

Prevent Blindness America Investigator Award

Grantor: Prevent Blindness America

Closes: 3/30/2012

Maximum: \$30,000.00

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The Prevent Blindness America Investigator Award provides funding for research investigating public health related to eye health and safety.

The application deadline is March 30, 2012.

Applications will be accepted in the following priority areas in adult vision, children's vision, or eye injury:

Burden/economic aspects of eye disease/vision loss on society

Best practices to integrate vision screening/follow up care to system care access

Vision program effectiveness/evaluation

All research grants need to promote the core mission of Prevent Blindness America – preventing blindness and preserving sight. Basic laboratory science research will not be supported under this program.

Grants are for a one-year period, up to \$30,000 and are reviewed by a committee of ARVO members.

All investigators must be citizens and permanent residents of either the United States or Canada. The applicant must be working in either the United States or Canada. All published materials and positions relative to research and eye-health will be listed on the application. Level of experience and related field work will be taken into consideration by the reviewers. A complete budget and detailed description of the research project will be required. All researchers will be required to remain in the United States or Canada for the duration of the project.

Contact Nita Patel, PBA Director of Public Health at 312-363-6019 or npatel@preventblindness.org with any questions.

Link: <http://www.preventblindness.org/investigator-award-application-process>