

The Gilead Sciences Nordic Fellowship Programme 2018

TO ENCOURAGE THE DEVELOPMENT,
EXPLORATION AND DISSEMINATION OF
NEW IDEAS IN PATIENT-CENTRED CARE

1 AIM OF THE PROGRAMME

The aim is to award financial grants to projects (local, national or Nordic) that encourage the development, exploration and dissemination of new ideas, generating best practice in the delivery of patient-centred care in three areas – HIV, liver diseases (LVD), and hematology/oncology (ONC). Evidence generated from Fellowship projects provides the opportunity to shape public health policy and practice, or to generate new studies or joint ventures to shape clinical care pathways. However, please note that proposals that meet the criteria for a clinical trial under the EU Clinical Trials Directive 2001/20/EC cannot be funded under the fellowship program.

The projects supported under the Gilead Sciences Nordic Fellowship Programme are independent of the use of any particular therapeutic agent.

Applications are invited from health-care organisations and/or academic institutions.

2 FUNDING WILL BE AWARDED TO APPLICANTS WHOSE PROPOSALS BEST DEMONSTRATE:

** Excluding proposals that meet the criteria for a clinical trial under the EU Clinical Trials Directive 2001/20/EC or investigator sponsored trials. Such projects will not be funded under the fellowship program.*

HIV

- Innovative strategies aiming to reduce new infections and the pool of undiagnosed individuals (eg. public awareness projects to recognize or avoid risk behaviour and projects to encourage testing).
- Projects aiming at identifying and managing comorbidities and/or improving the quality of life among PLWHIV.
- Pre-clinical HIV compartment research.*

Liver diseases (LVD)

- Disease awareness projects with emphasis on risk behaviour and screening and linkage to care.
- Ways to improve patient management. Documentation of burden of disease, patient reported and/or treatment outcomes.
- Outcomes from national/regional registries.
- Basic research projects within liver diseases.*

Hematology/Oncology (ONC)

- Establishment or evolution of nation-wide/Nordic quality registries.
- Ways to improve patient management within B-cell lymphomas. Documentation of epidemiology, burden of disease, patient reported and/or treatment outcomes.
- Pre-clinical research projects with a focus on molecular genetics in B-cell lymphomas.*

3 APPLICATION

- All grant requests will be assessed against clear criteria and we expect this will be a highly competitive process.
- Applications will be accepted from April 3, 2018 to June 29, 2018 and we anticipate awards being granted by August 31, 2018.

Apply through the Gilead Sciences International webpage: <http://www.gilead.com/responsibility/corporate-contributions/europe/europe-grant-application-process>

Register, and then choose Grant Type: **Medical/Scientific** and Program Type: **Fellowships/Scholarships**

For more information on the Gilead Sciences Nordic Fellowship Programme, details of how to apply and the assessment criteria, please contact us at rebecca.frigell@gilead.com.



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