

HEALTH & HUMAN SCIENCES

2025-2026 CHHS Alzheimer's Research Grant

The Alzheimer's Research Grant is to support CHHS faculty to conduct pilot projects related to any aspect of Alzheimer's (i.e., physiological or behavioral). Faculty are encouraged to consider a project with collaborators from various disciplines, including from outside of TTU, including the TTUHSC. Projects should have the potential for high scientific reward and result in the submission of a federal grant proposal.

Who is eligible?

- Full-time tenure-track faculty in CHHS

What is the grant amount and what can it be used for?

One grant of \$20,000 will be awarded and can be used for materials and supplies necessary to conduct the research (including the cost of human subject participation, hourly graduate or undergraduate assistant support, supplies, etc.). Faculty salary, graduate assistantships, and travel are not allowed.

What is required in the proposal?

The proposal is limited to 3 pages and includes:

1. Description of the research project, including methodology
2. Potential impact on the field of Alzheimer's research/treatment
3. Detailed timeline for project completion
4. Detailed budget and budget justification
5. Identification of federal grant to be applied for from pilot data

How will proposals be reviewed?

Proposals will be evaluated based on

1. Submitting a complete application
2. Clarity of proposal
3. Scientific merit/potential impact
4. Feasibility/timeline of the project
5. Appropriate budget and budget justification

Who will review the proposals?

Members of the CHHS Research Committee will review proposals and make recommendations to the Associate Dean for Research. Members of the Research Committee are eligible to apply and will not review their own proposals.

When is the proposal due?

September 24, 2025 by 5pm

When does the grant money need to be spent/encumbered?

December 31, 2026

When is a report of grant activity due?

January 31, 2027

