

## State Health Access Reform Evaluation 2012 Call for Proposals

**Grantor:** Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

**Closes:** 2/22/2012

**Maximum:** \$200,000.00

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Deadline: February 22, 2012, 3:00 PM EST

State Health Access Reform Evaluation (SHARE) is a national program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation that supports rigorous research on health reform issues by investigators representing diverse disciplines and backgrounds. The program seeks to identify and fill gaps in research on health reform issues, especially related to state-level implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA), with a focus on provisions that are designed to increase access and coverage. SHARE-sponsored research will provide timely guidance on implementation issues as states consider their unique responsibilities in executing the ACA, and will contribute to the evidence base for future state and national health reform efforts. The State Health Access Data Assistance Center (SHADAC) at the University of Minnesota will provide technical support for this program.

**Total Awards:**

Up to \$1.5 million will be available under this call for proposals.

There is no predetermined dollar amount for individual grants. Project funding will range from \$50,000 to \$200,000 to accommodate both quick-turnaround policy analyses of six to 12 months and in-depth research/evaluation studies of 12 to 24 months.

**Eligibility & Selection Criteria:**

Eligible applicants include state agencies and other institutions engaging or employing independent or academic researchers or policy-makers working with researchers.

We especially encourage proposals that enlist junior researchers to work in collaboration with senior research advisers.

Projects may be generated from disciplines including health services research, economics, sociology, program evaluation, political science, public policy, public health, public administration, law, and business administration.

Preference may be given to applicant entities that plan to utilize interdisciplinary teams.

**Key Dates:**

February 7, 2012 (3 p.m. ET)—Deadline for questions.

February 22, 2012 (3 p.m. ET)—Deadline for receipt of proposals.

April 2–6, 2012—Applicants notified if invited to revise and resubmit proposals.

April 20, 2012 (3 p.m. ET)—Deadline for receipt of revised proposals.

May 4, 2012—Notification of awards.

June 15, 2012—Start of grants.

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