

## CALL FOR RESEARCH GRANT APPLICATIONS

### CICATRICIAL ALOPECIA

The Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation (CARF) is soliciting original, focused and innovative research applications dealing with cicatricial alopecia (CICAL). Applications will be accepted from around the world and must serve to further CARF's research goal toward safe, effective treatments, and eventual cure and prevention of cicatricial alopecia. CARF will give priority to research proposals on the following topics:

- Role of lipids in normal hair follicle cycling.
- Role of environmental toxins in the pathogenesis of CICAL in the mouse (specifically refer to the work by the Evans laboratory, Genes & Development 21:1895, 2007).
- Function of sebaceous gland in normal hair follicle biology.
- Mechanism of hair shaft egress from the terminal hair follicle.
- Role of PPAR gamma in the pathogenesis of a laboratory model of CICAL.
- Role of peroxisomes in hair follicle biology.

#### **How to Apply:**

- Please download the grant guidelines/application package from <http://carfintl.org/grants.html> and submit via email to [sheila@carfintl.org](mailto:sheila@carfintl.org)
- Additionally, applicants must send one hard copy of the completed application by U.S. Post, along with IRB and IACUC approval documentation to:

Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation

PO Box 64158

Los Angeles, CA 90064

phone: (310) 475-2419

fax: (310) 475-4883

## CICATRICAL ALOPECIA RESEARCH FOUNDATION

### GRANT APPLICATION GUIDELINES

1. Grant applications should clearly state research goal, rationale, brief background and brief experimental protocol. Some discussion of anticipated results and significance/relevance should be included.
2. CARF has a rolling submission deadline policy. After a grant request is submitted by the primary investigator, it will be reviewed by the CARF grant review committee. This review process will take place within two months of submission.
3. Applications must be typewritten. One hard copy of the completed application, along with IRB and IACUC approval documentation, must be submitted by U.S. Post to the CARF administrative office:  
Cicatrical Alopecia Research Foundation, PO Box 64158  
Los Angeles, CA 90064
4. Costs for travel, publication, reprints, salary for the PI and indirect costs will not be funded by CARF.
5. A final report summarizing the work done, the conclusions drawn, and the next plans must be submitted within 30 days of the project end.
6. Recognition of CARF support shall be acknowledged in all publications of the completed work (e.g., journal articles, lectures).
7. Decisions regarding grant review and funding is the sole responsibility of CARF. The decisions are final.
8. Applications involving human subjects must demonstrate IRB approval and all applications involving laboratory animals must demonstrate IACUC approval before funds will be disbursed.



Overlap with current proposal \_\_\_\_\_

Grant Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Period of Award \_\_\_\_\_

Funding Source \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Direct Costs \_\_\_\_\_

Funding Period \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Project (1-2 sentences) \_\_\_\_\_

Overlap with current proposal \_\_\_\_\_

**PENDING GRANT SUPPORT:** List all pending grant applications.

Grant Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Period of Award Requested \_\_\_\_\_

Funding Source \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Direct Costs Requested \_\_\_\_\_

Funding Period \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Project (1-2 sentences) \_\_\_\_\_

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## V. BUDGET FOR CURRENT GRANT PROPOSAL

Provide a detailed budget with % effort for each investigator.

**Tabulate budget summary in the following table**

	Grant Funds	Matching Funds	Total
Personnel			
Equipment (non-expendable)			
Supplies (expendable)			
Other			
Total:			

## **VI. BIOSKETCH OF EACH INVESTIGATOR**

Attach a NIH formatted biosketch for each investigator (For instructions, see <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/forms.htm>)

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