Limited Submissions

Sponsor: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
Program: US Travelers’ Health Research, Surveillance, Communication, and Outreach Network

Estimated Award Amount: $7,500,000
JHU Nomination Limit: 1
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Deadlines:
Internal Application: November 10, 2020
Full Application: December 18, 2020

Opportunity Summary:
The purpose of this Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) is to: 1) increase the proportion of international travelers who receive a pre-travel health consultation with recommended preventative services before traveling to areas of risk for select infectious diseases; and 2) increase the quality of the health care advice given in the pre-travel health consultation. This NOFO will support research and surveillance activities in an active, nationwide network of clinics that provide pre-travel health services to persons with travel destinations outside of the United States, including those travelers at high risk for illness or injury while on travel. These clinics will utilize a novel, electronic, web-based pre-travel health consultation system that aids the health care provider in giving essential recommendations during the pre-travel medical encounter. During this pre-travel visit, this system will anonymously collect specific data exclusively on travelers visiting international destinations. Further, this NOFO will encourage high-risk travelers to seek pre-travel health consultations from a clinician and better prepare them to return healthy by contributing to the travel medicine scientific evidence base. Examples of contributions may include prospective traveler cohort studies and use of novel diagnostic techniques to quantify risks to travelers. Although some international travelers seek pre-travel health consultations with clinicians who specialize in travel medicine, international travelers often consult a non-expert provider, such as their primary care clinician or another medical specialist. This NOFO will also increase the awareness of travel medicine among primary care providers and provide them with appropriate tools to aid them in advising international travelers with up-to-date recommendations.

Eligibility & Requirements:
- There will only be one PD/PI allowed for each application.

Internal Nomination Process:
Interested applicants should submit the following documents:

1. JHU Limited Submission Cover Sheet
2. Proposal (maximum of two pages of text only, single spaced: 12-pt font and one-inch margins)
   (Note: figures, tables, and other reference material may be included in addition to the 2 pg. text limit)
3. Curriculum Vitae of investigator, including current external research support and publications
4. Budget (two pages maximum)

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Questions? Comments? Email the Research Development Team at resapp@jhu.edu.