

**Grant Title:** DRUG ABUSE DISSERTATION RESEARCH: EPIDEMIOLOGY, PREVENTION, TREATMENT, SERVICES AND WOMEN AND SEX/GENDER DIFFERENCES (R36)

**Grant Number:** PA-06-446

**Area of Research:** Dissertation research relating to drug abuse.

**Release and Expiration:** June 2, 2006 release; January 3, 2009 expiration.

**Annual Deadline:** *Letter of Intent:* One month prior to submission/receipt date. *Application:* *R36-New:* February 16, June 16, October 16 annually; *Resubmissions:* March 16, July 16, November 16 annually; *AIDS Related:* May 1, September 1, January 2 annually.

**Amount:** *R36:* Up to \$50,000 per year in direct costs.

**Length of Support:** *R36:* Up to 2 years with possibility of 12 month extension.

**Eligible Applicants:** Any domestic public or private university or college is eligible to apply, given that it has the staff and facilities available to provide a suitable environment for the candidate to perform high-quality research.

**Agency/ Department:** NIH; NIDA

**Summary:** The purpose of this funding opportunity is to support drug abuse doctoral dissertation research in epidemiology, prevention, treatment, services, and women and sex/gender differences, areas in which there is a significant need for new investigators. Special attention will be given to recruiting individuals from racial or ethnic groups underrepresented in the biomedical and behavioral sciences. Given the complexity of drug abuse research, it is permitted to conduct the proposed dissertation research in conjunction with an ongoing research study or to use extant data. Research studies focused on HIV/AIDS and Health Disparities are encouraged. The following groups have been identified as underrepresented in biomedical and behavioral research nationally: African Americans, Hispanic Americans, Native Americans, Alaskan Natives, and Pacific Islanders.

**Detailed Information:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-06-446.html>