

***Fiscal Year 2018 Department of Defense Peer Reviewed Medical Research Program (PRMRP)  
Reference Table of Award Mechanisms and Submission Requirements***

<b>Award Mechanism</b>	<b>Eligibility</b>	<b>Key Mechanism Elements</b>	<b>Funding</b>	<b>Submission Deadlines</b>
<b>Discovery Award</b> Go to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Program Announcement</li> <li>General Application Instructions</li> </ul> <b>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number:</b> W81XWH18PRMRPDA	Postdoctoral fellow or clinical fellow (or equivalent) and above	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supports the exploration of a highly innovative new concept or untested theory in the Topic Area(s) of interest</li> <li>Not intended to support the logical progression of an already established line of questioning</li> <li>Clinical trials will not be funded</li> <li>Reviewers will be blinded to the identity of the Principal Investigator (PI), collaborator(s), and their organization(s)</li> </ul>	Maximum funding of <b>\$200,000</b> for direct costs (plus indirect costs)  Maximum period of performance is <b>18 months</b>	<b>Pre-Application (Letter of Intent):</b> June 14, 2018 5:00 p.m. Eastern time (ET)  <b>Application:</b> June 28, 2018 11:59 p.m. ET
<b>Clinical Trial Award</b> Go to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Program Announcement</li> <li>General Application Instructions</li> </ul> <b>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number:</b> W81XWH18PRMRPCTA	Assistant Professor level or above (or equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supports the rapid implementation of clinical trials of novel interventions with the potential to have a significant impact on patient care in the topic area(s) of interest.</li> <li>Proposed projects may range from small proof-of-concept trials through large-scale, definitive trials.</li> <li>Investigational New Drug or Investigational Device Exemption applications, if needed, should be submitted to the Food and Drug Administration by the PRMRP application submission deadline.</li> <li>A copy of the FDA Acknowledgement letter and meeting minutes, if applicable, should be submitted with the full application. If the trial will be conducted internationally, a copy of the relevant national regulatory agency approval should be submitted with the full application.</li> <li><b><i>Preproposal submission is required; application submission is by invitation only.</i></b></li> </ul>	No maximum funding limit; requested funding must be appropriate for the scope of work proposed  Maximum period of performance is <b>4 years</b>	<b>Pre-Application (Preproposal):</b> June 25, 2018 5:00 p.m. Eastern time  <b>Application:</b> September 27, 2018 11:59 p.m. Eastern time

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<b>Focused Program Award</b>  Go to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Program Announcement</li> <li>General Application Instructions</li> </ul> <b>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number:</b> W81XWH18PRMRPFA	<b>Lead PI:</b> Full Professor level or above (or equivalent)  <b>Project leads:</b> Assistant Professor level or above (or equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supports a synergistic, multidisciplinary research program of at least four distinct but complementary projects addressing an overarching goal in the Topic Area(s) of interest</li> <li>Projects should work together to answer critical questions, resolve differing hypotheses, and translate laboratory findings to clinical applications</li> <li>Projects may range from exploratory/hypothesis-developing through small-scale clinical trials that together will address the overarching goal/question</li> <li>Research team of highly qualified, multidisciplinary project leaders should be led by a PI with demonstrated success in directing large, focused projects</li> <li><b><i>Preproposal submission is required; application submission is by invitation only</i></b></li> </ul>	Maximum funding of <b>\$10 million</b> for total costs (includes direct and indirect costs)  Maximum period of performance is <b>4 years</b>	<b>Pre-Application (Preproposal):</b> June 19, 2018 5:00 p.m. Eastern time  <b>Application:</b> September 20, 2018 11:59 p.m. Eastern time
<b>Investigator-Initiated Research Award</b>  Go to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Program Announcement</li> <li>General Application Instructions</li> </ul> <b>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number:</b> W81XWH18PRMRPIRA	Assistant Professor level or above (or equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supports research that will make an original and important contribution to the field of research and/or patient care in the Topic Area(s) of interest</li> <li>Partnering PI Option available</li> <li>Clinical trials will not be funded</li> <li><b><i>Preproposal submission is required; application submission is by invitation only</i></b></li> </ul>	Maximum funding of <b>\$1.2 million</b> for direct costs (plus indirect costs); <b>\$1.5 million</b> for direct costs (plus indirect costs) for applications including a Partnering PI Option  Maximum period of performance is <b>3 years</b>	<b>Pre-Application (Preproposal):</b> June 12, 2018 5:00 p.m. Eastern time  <b>Application:</b> September 20, 2018 11:59 p.m. Eastern time
<b>Technology/Therapeutic Development Award</b>  Go to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Program Announcement</li> <li>General Application Instructions</li> </ul> <b>Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number:</b> W81XWH18PRMRPTDA	Assistant Professor level or above (or equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supports the translation of promising preclinical findings into clinical applications for prevention, detection, diagnosis, treatment, or quality of life in the Topic Area(s) of interest</li> <li>Product-oriented (e.g., device, drug, clinical guidelines). The product(s) to be developed may be a tangible item, such as a pharmacologic agent (drugs or biologics) or device, or a knowledge-based product</li> <li>Clinical trials will not be funded</li> <li><b><i>Preproposal submission is required; application submission is by invitation only</i></b></li> </ul>	Maximum funding of <b>\$3 million</b> for direct costs (plus indirect costs)  Maximum period of performance is <b>3 years</b>	<b>Pre-Application (Preproposal):</b> June 12, 2018 5:00 p.m. Eastern time  <b>Application:</b> September 20, 2018 11:59 p.m. Eastern time