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Research Funding Update:
Projects and Programmes, 3rd June 2011

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Amount of funding available: unspecified
Closing date: 27 July 2011
Duration: unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=12453

National Institute for Health Research Evaluation, Trials and Studies Coordinating Centre (NETSCC)
HTA Programme Clinical Evaluation and Trials
Amount of funding available: unspecified.
Closing date: 27 July 2011
Duration: unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9215
Public Health Research programme

The PHR programme evaluates public health interventions, providing new knowledge on the benefits, costs, acceptability and wider impacts of non-NHS interventions intended to improve the health of the public and reduce inequalities in health. The scope of the programme is multi-disciplinary and broad, covering a range of interventions that improve public health. Applicants are asked to submit an outline application for the above funding opportunity by **1pm on Monday 15 August 2011.**

http://www.phr.nihr.ac.uk/fundingopportunities/researcher_led.asp?src=NIHR_Mar11

NIHR Public Health Research programme - Road Safety: The Public Health Impact of decreasing the amount of Street Lighting

The Public Health Research (PHR) Programme invites proposals to evaluate the public health impact of decreasing the amount of street lighting. The UK has about 7.5 million streetlights, which cost up to £500 million per year. The cost of running and maintenance has risen significantly over the last five years. A number of local authorities are changing the provision of street lighting for financial reasons, often between midnight and 5am. In this call, the programme is interested in comparatively short studies. Applicants are invited to submit proposals for comparative short studies by **22 August 2011.**

PHR Programme - Road Safety: The Public Health Impact of Decreasing the amount of Street Lighting

http://www.phr.ac.uk/fundingopportunities/commissioned.asp

NIHR Clinical Lectureship - 2011

The NIHR Clinical Lectureships are specialty training posts that incorporate academic training. Clinical Lecturers (CLs) spend 50% of their time undertaking specialist clinical training and 50% undertaking research or educationalist training. CLs are aimed at those who are advanced in their specialty training, have completed a research doctorate or equivalent and show outstanding potential for continuing a career in academic medicine. The duration of a CL is for a maximum of 4 years or until CCT is reached, whichever is sooner. Alongside clinical training, CLs will be able to develop their academic skills and will be encouraged to apply for funding to support further postdoctoral or educationalist training. The 2011 NIHR Clinical Lectureship recruitment round is now open and will end on **31 March 2012.** Prospective applicants must contact the relevant Deanery in the first instance for further information on post availability and the recruitment process.

http://www.nihrtcc.nhs.uk/intetacatrain/clcr2011

New Projects

Wellcome Trust
Public Engagement People Awards

The awards are up to £30,000 for projects lasting a maximum of three years.

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

Closing date: 01 April 2012
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4952

**ESRC - (Economic and Social Research Council)**
**ORA Guidance - Open Research Area in Europe for the Social Sciences**
The following funding limits applied: - ANR €200,000 per year - DFG No maximum limit - ESRC A minimum of £100k and a maximum of £750,000 at 100% fEC (£600,000 at 80% fEC), per project - NWO Up to €250,000 per project. For full details of funding arrangements see their website.
Amount of funding available: > £100K
Closing date: 30 September 2011
Duration: unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=15460

**Alzheimer's Research UK**
**Emergency Support Grant Scheme**
The scheme provides up to £30,000 for up to 24 months. It is anticipated that most applications will be for smaller amounts than the maximum. Anyone contemplating an application in excess of this sum should first consult the Chief Executive, Rebecca Wood, and should also consider whether one of the ART's other grant schemes might be more suitable.
Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: Apply Anytime
Duration: unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=6316

**New Programmes**

**There have been no new programme funding opportunities**

**Projects**

**Heart Research UK**
**Novel and Emerging Technologies Grant**
The Novel and Emerging Technologies (NET) Grant will fund one project up to a maximum of £200,000.
Amount of funding available: > £100K
Closing date: 01 May 2012
Duration: unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=8946

**European Molecular Biology Organization (EMBO)**
**Young Investigator Programme**
Funding of €15,000 (£9,260) per year is available in member states that participate in this scheme. There is the possibility to obtain additional funds from a pool which,
for the time being, is provided by EMBO. Approximately €50,000 (32,971) can be distributed annually from this fund.

Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: 01 April 2012
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=2267

Kidney Research UK
Research Project Grants
The maximum research project grant available is £180,000 spread over a period up to three years.
Amount of funding available: > £100K
Closing date: 02 March 2012
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=463

Kidney Research UK
Innovation Grants
A maximum of £40,000 spread over a period of two years.
Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: 02 March 2012
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=7264

Foundation for the Sociology of Health and Illness (FSHI)
Research Initiation Grants
The sum awarded will be up to £10,000 based on actual expenditure relating to work specified in the application.
Amount of funding available: < £5K
Closing date: 01 March 2012
Duration: 6 months - 1 year
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=12158

NERC - (Natural Environment Research Council)
New Investigator Research Grants
The maximum funding that may be sought is £100,000 for the total Directly Incurred costs and in addition, NERC will pay the standard proportion of these and other grant costs. Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K
Closing date: 01 February 2012
Duration: Unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=10794

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 2012
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
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 2011
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=222

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 2011
Duration: Single Payment
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=3449

British Contact Lens Association (BCLA)
Dallos Award
An award of £5,000. Seventy per cent (£3,500) will be paid to the successful applicant(s) on winning the award. The balance will be presented at the annual conference of the BCLA at which the report on the project is presented.
Amount of funding available: < £5K
Closing date: 01 November 2011
Duration: 6 months - 1 year
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=3464

British Society for Antimicrobial Chemotherapy
Research Grants
Maximum value of £45,000 for projects of up to one-year duration.
Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: 01 November 2011
Duration: 6 months - 1 year
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1201

British Society for Antimicrobial Chemotherapy
Project Grants
Maximum of £10,000.
Amount of funding available: £5K - £10K
Closing date: 01 November 2011
Duration: 6 months - 1 year
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1450

British Society for Antimicrobial Chemotherapy
Educational Research Projects
Applications for projects with a spread of £5,000 - £30,000 of up to 1-year duration will be considered.
Great Britain-Sasakawa Foundation
Butterfield Awards for Medicine
A small number of awards of around £5,000 are offered annually. Proposals for continuous funding of up to £5,000 per annum, for a maximum of three years are acceptable. Applications for smaller - and, exceptionally, larger - sums can be considered. Substantial funds are also available for support of conferences and publications bringing together UK and Japanese expertise.
Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: 31 October 2011
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=3289

Children Living with Inherited Metabolic Diseases - (Climb)
Research Grants
Grants are likely to be up to a maximum of £15,000.
Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: 30 October 2011
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rrefund.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=279

Motor Neurone Disease Association
Research Project Grants
Applications should not exceed £85,000 per annum (and £255,000 in total over 3 years) without the prior agreement of the Association. Funding is available for salaries & laboratory consumables. Costs for equipment and travel expenses will be considered where they are necessary as an integral part of the project.
Amount of funding available: > £100K
Closing date: 21 October 2011
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rrefund.co.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=207

National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) - Central Commissioning Facility (CCF)
Programme Development Grants
Programme Development Grants will provide funding of £20k to £100k (over a period of 6 – 18 months).
Amount of funding available: > £100K
Closing date: 10 October 2011
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rrefund.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13536

European Crohn's & Colitis Organisation
ECCO Grants
A total amount of 15,000 Euro (approx £11,875) will be awarded per ECCO Grant.
Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: 01 October 2011
Duration: 6 months - 1 year
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=11981

National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) - Central Commissioning Facility (CCF)
Research for Patient Benefit (RfPB) Programme
Funds of up to £25 million each year will be available for the scheme, building up to that amount over the next three years as NHS R&D funding is transformed. Projects supported will normally be up to 36 months in duration with a total maximum cost of £250,000.
Amount of funding available: > £100K
Closing date: 23 September 2011
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9743

Royal National Institute for the Deaf (RNID)
Flexi Grant
Applications for smaller sums of money are encouraged within this scheme. Individual requests of up to a maximum of £5,000 will be considered. In exceptional circumstances, and only with our permission prior to submission, applications up to £10,000 may be considered.
Amount of funding available: £5K - £10K
Closing date: 05 September 2011
Duration: unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13381

AERC - (Alcohol Education and Research Council)
Research Grants
The Council is seeking value for money and expects to fund projects of around £50,000. Nevertheless, a more expensive project could be successful if it was convincingly giving value.
Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: 05 September 2011
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=376

AERC - (Alcohol Education and Research Council)
Developing People and Organisation Grants
Grants are between £5,000 and £50,000.
Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: 05 September 2011
Duration: Unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=5889

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.

Amount of funding available: £50K - £100K
Closing date: 04 September 2011
Duration: 1 year - 3 years

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

MRC - Medical Research Council

Translational Stem Cell Research Programme - Response mode funding
The MRC delivery plan has the stated goal of funding translational stem cell research to a level of £10 million per annum by 2010/11.

Amount of funding available: > £100K
Closing date: 24 August 2011
Duration: unspecified

http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13168

National Institute for Health Research Evaluation, Trials and Studies Coordinating Centre (NETSCC)

Public Health Research (PHR) Programme - Researcher-led
There are no fixed limits on the duration of projects or funding and proposals should be tailored to fully address the problem.

Amount of funding available: unspecified
Closing date: 15 August 2011
Duration: unspecified

http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=12865

National Institute for Health Research Evaluation, Trials and Studies Coordinating Centre (NETSCC)

Efficacy and Mechanism Evaluation Programme
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Closing date: 27 July 2011
Duration: unspecified

http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=12453

National Institute for Health Research Evaluation, Trials and Studies Coordinating Centre (NETSCC)

HTA Programme Clinical Evaluation and Trials
Amount of funding available: unspecified.
Closing date: 27 July 2011
Duration: unspecified

http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/Queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9215
MRC - Medical Research Council
Partnership Grant
Support can be requested for between one and five years. Funding is available for: pilot, proof of principle, multidisciplinary, high risk projects; establishing shared infrastructure for example staff, systems, equipment, seminars, workshops which should include a co-ordinated set of activities to promote, outreach work and travel; training and capacity building (excluding fellowships but including PhD studentships). Where there is a distinctive and original opportunity, studentships may be included. These must provide a unique training experience, which could not be supported by existing studentship support for example Doctoral Training Grant funding, Capacity Building Studentships etc. They should not form a major component of the proposal. The MRC will usually fund on the basis of 80 per cent of the full economic cost of your research to your institution. Your proposal must show 100 per cent of the full economic costing throughout.
Amount of funding available: unspecified
Closing date: 20 July 2011
Duration: > 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=14953

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: 29 June 2011
Duration: unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=15820

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**
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/Feasability/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

**BBSRC - (Biotechnology & Biological Sciences Research Council)**
**Follow-on funding Pathfinder Scheme**
Applications will be in the region of £7-10k (fEC). Maximum duration of 6 months.
Projects must start within 60 days from submission of an application.
Amount of funding available: £5K - £10K
Closing date: Apply Anytime
Duration: < 6 months
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=15299

**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

**BJUI 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
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
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](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](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](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](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

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.rrefund.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.rrefund.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1468

**Lowe Syndrome Trust**
**Call for Research Proposal in Lowe 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.rrefund.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

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)
Follow-on Fund Pathfinder
Up to £20,000 can be sought through this scheme.
Amount of funding available: £10K - £50K
Closing date: Apply Anytime
Duration: Unspecified
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=14242

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

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

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
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
Medical Humanities Dissemination Grants 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://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=10296

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.
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
Programmes

Alzheimer's Research UK

Major Programme/Project Grants
The Major project or programme scheme provides funds (from £150,000 to a maximum of £1 million over two to five years) for high quality research projects or programmes. There is one application round each year.
Amount of funding available: > £100K
Closing date: 15 January 2012
Duration: > 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=1758

Arthritis Research UK

Programme Grants (Outline Proposals)
Programmes provide funding of up to £1,200,000 over 5 years for the salaries of academic and technical staff plus running costs and small items of essential equipment. Salaries will be according to age and experience on the appropriate scientific or clinical salary scale.
Amount of funding available: > £100K
Closing date: 14 December 2011
Duration: > 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4663

Wellcome Trust

Medical Humanities Programme Grant
The programme grant provides: Salaries and associated costs for research assistants (if named, please include a full CV); funds to cover travel, equipment and other items essential for research; a set amount for the applicant and any research assistants to attend conferences, seminars and other meetings of a scholarly nature.
Amount of funding available: unspecified
Closing date: 01 October 2011
Duration: > 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=4928

MRC - Medical Research Council

Programme Grants
Under the programme grant scheme you may request support for a period of five years, which can include: The salary of the principal investigator and co-investigators; Support for additional posts – research, technical or other consumables; Equipment; Travel costs; Data preservation, data sharing and dissemination costs. The MRC will usually fund on the basis of 80 per cent of the full economic cost of your research to your institution. Your proposal must show 100 per cent of the full economic cost throughout.
Amount of funding available: unspecified
Closing date: 20 July 2011
Programmes (apply anytime)

British Heart Foundation
New Horizons Programmes
One-off grants of up to £300,000 and not more than three years’ duration
The amount of funding: > £100K
The closing date: Apply Anytime
Duration: 1 year - 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=9595

Yorkshire Cancer Research
Programme Awards
A normal programme will be for a span of 5 years with the possibility of continuation for a further period of time so that a strong body of expertise is created and maintained.
The amount of funding available: Unspecified
Closing Date: Apply Anytime
Duration: > 3 years
http://www.rdfunding.org.uk/queries/ListGrantDetails.asp?GrantID=13553