

COGNITIVE DEFICITS AND MOOD DISORDERS IN PARKINSON'S DISEASE PRE-PROPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS & REQUIREMENTS

Submitting a Pre-Proposal

Prospective applicants must submit a pre-proposal by **February 13, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. U.S. Eastern Time**. All *pre-proposals must be submitted online* through the following link https://www.GrantRequest.com/SID_592?SA=SNA&FID=35039 also provided on the MJFF website (www.michaeljfox.org). Please refer to the "Pre-Proposal Requirements" below for the information you will need when submitting online. To access the MJFF online pre-proposal form, please click on the above link to "Cognitive Deficits and Mood Disorders in Parkinson's Disease" and either create a user account or sign in to your existing account. Please retain your username and password because MJFF does not have access to this information.

Pre-proposals are mandatory - all pre-proposals received in response to MJFF RFAs will be subjected to a triage process and only those pre-proposals deemed to be of suitable scientific merit will be invited to submit a full application. The pre-proposal should not include figures or basic information, such as a description of Parkinson's disease.

All pre-proposals are treated with confidentiality by MJFF and its reviewers. Only applicants whose pre-proposals are determined to be within program scope and intent will be invited to submit full applications. In order to expedite the review process, we will be unable to provide written critiques for pre-proposals for individuals not invited to the full application stage.

Cognitive Deficits and Mood Disorders in Parkinson's Disease– Pre-Proposal Requirements

These requirements are available for your reference before you log in to the online system. Once you begin a pre-proposal you may save and return to it before submission. Please note that pre-proposals will only be accepted online.

Information Required:

- PI Contact Information (Institution, Mailing Address, Email, Phone)
- CoPI and/or Collaborator (if any) Contact Information (Label – CoPI, Collaborator, Consultant, etc., Paid, Unpaid, Institution, Mailing Address, Email, Phone)
- Project Duration (Three year maximum)
- Project Budget – There is no budget maximum for this program. Applicants may request a project period of up to three years. Budgets should be reasonable for the work proposed. Indirect costs are allowed in addition to direct costs, at a rate of up to 25% of direct costs)
- Proposal Abstract (300 word limit)
- Specific Aims of Project (300 word limit)
- Impact on understanding and treatment of cognitive/behavioral alterations in Parkinson's disease patients (300 word limit)

Please Note:

- Symbols do not transfer correctly from our online system. Please make sure to spell out any symbols in your pre-proposal. For example, please type out alpha-synuclein.
- Please type your login email address correctly otherwise you may not receive important information regarding your submission, or be able to access your account.