

Applicants Sought for the K12 Mentored Research Career Development Program In Clinical and Translational Science

IMPORTANT DATES:

Competitive Letters of Intent/Aims Page due	January 27, 2025 by 5:00 pm
Invitations to Apply	February 3, 2025
Applications due	March 31, 2025 by 5:00 pm

The **Institute for Clinical and Translational Science (ICTS)** at the University of Iowa is soliciting applications for the K12 Mentored Research Career Development Program. The ICTS will have (at least) four new three-year K12 Scholar positions available starting the spring of 2025 (**3rd year guaranteed by your department**). Competitive Letters of Intent, including a draft of the aims page are due Monday, January 27, 2025. Submitting a biosketch is optional but highly recommended. Please send Letters of Intent to jamie-thrams@uiowa.edu.

The K12 program targets early career faculty who have a professional doctoral degree or individuals who are completing postdoctoral training with an impending academic appointment. Qualified candidates will hold a doctoral health professional degree (MD, PhD, or equivalent degree) and have keen interest in careers that focus on clinical and/or translational research. Applicants are sought from all colleges at the University of Iowa. All applicants must hold or be guaranteed an assistant faculty position at one of these colleges that is not contingent on receiving a K12 award.

K12 Scholars are selected on a competitive basis and will embark on a 3-year program of intensive training in clinical and/or translational science research, combining an innovative educational program with mentored clinical/translational science research. Thus, early career faculty from diverse groups including physicians, epidemiologists, behavioral scientists, biostatisticians, pharmacologists, dentists, nurses, psychologists, engineers, and others are sought.

A minimum of 75% effort is **required** for each year of participation, with the exception of surgery specialties, which must meet a minimum 50% effort on the K12. Successful candidates will receive up to \$90,000/year or 75% of their institutional base salary (whichever is less) plus fringe, as well as \$10,000/year in research support. Completion of the program will uniquely position each K12 Scholar for a leadership role as an independent clinical/translational science investigator in academic medicine, industry, or government.

For further information about the process and eligibility please visit:

<https://icts.uiowa.edu/workforce-development/K12-scholars-program>. For questions on the program or application, please contact Jamie-thrams@uiowa.edu.

If a candidate has already applied for another career development award (including a Federal K) please consult with the K12 staff regarding the timing of submissions.

Applicants must be U.S. Citizens or have permanent resident status to be eligible for NIH funding. ICTS is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer.