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Please note, due to challenges around home-working and staffing, ICH Finance Team **will now require 7 working days to produce costings for any research**. To ensure that an application for COVID-19 research is prioritised, please put COVID-19 and the deadline into all relevant email subject communications.

Check out regular updates from UCL Research Services on major research funder's guidance on COVID-19 and advice for researchers <https://www.ucl.ac.uk/research-services/news/2020/may/covid-19-impact-research-funding>

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GREAT ORMOND STREET HOSPITAL CHARITY



[GOSH Charity and Sparks National Funding 2020/2021](#)

Deadline (outline): 19 August 2020

Applications are invited for paediatric health research studies focusing on complex or rare diseases.

Funding of max £250,000 for 3 years is available to cover research assistance and consumables, but will not cover consultant programmed activities, the salary-time of the PI or PhD studentships.

All projects must aim to improve understanding of the disease or associated conditions or to improve outcomes for the affected child, as well as research aligned to this year's research partner (Acrodysostosis Support and Research, Dravet Syndrome UK, Krabbe UK and the Myotubular Trust.) interests.



Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council

[Transformative Healthcare Technologies 2.0](#)

This call aims to bring together the 'Healthcare' community through adventurous and novel multi-disciplinary/interdisciplinary research and innovation drawing on novel Engineering, Physical Sciences, Mathematical Sciences and ICT to deliver technologies that will impact and transform healthcare by the year 2050.

EPSRC are also inviting interested applicants to attend a virtual engagement event which takes place on **16 September 2020**. To secure your place, please [submit an EOJ](#) by no later than **30 July 2020**.

NIHR | National Institute for Health Research

[COVID-19: Recovery and Learning](#)

Deadlines: 23 June or 14 July 2020

Applications to better understand and manage the health and social care consequences of the global COVID-19 pandemic beyond the acute phase. Most NIHR programmes are accepting applications for this call (EME, HSDR, RfPB etc).

[PRP Recovery, Renewal, Reset: Research to inform policy responses to COVID-19 in the health and social care systems](#)

Deadlines: 16 July, 10 September, 22 October 2020

The NIHR Policy Research Programme invites applications for research to inform the policy response to challenges posed by COVID-19; and to capture learning arising from the pandemic.

[Evidence Synthesis Programme Grant Scheme 2020](#)

Deadline: 12 October 2020

Grants up to £100,000 for an 18-month project supporting a programme of work that includes both new reviews; updating of existing reviews; a suite of methodologically complex reviews; and reviews that demonstrate meeting a clear NHS and social care need. Reviews on the integration between the NHS and social care services are highly encouraged.



Medical Research Council

[Clinical Academic Research Partnerships—Round 3](#)

Pre-Call Announcement

Opens: 7 August 2020; Deadline: 29 October 2020

Please contact Grants.Advice@gosh.nhs.uk to express your interest in the first instance, as there is likely to be an internal review process to ensure best support for applications put forward.

This is a Pre-Call Announcement for the 3rd Round of CARPs—a new scheme open to clinical staff at consultant level or equivalent with a PhD or MD who are not undertaking any substantive research activity but, wish to develop their research interests across all MRC and NIHR remits through collaborative high-quality research partnerships with established leading biomedical and health researchers.

Eligible applicants are members of NHS staff, staff contracted to the NHS or working within the public health or care sector. This includes, but is not exclusive to doctors, dentists, nurses, midwives, allied health professions, healthcare scientists, pharmacists, clinical psychologists, registered public health practitioners and others, in either primary care, secondary care, community care or public health.

Awards will be a minimum of one year and maximum of three years in duration. Each award will support between 20-50% of the applicant's basic salary to support protected research time, and costs for consumables to undertake the project. No additional support for salaries may be requested.



[British Academy Funding Call for Knowledge Frontiers: International Interdisciplinary Research Projects 2021](#)

Deadline: 21 October 2020

Funding available to UK-based social sciences and humanities researchers to develop to develop international interdisciplinary research projects, in collaboration with colleagues from the natural, engineering and/or medical sciences.

Awards are available for up to £200,000 for 24 months in duration .



[COVID-19 Research Programme](#)

Deadline: Rolling basis until 30 September 2020

Funding of between £100–£200k is available for projects of up to 12 months seeking to understand the impact of COVID-19 in the UK. The programme has two main areas of focus; service change in the health and social care system and health inequalities.



Medical Research Council

[Biomedical Catalyst: DPFS outline](#)

Deadline: 22 July 2020

Improving prevention, diagnosis, prognosis, or treatment of significant health needs, or increasing the efficiency of developing interventions.

[Joint Global Health Trials \(JGHT\) Call 11](#) **Deadline: 8 October 2020**

Research that addresses the health problems affecting low LMICs by funding definitive trials that are likely to produce implementable and generalisable results to change policy and practice.

Please ensure you acknowledge the BRC in your publications! NIHR Great Ormond Street Hospital Biomedical Research Centre (BRC) has provided important infrastructure funding for research at the Great Ormond Street Institute of Child Health (ICH) and Great Ormond Street Hospital (GOSH), since we were first awarded BRC-status in 2007. This research infrastructure contributes to all research that goes on at the ICH and GOSH, and it is very important that it is acknowledged in all our publications, including conference and meeting abstracts. Full details of how to acknowledge the BRC can be found [here](#).

Useful contacts

Project registration and pre-award queries: email Ellen or call x2684 or visit <https://www.gosh.nhs.uk/ResearchRegistration>

Grants Advice Service For support with grant applications email Grants Advice, call Peter x42199 or Valerie x42705 or visit <https://www.gosh.nhs.uk/Grants-Advice>

Clinical Research Adoptions Committee (CRAC): visit <https://www.gosh.nhs.uk/CRAC>

Research Governance enquiries (incl. ethics, R&D approvals and research passports) email Research Governance

Commercial Contracts and Industry collaborations email Vanshree Patel or call x42271 or email UCLB Senior Business Manager David Philllips or Business Manager Dominik Leisi

Patient Public Involvement (PPI) Support: email research.ppi@gosh.nhs.uk

Find other contacts on our website: <https://www.gosh.nhs.uk/Grants-Advice>