For the purpose of informing interested University of Tennessee-Knoxville faculty, please be aware of the following opportunity. Please note that the other recipients of this announcement could be potential collaborators on this opportunity.

RFA-AI-10-011: Microbicide Innovation Program (MIP IV) (R21/R33)

The National Institutes of Health is soliciting applications in the field of topical microbicides to advance:

- Development of new microbicide approaches and additional rational targets through preclinical and basic research
- Discovery and characterization of microbicides (singly or in combinations) directed against HIV or STIs (Sexually Transmitted Infections) that are linked to HIV acquisition
- The identification and promotion of emerging technologies or models that contribute to the development of new and/or more efficient ways of assessing microbicide safety, efficacy and acceptability
- Design of complex prevention strategies that incorporate vaginal, rectal, and/or penile applied microbicides.

For detailed information about this opportunity please see the full solicitation (RFA-AI-10-011). To find more opportunities from this agency, please see here.

It is estimated that approximately $2.5M will be available in 2011 to support 5 – 7 awards. Cost sharing is not required. Please see the full solicitation for complete award information.

Deadline for Full Proposal to OR-Sponsored Programs: 7/2/2010
(Please see the solicitation for complete application & submission information.)

Please contact Sponsored Programs (4-5066) with questions regarding proposal submission requirements.

Deadline for Proposal Submission to Agency: 7/9/2010

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