Funding Available to Develop Research Pilot Projects on Environmental Determinants of Human Disease
Deadline for Proposals: Monday, 3/6/2017, 5 p.m.

Projects should involve studies aimed at improving our understanding of the environmental and genetic determinants of human disease. The CEHS Pilot Projects Program encourages new and creative research approaches, providing short-term funding to collect preliminary data or demonstrate feasibility of an idea, in order to strengthen a grant proposal to outside funding sources. Targeted projects include those of:

- Young investigators who are starting to develop a research program in an area of environmental health research of relevance to the CEHS, or
- Established investigators in other research areas, who have an interest in applying their expertise to a CEHS-related area, or
- Established investigators who are interested in pursuing an innovative line of CEHS-related collaborative research, and those that
- Use CEHS Facility Cores and Collaboration with Community Outreach and Engagement Core (COEC)

Members of the CEHS and other faculty from UNC-CH’s Schools of Public Health, Medicine, Pharmacy, Nursing, Dentistry, and Arts and Sciences (Biology and Chemistry) are eligible. Faculty outside the CEHS (non-members) may apply but must have a CEHS member as a collaborator to become eligible.

CEHS will award up to five grants of $30,000 each. Funding for these awards is made possible by support from the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS): P30ES010126.

Guidelines for applicants, cover-page form, list of CEHS members, and further information: http://sph.unc.edu/cehs

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