

New Funding Opportunity

Weston Family Microbiome Initiative Proof of Principle 2020

Lifestyle Approaches

Up to \$ 200,000 over a maximum of 24 months

Seed funding for high-risk, high-reward translational research that leverages the microbiome to improve health

ELIGIBILITY

Lead Applicant must be:

- At or above the level of assistant professor.
- At a CRA qualified institution located in Canada.

The Project must:

- Establish an innovative line of **translational or implementation research** and provide **proof-of-principle** evidence in support of new health applications.
- Work towards a recommendation, intervention or preventative strategy that improves health by leveraging the microbiome.
- Focus on eligible research surrounding the application of **lifestyle approaches** in microbiome health.
- Applicants may submit one (1) proposal as a principal applicant to either stream.

PROGRAM FOCUS

Translational Research

Implementation Studies

*See Program Details for definitions

IMPORTANT DATES

Webinar: January 7th, 9th, 2020

LOI Deadline: January 21st, 2020

Proposal Deadline: April 7th, 2020

Award Announcement: May, 2020

For more information and to submit applications please contact
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