

R03 and R21 Grants

R03	<p>NIH Small Grant Program (R03) supported by NCI, NIDDK, and NHLBI:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Provides limited funding for a short period of time to support a variety of types of projects, including: pilot or feasibility studies, collection of preliminary data, secondary analysis of existing data, small, self-contained research projects, development of new research technology, etc.○ Limited to two years of funding○ Direct costs generally up to \$50,000 per year○ Not renewable○ Utilized by more than half of the NIH ICs○ See parent FOA at http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-09-163.html
R21	<p>NIH Exploratory/Developmental Research Grant Award (R21) supported by NCI, NIDDK, and NHLBI:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Encourages new, exploratory and developmental research projects by providing support for the early stages of project development. Sometimes used for pilot and feasibility studies.○ Limited to up to two years of funding○ Combined budget for direct costs for the two year project period usually may not exceed \$275,000.○ No preliminary data is generally required○ Most ICs utilize○ See http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-09-164.html