.

NIH: Brain Disorders Research – Various Due Dates

Information at http://www.asph.org/press/fridayletter/article_view.cfm?FLE_Index=2163&FL_Index=1361. From ASPH Friday Letter #1361.

NIH/NEI: Translational Research Program on Therapy for Visual Disorders – Various Due Dates

More Information: http://www.asph.org/press/fridayletter/article_view.cfm?FLE_Index=2164&FL_Index=1361. From ASPH Friday Letter #1361.

NIH: Established Investigator Award in Cancer Prevention & Control - Various Due Dates

For more information visit: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-05-145.html#SectionIII>. From ASPH Friday Letter #1371.

EPA to Provide Financial Support for Conferences, Workshops, Meetings – Multiple Due Dates

Questions should be directed to Dr. Michael Bender at (202) 564-6829 or Bender.Michael@EPA.gov. From ASPH Friday Letter #1397.