Funding Agency: Thrasher Research Fund

The Thrasher Research Fund provides grants for pediatric medical research. Because significant solutions for many children’s health problems remain undiscovered, the Fund invites a broad array of applications. The Thrasher Research Fund seeks to foster an environment of creativity and discovery aimed at finding solutions to children’s health problems. The Fund awards grants for research that offers substantial promise for meaningful advances in prevention and treatment of children’s diseases, particularly research that offers broad-based applications.

Call type and title: E.W. “Al” Thrasher Awards

The Thrasher Research Fund is open to applications that address a variety of significant pediatric problems. Both incidence and severity are considered when determining the significance of the proposed topic. The Fund supports research both within and outside the United States.

Ideal applications for the E.W. "Al" Thrasher Award address significant health problems that affect children in large numbers and offer the potential for practical solutions to these problems. Such solutions should be innovative and have the potential for rapid and broad applicability with low financial and/or technical barriers to implementation. Hypothesis-driven research is given priority over exploratory, hypothesis-generating research.

Budget: The grant amount is based on the actual budgetary needs of the project. The duration of the project can be up to three years. In 2011-2012 the median grant was $300,000 (total, not annually).

Submit to the Research Authority till: Concept papers are accepted on a rolling basis, and are considered by the Fund’s Executive Committee approximately once per month.

For More Information: Call of proposals

Forms: Concept Paper Instructions and Template

How to submit: Applications must be submitted to the Research Authority by email to: michalsh@ariel.ac.il before electronic submission

Additionally, you are requested to send me this "Proposal Form" with signature of head of department before submission.

Funding Agency Homepage: http://www.thrasherresearch.org