



Are institutions permitted to submit more than one proposal, each requesting \$50,000?

Yes, each institution may submit multiple proposals. The \$50,000 limit applies to individual proposals not the institution.

Would ODHE be willing to assist awardees with making connections with relevant institutions/schools when collecting data?

Awardees may request assistance from ODHE in making connections with other institutions. Awardees should attempt to request all information at the same time, in writing, and must provide a reasonable timeframe to complete. ODHE cannot be held responsible for ensuring responsiveness of institutions.

Are there any guidelines about the length and/or format for research team resumes?

ODHE is seeking resumes and not curriculum vitae. Resumes should be of a standard length. The format of the resume is at the discretion of the applicant.

Is it important that a research topic addresses every component within the bullet point? Relatedly, is it acceptable for a proposed project to address some or certain aspects but not all of them?

It is acceptable to address some, but not all, components of a research topic as long as the topic still fits within the requirements.

When is the expected start date for projects?

Projects may begin once the award agreement has been finalized. As noted in the RFP, ODHE aims to notify awarded proposals by March 27, 2026. Award agreements will be drafted after notifications are sent.

What is the duration of projects and when do projects need to be completed by?

Project duration will vary based on finalization of award agreements. Projects are expected to be completed by June 30, 2027 but may finish sooner.

Are the allowable indirect costs supposed to be included in the \$50,000 maximum or can the indirect charges be in addition to the \$50,000?

The \$50,000 maximum includes indirect costs. The proposal should not exceed \$50,000 total.