



2026–27 Grant Writing Workshop Series

The University Hospitals Health Services Research Center invites early-career faculty investigators to apply for the 2026–27 Grant Writing Workshop Series. This program is designed for faculty preparing to submit a Career Development Award (or comparable mechanism) in early 2027 with a focus on health services research.

“Health services research is the multidisciplinary field of scientific investigation that studies how social factors, financing systems, organizational structures and processes, health technologies, and personal behaviors affect access to health care, the quality and cost of health care, and ultimately our health and well-being. Its research domains are individuals, families, organizations, institutions, communities, and populations.”

Program Overview

Participants will be selected through a competitive application process. Priority will be given to applicants planning to submit an A0 (new, renewal or revision) application for the February or June 2027 deadlines. To ensure personalized mentorship and hands-on support, the cohort will be limited to eight participants.

The workshop series includes seven 2-hour virtual sessions, held monthly from June to December 2026, led by successful extramurally funded investigators, with structured assignments and a mock study section in January 2027. Participants are expected to draft and revise grant components throughout the program using facilitator guidance, expert input and peer critique.

Timeline

- June 30, 2026: Review Criteria
- July 31, 2026: Specific Aims
- August 31, 2026: Research Strategy (Approach, Innovation, Significance)
- September 30, 2026: Research Strategy continued
- October 31, 2026: Candidate Information, Career Development Plan, NIH Biosketch
- November 30, 2026: Budget, Institutional Environment, Letters of Support
- December 31, 2026: Complete all sections of the application using appropriate grantsmanship strategies and review criteria

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