Emory University & Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Pilot Grants

Request for Waiver of Extramural Funding Application Requirement

All pilot grants awarded by a pediatric research center in 2011 or later require the principal investigator (PI) to submit an application for extramural funding within one year of the end date of the pilot project. Extramural funding is defined as peer-reviewed, competitive funding from any institution external to Emory, Georgia Tech or Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. Pilot funding from any of these institutions, including Friends grants and Marcus Autism Center, does not meet the extramural funding application requirement. Failure to meet this requirement renders the PI ineligible to apply for additional pilot grants.

In recognition of the possibility of extenuating circumstances that prevent the submission of an extramural grant proposal, principal investigators are permitted to apply for a waiver of this requirement. The waiver process involves two steps:

- 1) The principal investigator of the pilot must submit the below form to the current center director of the center that awarded the original pilot.
- 2) If the current center director approves the waiver request, that center director must submit the request to the Research Leadership Team (RLT) for approval.

Waivers cannot be granted without the approval of both the current center director of the center that awarded the original pilot and the RLT.

Explanation of Why Extramural Grant Application was Not Submitted

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