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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Investigator-Sponsored Trials

For this program, Investigator-Sponsored Trials (IST) are clinical or non-clinical research studies or trials initiated, sponsored and managed by researchers who are not directly affiliated with a manufacturer.

Blueprint Medicines Corporation is committed to supporting ISTs that contribute to the scientific and medical understanding of our products and relevant disease areas in order to enhance the practice of medicine and ultimately improve patient care.

All IST submissions will be critically reviewed, and a decision will be made based on scientific merit, feasibility, and our current research objectives and available resources. Proposals that directly compete with our current and/or future studies will not be considered.

Important Dates

Call Opens for RFP – June 15, 2026
Submission Deadline – July 31, 2026

E-Mail Questions and Submissions to

grants@blueprintmedicines.com

EXPECTATIONS

Submission must include:

- A full protocol, including the nature and scope of the support requested;
- A curriculum vitae (CV) or resume that documents previous clinical research experience of the proposed investigator(s) and other key research staff;
- Complete Blueprint project budget template, including itemization of costs, services and institutional fees; and
- Proposed study timelines and milestones, including a description of anticipated post-study activities and publications.

A blind evaluation will be completed for all submitted protocols. Protocols will be evaluated based on six (6) criteria.

- Alignment with area of interest
- Scientific merit
- Contribution to the understanding of our products and/or relevant disease area
- Feasibility
- Research completion timelines
- Budget

AREA OF INTEREST

To be considered for Blueprint Medicines support, projects MUST focus on the following area:

- Identification, clinical management, and outcomes for patients with ISM in Dermatology practice, including diagnosis, referral patterns, treatment approaches, and quality of life.

NEXT STEPS

To apply:

Email completed submission to grants@blueprintmedicines.com.

Approval notification:

All submissions will be reviewed by the Scientific Review Committee, and those selected will be notified on or around August 30, 2026.

Additional information:

If interested in speaking with a Medical Affairs Representative, please email medinfo@blueprintmedicines.com.

Funding will be provided over a period of 24 MONTHS and will be milestone-based.

At the conclusion of the study, a Final Study Report and at least one draft external scientific output must be produced, such as a congress abstract, manuscript, or other publication-ready scientific summary.

Frequently Asked Questions – Investigator Sponsored Research Program
Request for Proposals (RFP)

When is the application deadline?

Applications will be accepted beginning 15 June 2026 and the submission deadline is 31 July 2026.

When will selections be awarded?

Blueprint Medicines will endeavor to forward decisions no later than 30 August 2026.

Is there a cap on the cost per submission?

There is no formal budget cap; however, budget will be an important factor in the review of each submission. Requested costs must be appropriate to the proposed scope of work, aligned with current Fair Market Value (FMV), and supported by a clear scientific and operational rationale. While proposals will be reviewed holistically, studies in the approximate range of $500,000 are expected to align most closely with current program planning. Requests substantially above that level may be considered only with limited cases where the scientific, clinical, and strategic value is especially compelling. Capital expenses, office supplies, and similar non-research costs should not be included and will not be considered for support.

How do I apply?

To apply, send completed proposal to grants@blueprintmedicines.com by the designated deadline.

What makes up a complete submission?

A complete submission MUST INCLUDE the following:

- A full protocol, including the nature and scope of the support requested;
- A curriculum vitae (CV) or resume that documents previous clinical research experience of the proposed investigator(s) and other key research staff;
- Detailed project budget, including itemization of costs, services and institutional overhead;
- Proposed IST timelines and milestones, including a description of anticipated post-IST activities and publications.

What are the necessary parts of a complete protocol?

Blueprint asks that all protocols follow ICH GCP & GLP guidelines, and include a minimum of the following for ALL APPLICATIONS:

- *General Information* including study/trial title, Investigator name & address, and Sponsor Institution name & address.
- *Background Information* including the name & description of the disease state or investigational product of interest; summary of non-clinical and/or clinical findings to date related to the research; a summary of the known or potential risks & benefits
- *Research/Trial Objectives* including a detailed examination of the purpose and rationale of the research.
- *Trial Design* including primary and secondary endpoints; a detailed description of the type/design of the study/trial to be conducted with a detailed description of the measures and procedures to be undertaken (including schematic diagram and/or study/trial procedure calendar/schedule)
- *Detailed Research Timeline* including timelines for key research milestones such as research initiation; research completion; enrollment start and end; and final study/clinical report timelines.

In addition to the above required information, Blueprint asks that all clinical/human research protocols include the following information (as applicable):

- Selection and Withdrawal of Subjects
- Informed Consent Procedures/Guidelines
- Treatment of Subjects
- Assessment of Efficacy
- Assessment of Safety
- Statistics, including sample size selection & powering
- Quality Control and Quality Assurance
- Ethics
- Data Handling; Data Access/Storage; and Record Keeping
- Patient Safety and Adverse Event Reporting
- Publication Policy
- Insurance Specifications

What if I have an idea that doesn't align with this RFP's areas of interest?

Blueprint Medicines will continue to accept and evaluate proposals outside of the scope of designated areas of interest. Please note, there is a different submission process: requests for IST support (IST Concept) must be submitted via the web-based portal. The IST Concept will be reviewed by Blueprint Medicines' Scientific Review Committee (SRC). If the SRC approves the IST Concept, the investigator will be invited to submit a more detailed proposal. We recommend you visit our Investigator Sponsored Research Program page for more information.

Can one institution submit multiple proposals?

Yes, provided each is submitted as a SEPERATE, INDEPENDENT submission and each must be complete and encompass all necessary documents listed above.

Can investigators collaborate on a single submission?

Yes. Multi-institution submissions are permitted; however, any additional site-related costs must be included within the overall proposed budget, and the timeline should account for required multi-site activities such as site selection, contracting, and subcontracting. Overall cost and timeline feasibility will be considered as part of the proposal review.

I've never worked with Blueprint Medicines before, am I eligible?

Yes. We encourage qualified investigators to apply. If selected, there may be additional information requested for contracting and payment purposes.

Will there be requests for information (RFI) to clarify components of the submitted proposal?

All submissions will be checked for completeness prior to review. If clarification is needed, the grant manager may reach out to the applicant. Blueprint Medicines may also issue a request for information during review, as needed; however, applicants should ensure that proposals are as complete and thorough as possible at the time of submission.

Contact us at grants@blueprintmedicines.com for any additional questions regarding application process or the RFP program.