

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: I have an appointment on a CU campus other than the Anschutz Medical Campus (AMC). Am I eligible to apply for a seed grant?

A: You are eligible to apply if you have a Co-PI with a primary appointment on the Anschutz Medical Campus or if your mentor has a primary appointment at AMC.

Q: I work at National Jewish but have a faculty appointment at the CU-SOM. Am I eligible?

A: Yes, you are eligible to apply if you have a joint appointment at CU-SOM.

Q: I am an adjunct instructor. Am I eligible?

A: No. You need to have a primary appointment on the Anschutz Medical Campus.

Q: I am an MD/PhD candidate. Am I eligible to apply?

A: No. Only faculty and fellows who have completed their degree are eligible to apply.

Q: Are indirect costs allowed?

A: No. Indirect costs are not allowed.

Q: Does the applicant need to be an early-career investigator to apply?

A: More mid-level and senior faculty will be considered if there is a clear reason why this type of funding would provide benefit to their research careers. For instance, a new direction in science may qualify.

Q: I would like to collaborate with an investigator at another university. Are subcontracts and payment of F&A to that university allowable?

A: Subcontracts are allowed as long as they are relevant to the project. F&A is not allowed.

Q: The application has a place to upload the Letter of Recommendation and/or Letter of Support. Is it OK if the Letter of Recommendation and/or Letter of Support are emailed directly to the Ludeman Center, rather than included in the application in Qualtrics?

A: Yes, it is fine if your letter-writers would prefer to email their letters to us directly. Please notify the Ludeman Center that the letters will be coming separately and will need to be added to your application. Letters should be emailed to carly.pilius@cuanschutz.edu by 5 pm on June 9, 2023.