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Subject: DoD Psychological Health and Traumatic Brain Injury Funding Opportunity

The Fiscal Year 2009 (FY09) Defense Appropriations Act provides \$40.6 million to the Defense Centers of Excellence for Psychological Health and Traumatic Brain Injury (DCoE) to promote research that will advance the prevention, detection, diagnosis, and treatment of military-relevant PH issues and TBI. Funding will be focused on innovative projects that have the potential to make a significant near-term impact on improving the function, wellness, and overall quality of life for warriors, Veterans, families, caregivers, and communities. Proposals involving multidisciplinary collaborations among academia, industry, the military Services, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and other Federal Government agencies are highly encouraged.

Submission Deadlines:

Concept Award

Pre-Application Letter of Intent: August 21, 2009
Proposal: August 28, 2009

Advanced Technology/Therapeutic Development Award

Pre-Application Letter of Intent: August 14, 2009
Proposal: October 28, 2009

Investigator-Initiated Research Award

Pre-Application Letter of Intent: August 14, 2009
Proposal: October 28, 2009

Please visit <http://cdmrp.army.mil> for more information.

As of 2007, proposals requesting funding from the CDMRP have been submitted through the Federal Government's single entry portal, Grants.gov, in compliance with Public Law 106-107. Individual program announcements and required forms can be found on the Grants.gov website. Pre-applications are required and must be submitted through the CDMRP eReceipt website, <<https://cdmrp.org>>, prior to proposal submission to Grants.gov.

New for 2008 - In order to clarify the CDMRP Program Announcements and proposal submission process, CDMRP has divided these documents into the following:

- 1) Program Announcement - contains all program information, scientific proposal components, and peer review criteria.
- 2) Application Instructions - contains instructions and detailed information on all pre-application and proposal requirements, including

directions for Grants.gov submissions. This document also contains Regulatory Requirements and Award Administration information.

Each Application Instruction document will only apply to the specific award mechanism listed; however this document is intended to be utilized in conjunction with the PA.