

***Fiscal Year 2017 Defense Medical Research and Development Program  
Reference Table of Award Mechanisms and Submission Requirements***

Award Mechanism	Program	Eligibility	Key Mechanism Requirements	Funding	Submission Deadline
<p><b>FY17 Toward A Next-Generation Trauma Care Capability: Foundational Research for Autonomous, Unmanned, and Robotics Development of Medical Technologies (FORWARD) Award</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Extramural</i> Investigators and organizations must apply through <b>Grants.gov</b>.</li> </ul> <p>Go to: Extramural Program Announcement and General Submission Instructions</p> <p><b>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number:</b> W81XWH-17-MSISRP-FOR</p>	JPC-1/Medical Simulation and Information Sciences (MSIS) Research Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This funding announcement is intended for extramural investigators only. An Intramural Investigator may be named as a collaborator in an application submitted by an Extramural Investigator.</li> <li>Independent Investigators at all academic levels (or equivalent).</li> <li>An <b>Extramural Investigator</b> is defined as all those not included in the definition of Intramural Investigator below.</li> <li>An <b>Intramural Investigator</b> is defined as a Department of Defense (DoD) military or civilian employee working within a DoD laboratory or military treatment facility, or working in a DoD activity embedded within a civilian medical center.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seeks to support basic research that dramatically advances the state of the art in civilian and military trauma care at the first responder point of care, during prolonged field care of combat casualties, and extended en-route care that can potentially be mitigated by leveraging novel ideas and designs that are yet to be invented in soft robotic, semi-autonomous and autonomous concepts and systems for hemorrhage control, resuscitation, vascular and surgical control of combat casualties, and transport for critical care patients in unmanned vehicles.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum funding of <b>\$1,300,000</b> in total costs (direct plus indirect costs)</li> <li>Period of performance should not exceed <b>2</b> years.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Pre-Application (Letter of Intent):</b> November 20, 2017 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET)</p> <p><b>Application:</b> February 5, 2018 11:59 p.m. ET</p> <p><b>Application Verification Period:</b> February 12, 2018 5:00 p.m. ET</p> <p>Pre-application submission is required.</p>

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<p><b>FY17 Accelerating Innovation in Military Medicine (AIMM) Research Award</b></p> <p>Go to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Program Announcement</li> <li>• General Submission Instructions</li> </ul> <p><b>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number:</b> W81XWH-17-DMRDP-AIMM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All organizations, including international organizations, are eligible to apply.</li> <li>• Investigators at all academic levels (or equivalent) are eligible to submit an application.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pre-application (Letter of Intent) is required.</li> <li>• Supports highly creative and conceptually innovative high-risk research with the potential to accelerate critical discoveries or major advancements that will significantly impact military health and medicine.</li> <li>• Supports novel research concepts and development of enabling technologies.</li> <li>• Supports applied research efforts that initiate or enhance potential game-changers.</li> <li>• <b>Impact</b> and <b>Innovation</b> are important aspects of the AIMM initiative.</li> <li>• Projects proposed should be relevant to at least one DoD medical research program area. However, broadly applicable research projects with the potential to benefit multiple DoD medical research program areas are encouraged.</li> <li>• Applications using synthetic or systems biology-based approaches are highly encouraged.</li> <li>• <b>Clinical Trials are not allowed.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maximum funding of <b>\$350,000</b> in direct costs (plus indirect costs).</li> <li>• Period of performance should not exceed <b>18</b> months.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Pre-Application (Letter of Intent):</b> January 26, 2018 5:00 p.m. ET</p> <p>Pre-application submission is required.</p> <p><b>Application:</b> February 9, 2018 11:59 p.m. ET</p>