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NINCDS STROKE AND TRAUMA PROGRAM
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ANNOUNCEMENT

The Stroke and Trauma Program of the National Institute of Neurological and Communicative Disorders and Stroke is encouraging the submission of applications for institutional grants for research training in the fields of central nervous system regeneration and/or plasticity in response to injury. Post-doctoral training is being encouraged to help meet the needs of NINCDS-supported programs in these research areas. Examples of appropriate areas of research training are: axoplasmic flow, nerve growth factor, neurotrophism, collateral sprouting, synaptogenesis, neuroplasticity in response to injury, and others.

Applicant institutions must have an active program in CNS regeneration and/or plasticity research, under the leadership of scientists qualified and willing to offer and direct postdoctoral research training. Funds are available for trainee stipends and for support of institutional training resources. Trainees may be supported for one to three years. Stipend levels will be dependent upon the trainee's number of years of postdoctoral training and experience. A maximum of three new trainees may be appointed each year.

Applications should be submitted in accordance with the standard NIH forms, procedures, and schedules. Each application will be reviewed on its scientific merit in competition for available funds. Specific information is provided in the *NIH Guide for Grants and Contracts*, Vol. 6, No. 20, November 14, 1977, pp. 1-5 plus attachments.

Inquiries about the scientific or programmatic aspects of the training program should be directed to the Stroke and Trauma Program, National Institute of Neurological and Communicative Disorders and Stroke, Room 8A13, Federal Building, 7550 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, Maryland 20014, telephone (301) 496-4226. Inquiries regarding application procedure and requests for application forms should be directed to the Assistant Director for Manpower Programs, EAP, NINCDS, Room 1020A, Federal Building, 7550 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, Maryland 20014, telephone (301) 496-9236.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The Stroke and Trauma Program of the National Institute of Neurological and Communicative Disorders and Stroke is encouraging the submission of applications for institutional grants for training in the clinical research fields of the cerebrovascular disorders, head and spinal cord injury, and/or coma. Clinical research training is being encouraged to help meet the needs of NINCDS-supported programs in these research areas, and to increase the opportunities for participation in stroke and trauma clinical research by clinically qualified persons.

Applicant institutions must have an active clinical research program in one or more of the named fields under the leadership of scientists qualified and willing to offer and direct appropriate clinical research training. Funds are available for trainee stipends and for support of institutional training resources. Trainees may be supported for one or two years of research training. Each trainee must have completed at least two years of clinical training in a relevant clinical field (e.g. neurology, neurosurgery, neuropathology, neuroradiology) before being eligible for stipend support. The level of stipend support is dependent upon the trainee's number of years of postdoctoral training and experience. A maximum of three new trainees may be appointed each year.

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