



**ATS / CHEST Foundation Research Grant**

*\*This award does not have a letter of intent phase; you do NOT need to be invited to submit.*

One grant available

\$40,000 per year for 2 years

*Target Audience:*

Investigators working on clinical research in the areas of pulmonary, critical care, or sleep medicine that disproportionately affect underrepresented minority (URM) patient groups

The focus of this research grant is clinical research that contributes to the understanding of the pathophysiology or treatment of conditions related to pulmonary, critical care, or sleep medicine that disproportionately affects URM patient groups. URM patient groups include patients from lower-middle and low-income countries as defined by the [World Bank](#) or the following North American populations: African-Americans, Mexican-Americans, Native Americans (American Indians, Alaska Natives, and native Hawaiians), Pacific Islanders, and mainland Puerto Ricans. Applicants may request up to \$40,000 per year for 2 years for salaries, supplies, or a combination of these two. No more than 20% of the budget can be for salary. Funding may not be used for patient incentives, and indirect costs will not be paid to the sponsoring institution.

*Award-Specific Eligibility:*

- Junior investigators ([as defined here](#)) and [applicants who are trainees \(fellows\)](#) (applicants holding PhD, MD, RN, RRT, or PA degrees)
- Must be a member of CHEST
- Must meet eligibility requirements for all ATS grants found [here](#)

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