STEP 1
• Identify a sponsor for your idea
• Click here to find funders

STEP 2
Discuss project with your Business Administrator. Budget (BA) considerations are decided.

STEP 3
• Request sponsor forms and register with Temple’s Electronic Research Administration System (eRA)
• Click here to access eRA

STEP 4
Get familiar with Temple’s policy on securing extramural funding for your research. Start STEP 4 Process 3 to 6 months before sponsor deadline
• Read here

STEP 5
• Contact your Grants Management GM specialist to discuss timelines and other important factors
• Who is my processor?

STEP 6
• Start to develop record for submission in eRA. Complete all tabs except “Research Plan and Reference cited” (see STEP 7 for required tabs)

STEP 7
Route eRA application record for Preliminary review:
• Complete the eSPAF
• Personnel (biosketches/CV) (if required include Other Support)
• Abstract (if not sponsor required, please provide a brief summary)
• Performance Sites with DUNS, Zip code+4
• Budget & Budget Justification
• Research Plan/Scope of Work (Not required during Preliminary route)
• Approvals (IRB, IACUC, IBC, EHRs)
• Temple Documents
• Sponsor Guidelines, Required Forms, Excel Spreadsheet, Special instructions regarding F&A (if applicable), etc.
• Temporary PI Form, Subrecipient Commitment Form,
• Subcontracts with Scope of Work, LOI, Budget and Justification (if applicable)

STEP 8
Research Plan is uploaded by PI/BA. All Tabs are completed by PI/BA. Project is reviewed by GM specialist for Temple and sponsor compliance issues

STEP 9
PI/BA are notified by GM specialist of required changes for submission

STEP 10
Modified Application record is submitted for final review to GM specialist for submission to sponsor.

SUCCESS!

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