



CAPS NEWS DECEMBER 2020

UT-AUSTIN, Center on Aging & Population Sciences (CAPS) is accepting pilot project funding applications under the unifying theme of *Aging and Health Disparities*. Proposals will be given priority that strengthen UT research in the areas of:

- Life course precursors of later life health and well-being
- Family demography, social engagement, and social isolation
- Place and health including neighborhoods, geographic region, and other indicators of place

We expect to support 4-5 projects with budgets up to \$40K for 2021-22. Applications are due January 22, 2021. To apply: <http://sites.utexas.edu/prc/files/CAPS-Call-for-Pilot-Projects-2020.pdf>

A friendly reminder you should acknowledge both CAPS and the PRC if your affiliation contributed to the work in any way, by providing office or meeting space, intellectual community, administrative or computer support, or statistical/technical advice.

Important Grant Numbers

Center on Aging and Population Sciences (P30 center grant), P30AG066614, NIA

Population Research Center (P2C center grant), P2CHD042849, NICHD

SAVE THE DATE FOR SPRING TALKS ON AGING

[Jennifer Karas Montez, Syracuse University, January 22, noon CST](#)

[Jill Suitor, Purdue University, February 1, noon CST](#)

[Karen D. Lincoln, University of Southern California, April 30, noon CST](#)

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH OTHER P30 NIA CENTERS ON AGING

The Michigan Center for Contextual Factors in Alzheimer's Disease (MCCFAD), a National Institute on Aging funded Alzheimer's Disease-related Resource Center for Minority Aging Research (AD-RCMAR), announces the 2021 research career enrichment program involving seminar participation and mentoring in AD-relevant research. We invite applications from those interested in enhancing their knowledge of contextual factors in Alzheimer's disease and related dementias (ADRD). Funds are available for investigator-initiated research projects that support the development of independent NIH-funded projects. Proposals with high likelihood of advancing research on ADRD disparities, especially among Arab Americans and Latinos, are particularly encouraged.

Three proposals will be selected to receive funds of up to \$30,000 for one year with the grant period beginning on July 1, 2021.

Please see the [announcement](#) for full details. Completed applications, and budget should be emailed as

a single pdf attachment to mccfad.isr@umich.edu by 11:59pm on January 11, 2021. If you have questions, please email mccfad.isr@umich.edu. Thank you!

The Hopkins' Economics of Alzheimer's Disease & Services (HEADS) Center is pleased to issue a call for 2021-2022 pilot study proposals.

Pilot Proposal Guidelines (Pilot 2021-2022)

Application Deadline: February 1, 2021 11:59 PM (EST)

The Hopkins' Economics of Alzheimer's Disease & Services (HEADS) Center stimulates and coalesces population-based research that identifies, quantifies, and addresses economic and care systems challenges posed by Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias (ADRD).

We invite applications for pilot grants related to our two themes:

To identify and quantify the range of care needs of persons with ADRD and the economic consequences of ADRD for patients and families.

To examine how the organization, financing, and delivery of services affects accessibility, affordability, quality, and equity of ADRD care.

We expect to award 4 one-year pilot grants of up to \$25,000 per award in the coming 2021-2022 cycle. We are particularly interested in supporting promising post-doctoral fellows and junior faculty, but applicants may be of any rank from Johns Hopkins University and external institutions.

Please see the attached RFA and click on the link to our website below for full details and application instructions.

Applicants will be notified of funding decisions on or around April 1, 2021.

<https://www.jhsph.edu/departments/health-policy-and-management/research-centers-and-institutes/hopkins-economics-of-alzheimers-disease-and-services-center/research-projects/Request%20for%20Applications.html>

The Center for Sociodemographic and Economic Study of Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias (CeASES ADRD) welcomes two distinguished scholars to serve on our advisory board, Jennifer Manly, PhD, Columbia University and Hector M. González, PhD, University of California, San Diego.

CeASES ADRD is also pleased to announce our 2021/22 pilot program application is now open. We invite proposals related to our research themes (see full announcement) from *scholars at all stages* in their career.

Four proposals will be selected to receive up to **\$30,000 total** (direct and indirect) for one year beginning July 1, 2021.

Please see [announcement](#) for full details and research themes. Applications must be submitted [online](#) no later than **5:00pm Pacific on February 5, 2021**. We invite you to distribute this announcement widely. Direct questions to Dr. Johanna Thunell, jthunell@usc.edu.

SAVE THE DATE FOR WORKSHOP ON: Science of Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias for Social Scientists: February 23-24, 2021 [DRAFT AGENDA](#)

Hosted by the Center for Advancing Sociodemographic and Economic Study of ADRD (CeASES-ADRD) at USC Schaeffer Center for Health Policy and Economics

We wish everyone a restful winter break and happy holidays!

Center on Aging and Population Sciences
The University of Texas at Austin