

APA Division 38 Graduate Student Health Psychology Research Award

Description of Award

This award supports new research in health psychology. Six awards are given per year: four awards support research in any area of health psychology; one award promotes inclusion in health psychology; one award promotes research in health disparities.

The award amount is \$2000.

Looking for additional information? Try this link:

- [Graduate Student Research Awards - Society for Health Psychology](#)

Eligibility

- Full-time student enrolled in a degree-conferring graduate program in psychology. Does not need to be a health psychology program.
- Current member of the Society for Health Psychology.
- For the **award promoting inclusion**, applicants must self-identify as being from an underrepresented group in biomedical and health psychology research.
 - e.g., individuals in racial / ethnic minority groups; individuals with disabilities; individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds
 - For more see: [Graduate Student Research Award: Promoting Inclusion - Society for Health Psychology](#)

Deadlines

- January 15 of each year

Major Application Components

Cover letter

Research Proposal (6 pages)

- Specific Aims, Background, and Methods

Budget & Budget Justification ([see example here](#))

- Specifically indicate how the funds from the Graduate Student Research Award will be used.
- The award funds are meant to support the research being proposed and therefore may not be used for travel expenses to conferences.
- Please describe other sources of funding for the proposed project, if any. Information on additional funding, if any, is helpful in evaluating not only the need for funding, but also the feasibility of carrying out the project with the available monies from this award. Projects that can feasibly be accomplished within the support from this award alone are welcome.

NIH Biosketch - Predoctoral Fellowship Format

- Highlights qualifications for the individual's specific role in the project through the following sections:
 - Personal Statement
 - Positions and Honors
 - Contributions to Science
- View [Biographical Sketch Format Page \(fellowship\) here](#)

Letter of Recommendation from Faculty Sponsor

Submission notes:

- Applicants should complete and submit an [online form](#) as part of the submission process
- Complete an award packet and upload it to [Dropbox](#) by the January 15th deadline

Contact Information for Successful Applicants:

References:

<https://societyforhealthpsychology.org/councils-committees/health-research-council/graduate-student-awards/>