TO: BUMC Faculty
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SUBJECT: CDC - Assessing the Burden of Diabetes By Type in Children, Adolescents and Young Adults (DiCAYA)

OBJECTIVES: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Assessing the Burden of Diabetes By Type in Children, Adolescents and Young Adults (DiCAYA) program’s purpose is to conduct surveillance to assess the incidence and prevalence of diabetes among children, adolescents and young adults in the United States and provide estimates by diabetes type, age, sex, race/ethnicity and geographic area. This funding opportunity has three (3) components to achieve the purpose of the program:

1. **Component A** focuses on surveillance of incidence and prevalence of diabetes among children and adolescents (<18 years). $250,000
2. **Component B** focuses on surveillance of incidence and prevalence of diabetes among young adults (18 to <45 years). $250,000
3. **Component C** serves as a Coordinating Center to provide an infrastructure for standardized approaches, analytical methods, and surveillance measures. It also serves as a repository for the Component A and B data and provides consolidated estimates by diabetes type, age, race/ethnicity and geographic area. $500,000

ELIGIBILITY RESTRICTIONS: Applications may include more than one PI; however, the first PI listed on the application will be the “contact PI” for all correspondence. Any additional PIs are permitted, but would be referred to as Co-PIs.

INTERNAL SELECTION PROCESS: BU Medical Campus interested faculty should submit the following materials listed below via InfoReady Review by Monday, Dec 9. If you are a BMC investigator and wish to apply for this opportunity, please contact Jennifer Fleming, Director of Foundation Relations and Government Grants at jennifer.fleming@bmc.org.

- Questions outlined in InfoReady Review application;
- A brief statement (up to 2 pages) by the candidate describing their scientific achievements and proposed project including a clear statement of which component (A, B, or C) is being proposed;
- A brief budget outline for the proposed research;
- Up-to-date CV or NIH biosketch.

A faculty committee drawn from both campuses will review internal proposals and select nominees.

DEADLINES: Internal Deadline: Monday, Dec. 9  |  Sponsor Deadline: Tuesday, Jan. 14
In requesting to be considered for this limited submission funding opportunity, you are making a commitment, if selected, to submit your proposal to the sponsor in a timely manner and to Sponsored Programs in accordance with the Proposal Submission Policy.