Division of Research and Innovation

## COVID-19 Research Bulletin April 6, 2021

## OnBase Forms

OnBase forms are now required for all requests related to research repopulation. The easy-to-use form streamlines the application process, and is best viewed using a desktop computer with an up-to-date web browser.

How to access and use OnBase forms

## Updated Research Safety Guidance

On March 15 the Division of Research and Innovation updated its safety guidance for research and related activities during COVID-19. This latest guidance is posted to the coronavirus updates page. This criteria applies to in-person research, scholarship, community service and creative activities at all SDSU, SDSURF, and field research sites.

Review current safety_guidance

## Assigned Time - Deadline Approaching

The deadline to apply for assigned time opportunities is Friday, April 9. Given the continuing impact the COVID-19 pandemic has had on many SDSU faculty, DRI is offering Assigned Time for Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activities opportunities.

## Vaccine Eligibility

All SDSU and SDSU Research Foundation faculty and staff, and all current student employees, are now eligible to be vaccinated in San Diego County. For the protection of others, the standard safety criteria are also required for fully vaccinated individuals. This includes physical distancing and wearing a face mask at all times while on campus.

SDSU COVID-19 testing and vaccine programs

## Ensure Testing Compliance

All student researchers must be tested for COVID-19 every other week. Research leaders must check WebPortal to ensure students have received university clearance prior to each work shift. You must be logged into your SDSU account to view the instructions. Student who have been vaccinated for COVID-19 must still receive biweekly testing and comply with safety guidelines.

Instructions on how to check student testing status.

## Report COVID-19 Cases

If you or someone involved in your project has tested positive for COVID-19, you must ensure the university is informed.

Ask the individual to fill out SDSU's reporting form. To ensure reporting is completed and Student Health Services is aware, the research leader must also submit this form. If the individual is an SDSU Research Foundation employee, they should also complete the COVID-19 Reporting Form for SDSURF Employees. The affected employee must also immediately stop participating in research.

SDSU Research Foundation Reporting Form

## County Corner

Latest data on San Diego County COVID-19 cases (updated daily at 5 p.m.)
Register to attend a virtual talk by Corinne McDaniels-Davidson, who will discuss SDSU's efforts to leverage community engagement to combat COVID-19 on April 7th as part of the School of Public Health's 40th Anniversary celebration.

## COVID-19 Funding Opportunities

Pfizer
COVID-19 Vaccine Grants
Open deadline
Administrative Supplements and Urgent Competitive Revisions for NIH Grants to Add or Expand Research Focused on Maternal Health, Structural Racism and Discrimination, and COVID-19
National Institutes of Health
Deadline-4/21/2021

Advancing Health Literacy to Enhance Equitable Community Responses to COVID-19 U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services

Deadline - 4/20/2021

Aging-Relevant Behavioral and Social Research on Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19). National Institute on Aging
Deadline-05/08/23
NIDCR Support for Research on the Physiological Involvement of Oral Cavity in Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19).

National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research
Deadline-05/08/23
Building Capacity for PCOR/CER for Topics Related to COVID-19 (Up to $\$ 200,000$ ).
Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute
Deadline-5/24/2021
Notice of Special Interest (NOSI) on Pan-Coronavirus Vaccine Development Program Projects
National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases
Deadline-6/11/21
Administrative Supplements for COVID-19 Impacted NIMH-funded Research
National Institute on Mental Health
Deadline - rolling through 6/1/23
Trafficking in Persons Office Annual Program Statement to Address the Impacts of COVID19
U.S. Department of State

Deadline: 6/30/21
Effects of Smoking and Vaping on the Risk and Outcome of COVID-19 Infection
National Institutes of Health
Deadline-09/08/24

## COVID-19 Research

Congratulations to the following faculty, who have received grants related to COVID-19!
Laura Owen, counseling and school psychology
The Kresge Foundation
"Addressing COVID-19 Melt"
\$250,000
Noe Crespo and Elisa Sobo, public health
Johns Hopkins University
"The Community's Role in an Equitable and Effective COViD-19 Vaccine Rollout"


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