Welcome to the
RITA & ALEX HILLMAN FOUNDATION
Hillman Innovations in Care Webinar

The webinar will begin shortly
Hillman Innovations in Care Program

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Host: Linda Le, Program Associate
Operational Issues

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• Session is scheduled for one hour only.
Questions

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Speaker

Ahrin Mishan
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WELCOME
Purpose of Presentation

• To provide an overview of the program and the application process.

• To address as many of your questions as possible at the end of the webinar.

• To provide information about how to find answers to your questions after the webinar.
Innovations in Care

The goal of the Hillman Innovations in Care program is to advance leading edge nursing-driven models of care that will improve the health and health care of vulnerable populations.
Nursing-Driven

What do we mean by “nursing-driven models of care?”

A solution, strategy, model or method rooted in nursing’s unique, holistic and integrated approach to care.
Vulnerable Populations

Vulnerable populations include the economically disadvantaged, racial and ethnic minorities, LGBTQ, the homeless, rural populations, immigrant and refugee populations and other groups that encounter barriers to accessing healthcare services.
Priorities for the Program

The foundation seeks proposals that address the health-care needs of vulnerable populations in the following areas:

- Maternal and child health
- Care of the older adult
- Chronic illness management
Types of Proposals

• The adaptation of proven nursing-driven models to new or expanded settings or patient populations. The adaptation should be past the pilot phase and demonstrate significant preliminary evidence.

• The expansion of emerging nursing-driven models with early evidence suggesting a strong likelihood for achieving Triple Aim-like outcomes on a broad scale.
Example of Adaptation of a Proven Program:

A highly successful nurse home-visitation program targeting first-time mothers and their children is adapted to serve the needs of family caregivers and their elderly loved ones. After a promising preliminary pilot phase, the program is poised for expansion.
Example of Expansion of an Emerging Model:

A Type 2 diabetes prevention program targeting low-income Hispanic families in Arizona shows promising outcomes after 5 years of operation. The project team that administers the program seeks to expand the intervention to similar communities in other states.
Priority consideration will be given to projects that include one or more of the following:

- Engagement of patients, families, caregivers and community organizations
- Health and wellness promotion and disease prevention
- Inter-professional or multidisciplinary collaboration
- Strong institutional and community partnerships
- Provision of care in non-hospital settings
Proposal Evaluation Criteria

- Health Impact
- Nursing-Driven
- Boldness and Creativity
- Technical Merit/Execution Plan
- Leadership
- Institutional Support
- Alignment with Triple Aim Goals
- Scalability/Potential for Broad Impact
- Sustainability
- Evidence
Key Elements to a Successful Proposal

Common strengths among proposals that have made it through to the second round:

• **Nursing-Driven not just Nurse-Staffed**
  – Nursing-Driven = The model is rooted in nursing’s strengths and holistic approach care
  – Nurse-Staffed = Nurses are the designated workforce delivering the model.

• **Probability of Broader Impact**
  – On health of vulnerable populations
  – On a specific field
  – On healthcare
  – On society
Key Elements to a Successful Proposal

- **Scalability**
  - Potential for innovation to be replicated/scaled-up/spread on a large scale
  - Multiple determining factors:
    - Viability of model
    - Strong cross-sector partnerships
    - Institutional influence and support

- **Boldness, Creativity, Innovation**
  - Creative solutions that address significant health and health-care problems in a new way
  - Potential for leapfrogging conventional approaches

- **Evidence**
  - At least enough evidence to suggest a likelihood for achieving positive outcomes on a broad scale.
Brief Proposal Requirements

- **Project Profile** which includes:
  - Contact details of the organization and Principal Investigator
  - A brief description of your organization (500 words max)
  - An executive summary of the project (250 words max)

- **Letter of Intent** (1,000 words max)

- **Supporting Documents**
  - Short bios of the project team. Full CVs are discouraged.
  - Up to two (2) letters of support
  - Up to two (2) items that provide additional evidence or information to support the application, which may include a brief video (no more than two minutes), published articles, brochures
Grant Awards

The program will award two grants of up to $600,000 each, distributed over a 36-month period.

Projects are expected to begin January 1, 2018, and end December 31, 2020.
How to Apply

• Please download the Request For Proposal (RFP) found on our website: http://www.rahf.org/grant-programs/hillman-innovations-in-care-program/

• Register and create a login to apply online: www.rahf.org/grants

• The deadline for submitting applications is 11:59PM PT, Monday, March 20th, 2017
Your Questions

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Resources

For general questions please consult the:

- Request for Proposal:
  http://www.rahf.org/documents/website/2017_Hillman_Innovations_in_Care_RFP.pdf

- FAQ Page:
  http://rahf.org/grant-programs/hillman-innovations-in-care-program/faq

- Website (includes previous webinar recordings):

If after consulting these resources you still have questions, please email: innovationsincare@rahf.org
This concludes our presentation.
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