

## 2018 Pilot Project Program (PPP) - COVER PAGE FORM

**Submit this form with LOI by March 16, 5 PM to**

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1. **Register with the NNE-CTR Network.** This link [https://is.gd/nnectr\\_reg2](https://is.gd/nnectr_reg2) takes you directly to the registration form at the NNE-CTR website. Please check the box to indicate that you joined the Network

2. **Title** of the proposed research project?

3. **AWARD Category (yes/no in box):**

**Addiction  
Medicine/Science**

**All other applications**

**Rural Health Focus**

**Multi-disciplinary**

4. Please list **Key Personnel**, expanding the boxes as needed. Identify New (N), Early Stage (ES)

Investigator Name & Degree(s) (e.g., Jayne P. Smith, MD, PhD) Discipline or Expertise	Project Role - PD/PI, Co-I, Mentor, Mentee, etc	Academic Position, Department or Division Institution (MMC, UVM, USM)

Note: A requirement is that at least one member of a team must hold a faculty or affiliate appointment. If junior faculty submitting application, list MENTOR information

5. **Overlap:** Do any of the investigators have current or pending awards for this or similar research projects?    yes    no

If yes, please provide the following:

Title	
Sponsor	
Project Period	
Annual Direct Cost	

Note: It is required that proposed research must be distinct from current funding; the PPP can be a new direction. Please indicate NONE or clarify in the box below, the distinction of the PPP from current funding

6. Will **regulatory approvals** be necessary? Approvals do not need to be in place at time of application, but must be submitted to governing agencies within 30 days of Notice of Grant Award. Applicants are strongly urged to consult with relevant NNE-CTR Cores for projects that will need **IRB, IBC and/or IACUC approvals**.

Human Subjects (IRB)	
Live Vertebrate Animals (IACUC)	
Human Embryonic Stem Cells	
Infectious Agents or Toxins (IBC Biohazard)	
Recombinant DNA (IBC Biohazards)	
Radioactive Substances, Lasers, and/or X-rays	
Hazardous Chemicals	
Human or simian cells, tissue, blood or body fluids	
Purchase of Genomic Arrays	

7. Will any **shared resources** be used? Research supported by these awards must utilize **NNE-CTR Core Facilities** on a preferential basis. Awarded funds cannot be used to support external services if these services are available at UVM, MMC, or USM.

Administrative Core	
Clinical Research Design and Epidemiology	
Translational Research Technologies	
Rural Health Research and Delivery	
Professional Development	
Pilot Project Program	
Tracking and Evaluation Core	

8. Please provide an **Estimated Budget**. The Award is **up to** \$50,000.

9. **Lay Summary:** Please provide a three or four sentence description of the proposed research that summarizes the focus and relevance of the project to the NNE-CTR mission in non-scientific terms such that might be used for a general interest announcement. Note: NIGMS uses these statements.