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## **‘RESEARCH FUNDING UPDATE’ – Projects and Programmes 27 March 2012**

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#### [NIHR Healthcare Technology Co-operatives competition](#)

The NIHR invites applications for a two-stage competition to designate and fund Healthcare Technology Co-operatives (HTCs). This scheme will provide funding for NHS Organisations to act as centres of expertise to develop new concepts, demonstrate proof of principle and devise research protocols for new medical devices, healthcare technologies or technology-dependent interventions. NIHR HTCs will address clinical areas or themes of high morbidity and unmet need for NHS patients and healthcare technology users, which have not benefited from a high degree of innovation.

A briefing meeting for potential applicants will be held on the 29 February 2012.

The closing date for submission of the Pre-Qualifying Questionnaire by NHS Trusts in England is 19 April 2012.

<http://www.ccf.nihr.ac.uk/Pages/HTCCompetition.aspx>

#### [NIHR Public Health Research – Commissioned Research](#)

The NIHR Public Health Research (PHR) programme invites research proposals in the following areas:

- Creative enterprises in open access settings
- Newly licensed drivers

Closing date: 23 April 2012 Outline applications Deadline time 1pm

<http://www.phr.nihr.ac.uk/fundingopportunities/commissioned.asp>

[NIHR Research Design Service – 2012 Competition](#)

The NIHR is inviting applications from organisations with proven expertise in research methodology and design to provide NIHR Research Design Services.

The NIHR Research Design Service aims to provide advice and support on research design, methodology and scope to increase the number and proportion of applications for NIHR research funding that are high quality. There will be up to ten regional Research Design Service offices. The total value of each contract will normally be up to £1m annually for up to five years from October 2013.

The closing date for applications is 1 June 2012

Link to Page: <http://www.ccf.nihr.ac.uk/Pages/rdscompetition.aspx>

## New Projects

**There are no new project opportunities since the last update**

## New Programmes

**There are no new programme opportunities since the last update**

## Projects

### National Eye Research Centre

#### Project Grant

Applications will be considered in open competition for both PhD Studentships and Project Grants up to £60,000 over 3 years. Awards will be subject to peer review and the availability of funds.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: 15 January 2013

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=222>

### Kids Kidney Research

#### Research Grants

The maximum research project grant available is £100k. The grant should be spread over a two or three year period, unless agreed otherwise.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: 31 December 2012

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=772>

### British Heart Foundation

#### Special Project Grants

Up to 5 years, with an interim review at the half way point. Award may include Staff salaries. For example: technician; research assistant; postdoctoral salaries. This excludes PhD studentships. Research consumables, directly attributable to the project Research equipment essential for the project

Amount of funding available: Unspecified

Closing date: 25 December 2012

Duration: > 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=16542>

[British Association of Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons  
Paton/Masser Memorial Fund](#)

A total sum of £5,000 is available annually.

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: 10 December 2012

Duration: Single Payment

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=3449>

[British Contact Lens Association \(BCLA\)  
Dallos Award](#)

Seventy per cent (70%) of the award (£5,600) will be paid to the successful applicant(s) on winning the award The balance will be paid only when the manuscript has been accepted by the Journal Editor for publication in Contact Lens and Anterior Eye.

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: 01 November 2012

Duration: 6 months - 1 year <http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=3464>

[National Institute for Health Research Evaluation, Trials and Studies Coordinating Centre \(NETSCC\)  
HTA Programme](#)

Amount of funding available: unspecified

Closing date: 01 October 2012

Duration: unspecified <http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=7786>

[National Institute for Health Research Evaluation, Trials and Studies Coordinating Centre \(NETSCC\)  
HTA Programme Primary Research](#)

Amount of funding available: unspecified

Closing date: 01 October 2012

Duration: unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1281>

[Children Living with Inherited Metabolic Diseases - \(Climb\)  
Research Grants](#)

Grants are likely to be up to a maximum of £15,000 and Climb is unlikely to fund salaries at a senior level.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: 01 October 2012

Duration: 1 year - 3 years <http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=279>

[European Crohn's & Colitis Organisation  
ECCO Grants](#)

A total amount of 15,000 Euro (approx £13,100) will be awarded per ECCO Grant.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: 01 October 2012

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListCharityDetails.asp?CharityID=2253>

[European Society of Anaesthesiology  
Research Grants Programme](#)

Applications are sought for the following: \* Project grants of up to 60,000 Euro each, to support work of up to two years duration. \* Research support grants for amounts up to 15,000 Euro to assist work in progress or pilot studies.

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Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: 04 September 2012

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=11987>

[NERC - \(Natural Environment Research Council\)](#)

[Small Research Grants](#)

The maximum funding that may be sought is £65,000 for the total fEC. This limit applies to the total (100%) of the full economic cost of which NERC will fund 80%.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: 01 September 2012

Duration: unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=2960>

[British Thyroid Foundation](#)

[British Thyroid Foundation Research Awards](#)

Two one year awards of up to £10,000 each.

Amount of funding available: £5K - £10K

Closing date: 31 August 2012

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4046>

[Heart Research UK](#)

[Healthy Heart Grants](#)

Up to £10,000.

Amount of funding available: £5K - £10K

Closing date: 31 August 2012

Duration: unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=6654>

[BUPA Foundation](#)

[Philip Poole-Wilson Seed Corn Fund](#)

The seed corn fund has a total of £200,000 per annum to provide individual seed corn grants of up to £20,000 per proposal. It is expected that activities funded would be completed within a year.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: 03 August 2012

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=14399>

[Hospital Infection Society](#)

[Small Research Grant](#)

Up to £5,000.

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: 31 July 2012

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

[Wellcome Trust](#)

[Translation Awards](#)

Providing it is adequately justified, modest equipment purchase and maintenance costs may be included in a Translational Award application. Building or refurbishment expenditure will not normally be considered.

Applications may not include requests for academic institutional overheads. Salaries may not be re-charged. Awards will normally be for periods of two to three years.

Amount of funding available: unspecified

Closing date: 20 July 2012

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

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<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=5884>

[NERC - \(Natural Environment Research Council\)](#)

[Standard Research Grants](#)

Grants are for a minimum of £25,000 for directly incurred costs (total of costs under this heading).

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: 01 July 2012

Duration: unspecified

<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=2961>

[Heart Research UK](#)

[Translational Research Project Grants](#)

The maximum grant awarded is £150,000.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: 01 July 2012

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=7921>

[Royal College of General Practitioners](#)

[Scientific Foundation Board Grants - Large](#)

The maximum award for any single study is now £20,000.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: 30 June 2012

Duration: Unspecified

<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=281>

[Alzheimer's Society](#)

[Project Grants](#)

Amount of funding available: unspecified.

Closing date: 29 June 2012

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1637>

**[Projects \(Apply anytime\)](#)**

[AERC - \(Alcohol Education and Research Council\)](#)

[Small Grants](#)

Up to £5,000 each.

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=5883>

[AHRC - \(Arts and Humanities Research Council\)](#)

[Research Grants - Route for Early Career Researchers](#)

Between £20,000 and £200,000 is available for up to 5 years.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: > 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9694>

[AHRC - \(Arts and Humanities Research Council\)](#)

[Research Grants - Standard Route](#)

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Between £20,000 and £1,000,000 is available for up to 5 years.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: > 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9693>

[Alzheimer's Society](#)

[Cochrane Review Special Project Grants](#)

Awards are around £5000. Eligible costs include obtaining papers, hand searching of journals, translation, the costs of working for short periods at the editorial base in Oxford, and the costs of locum cover (where appropriate).

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Single Payment

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=5973>

[Arthritis Research UK](#)

[Clinical Studies Pilot/Feasibility/Grants](#)

Details of funding are not specified.

Amount of funding available: unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.co.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13985>

[Ataxia -Telangiectasia Society](#)

[Project Grant](#)

Amount of funding available: unspecified.

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=2894>

[Barts and the London Charity](#)

[Small Project Grants](#)

Funding will be up to £20,000.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=12699>

[Barts and the London Charity](#)

[Project Grants \(Themed Grants Programme\)](#)

Funding will be from £20,000 - £400,000.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=12703>

[BBSRC - \(Biotechnology & Biological Sciences Research Council\)](#)

[New Investigators Scheme](#)

The amount of funding available is unspecified.

Amount of funding available: Unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=2169>

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[Big Lottery Fund](#)

[Awards for All](#)

England - grants between £300 - £10,000 Northern Ireland - grants between £500 - £10,000 Scotland - grants between £500 - £10,000 Wales - grants between £500 - £5,000

Amount of funding available: £5K - £10K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=824>

[Big Lottery Fund](#)

[Reaching Communities: England](#)

The budget for Reaching Communities is £80 million, an increase of £20 million on the budget for 2009 – 2010. They will fund projects for up to five years.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: > 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13495>

[BJU International](#)

[BJUI Overseas Clinical Research Award](#)

A budget of £50,000 is available for the project, with up to an additional £10,000 available for family travel and subsistence. The bursaries for urological trainees will provide around £1,200 per month.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=12140>

[Blackie Foundation Trust](#)

[Research Grants](#)

The amount of funding available is unspecified.

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=998>

[British Dietetic Association](#)

[Small Grants](#)

Up to £50,000.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=2521>

[British Heart Foundation](#)

[Strategic Initiative Scheme](#)

Unspecified.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: > 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13244>

[British Heart Foundation](#)

[Infrastructure Grants](#)

Up to £500,000.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

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Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9599>

[British Heart Foundation](#)

[New Horizons Programmes](#)

One-off grants of up to £300,000 and not more than three years' duration.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9595>

[British Heart Foundation](#)

[Project Grants](#)

Award may include: Staff (e.g. technician, research assistant, postdoctoral salaries) (N.B. excluding PhD studentships); Research consumables, directly attributable to the project; Research equipment essential for the project. Due to financial constraints the committee will only consider applications that do not exceed £300,000.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=54>

[British Tinnitus Association](#)

[Research Grants](#)

Funding is variable. Please contact the Association for further information. Amount if funding available:

Unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13777>

[Children's Liver Disease Foundation](#)

[Small Grants Research Programme](#)

£20,000 per annum will be made available. The money will be distributed quarterly with a maximum of £5,000 being awarded in any one quarter.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=11263>

[Chronic Disease Research Foundation](#)

[Project Grant](#)

Amount of funding available is unspecified.

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=2995>

[Cure Parkinson's Trust](#)

[Laboratory or Clinical Research Projects](#)

Amount of funding available: unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.co.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=15495>

[Deafness Research UK](#)

[Small Grants](#)

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Less than £15,000.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=159>

### [Diabetes UK](#)

#### [Small Grant Scheme](#)

A small grant offers a maximum of £15,000 under this scheme. Support is typically requested for up to one year; however, longer periods of time may be requested if scientifically justified.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1386>

### [Dunhill Medical Trust](#)

#### [Research Grant](#)

Research grants are normally within the range £10k to £500k.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=112>

### [Dunhill Medical Trust](#)

#### [Serendipity Awards](#)

The Trustees do not place definite limits on the funding of Serendipity Awards but expect most awards to be in the region of £10,000 – £50,000 per annum. Awards will be made for up to 18 months in the first instance. In cases where outstanding progress has been made, there may be an opportunity to extend this to a maximum of 3 years.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=11458>

### [EPSRC - \(Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council\)](#)

#### [Discipline Hopping in Information and Communication Technologies](#)

While there is no limit on the amount that can be applied for, proposals should be between 3 and 12 months in duration. The awards may be held on a part time basis for a maximum of 24 months. Resources requested will principally include salary, travel and subsistence, plus any funds that are required towards the study of feasibility type research. Under FEC, EPSRC will pay the full cost of the PI salary (including estates and indirect costs).

Amount of funding available: Unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=11775>

### [EPSRC - \(Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council\)](#)

#### [Network Grants](#)

There is no limit on the amount of funding that can be applied for, although the network should last for no longer than three years and funding will not be renewed beyond the original length of the grant. Please see their website for full details.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1446>

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[ESRC - \(Economic and Social Research Council\)  
Research Grants \(Standard Grants Scheme\)](#)

Funding awards of more than £100,000 (100% FEC).

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: > 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=653>

[ESRC - \(Economic and Social Research Council\)  
Bilateral Agreements](#)

Funded projects will be managed in accordance with the normal rules and procedures of each funding agency.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=8510>

[Eurostars  
Eurostars Programme](#)

Eurostars projects will be funded primarily through national funding schemes. The amount of funding and costs eligible for funding will follow national rules and procedures. It may therefore vary between Eurostars member countries.

Amount of funding available: Unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=15249>

[Institution of Occupational Safety and Health \(IOSH\)  
IOSH Development Fund](#)

The granting of development funds by IOSH is a single-stage process and the awards granted to successful applications will normally be up to £5,000, though larger grants may be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Single Payment

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9023>

[Insulin Dependent Diabetes Trust \(IDDT\)  
General Research Awards](#)

Consideration given to applications for up to £30,000 for any one project, but are happy to consider joint funding.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4040>

[Joint Information Systems Committee  
Learning and Teaching Innovation Grants](#)

Funds of up to £50,000 for projects of one year duration are available.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13053>

[Laura Crane Trust](#)  
[Postdoctoral Research Grant](#)

Amount of funding available is up to £80,000 in total.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1998>

[Leverhulme Trust](#)  
[Standard Research Project Grants](#)

The great majority of awards involve a spend of up to £250,000 over a duration of two to three years. If compelling evidence is provided, awards may be made for sums between £250,000 and £500,000 for research over a period of up to five years.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: > 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1468>

[Low Syndrome Trust](#)  
[Call for Research Proposal in Low Syndrome](#)

Research funds are available of up to £80,000 in the first instance.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.co.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4032>

[ME Research UK](#)  
[Small Grants](#)

The amount of funding available is unspecified. Applications can include items of medical equipment, consumables associated with laboratory tests, or salaries.

Amount of funding available: Unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=6629>

[ME Research UK](#)  
[Larger Grants](#)

Projects up to a maximum £30,000. This limit may be exceeded in exceptional circumstances as determined by the trustees.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=6630>

[Melville Trust for Care and Cure of Cancer](#)  
[Funding Opportunities](#)

The Trust will make available money for general purposes, seed money and support for special projects, including technical assistance. Requests for programme-related investments (non-grant support such as loans - called PRIs) will also be considered. Support will typically be for one year, although multi-year requests will be considered.

Amount of funding available: unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=16268>

[Menieres Society  
Research Grants](#)

Proposals are invited up to the order of £100,000.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1321>

[MRC - Medical Research Council  
Alexander Fleming Dissemination Scheme](#)

Awards will be made to meet the costs of the dissemination activities and will be no greater than £30,000.

£10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13677>

[MRC - Medical Research Council  
Methodology Research Programme](#)

All proposals anticipating an MRC expenditure greater than £1.2 million should be discussed with the Programme Manager for MRP before submission.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=15820>

[Multiple Sclerosis Society  
MS Nurse Fund](#)

Partnership, pump priming grants. Induction training and support for the specialist. Amount of funding available is unspecified as each application is looked at on a case by case basis.

Amount of funding available: Unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1384>

[NERC - \(Natural Environment Research Council\)  
CONNECT Scheme - Connect A](#)

The maximum funding that may be sought is £4,000 for the total directly incurred costs. NERC pays the standard proportion of full economic costs

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Single Payment

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4565>

[NERC - \(Natural Environment Research Council\)](#)

[Consortium Grants](#)

The maximum limit on proposals is £3.7 million. This limit is on the total cost (100% full economic cost, including any project studentships and major facility costs such as ship time, air time) for up to five years. Proposals with a more modest budget are also encouraged.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: > 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=2962>

[Novartis AG](#)

[Novartis Venture Fund](#)

Amount of funding available is unspecified.

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4951>

[Private Physiotherapy Educational Foundation](#)

[Scheme A1: Research Awards \(Novice Researchers\)](#)

Up to £15,000.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=14197>

[Private Physiotherapy Educational Foundation](#)

[Scheme A2: Research Awards](#)

Up to £30,000.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=14199>

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[Research Awards](#)

Funding available dependent on the nature of the project. In addition the Trustees are committed to supporting a major research project annually in one particular field of disability/rehabilitation and this grant is circa £100,000.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=278>

[Resuscitation Council \(UK\)](#)

[Research Grants](#)

Research grants up to a maximum of £20,000 can be awarded for capital cost, data analysis and administrative support for research into the science and practice of resuscitation medicine.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4756>

[Royal Society](#)

[The Brian Mercer Feasibility Awards](#)

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Up to £30,000 (this figure includes VAT where applicable). Awards are not expected to exceed 12 months in duration.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9758>

#### [Science and Technology Facilities Council](#)

##### [Mini-IPS Scheme](#)

Up to £150,000

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 6 months - 1 year

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=14586>

#### [Sir Halley Stewart Trust](#)

##### [Project Grants](#)

The total grant budget for Financial Year 2009-10 is £800,000

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=335>

#### [Society of Orthopaedic Medicine](#)

##### [Research Grants](#)

Up to £5,000 per annum available

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Single Payment

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=5022>

#### [Society of Radiographers](#)

##### [CoR Research Fund](#)

Bids may be made up to £2,000 for small projects and up to £5,000 for one larger project. Bids exceeding this amount will be considered but the total of the bids accepted by the college cannot exceed £25,000.

Matched funding or other institutional funding would be advantageous.

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Single Payment

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=10131>

#### [Technology Strategy Board](#)

##### [Grant for Research and Development scheme](#)

The maximum funding available will be £25,000 for proof-of-market grants, £100,000 for proof-of-concept grants and £250,000 for development of prototype grants.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: unspecified

<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=16459>

#### [Thomas Pocklington Trust](#)

##### [General Research Proposals](#)

Each year they commit around £300,000 to fund social and public health research and development projects.

Amount of funding available: Unspecified

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Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=8738>

[UK Stem Cell Foundation](#)

[Translational Research Projects](#)

There is no set limit for funding.

Amount of funding available: Unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=15293>

[Wellcome Trust](#)

[Dissemination Awards in Biomedical Ethics](#)

Salaries and associated costs for research assistants and other project support staff are available.

Applicants may request a research leave award as part of the grant. Also available are funds to cover travel, equipment and other expenses essential for the dissemination activities. Dissemination grants will usually run for three to six months.

Amount of funding available: Unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: < 6 months

<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=10296>

[Wellcome Trust](#)

[Medical Humanities History of Medicine Research Expenses](#)

Funding may be provided for a maximum of two years. The normal maximum award payable to postdoctoral scholars is £5000. Individual researchers are limited to no more than two awards with a minimum interval of 12 months between the expiry date of the first grant and the start date of the second.

For self-funded doctoral students, the normal maximum award payable is £3000. Successful applicants are ineligible to apply for further support, as no more than one such award can be made. Funding may be provided for a maximum of two years. Awards provide a contribution towards expenses normally incurred in travelling to consult libraries or archives, and photocopying costs. They may include the costs of overseas visits. Support does not include university fees.

Amount of funding available: < £5K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Single Payment

<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4920>

[Wellcome Trust](#)

[Strategic Awards in Medical Humanities](#)

Awards are normally for five years and can provide funds for: - research staff - research expense - research leave - travel - training programmes - networking - public engagement activities. Limited capital building or refurbishment essential to the programme can also be requested. The support available can be tailored to the needs of individual groups with agreement from the Trust and might be justified in terms of the added value they will provide.

Amount of funding available: unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: > 3 years

<http://rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13921>

[Wellcome Trust](#)

[Strategic Translation Awards](#)

Awards will normally be for periods of two to three years, but can be longer in exceptional cases. Providing it is adequately justified, modest equipment purchase and maintenance costs may be included in an application. Building or refurbishment expenditure will not normally be considered.

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Amount of funding available: unspecified

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: 1 year - 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=16232>

### Wellcome Trust

#### Technology Transfer Strategic Translation Awards

Awards will normally be up to £500 000. Pilot projects will also be considered up to a maximum of £50 000.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: Apply Anytime

Duration: Unspecified

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=5885>

### Programmes

#### British Heart Foundation

##### Programme Grants

Award may include: Staff (e.g. technician, research assistant, postdoctoral salaries) (N.B. excluding PhD studentships); Research consumables, directly attributable to the project; Research equipment essential for the project.

Amount of funding available: > £100K

Closing date: 25 December 2012

Duration: > 3 years

<http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=57>

### Programmes (apply anytime)

**There are currently no relevant apply anytime opportunities for programmes**

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