On Behalf of Terry Lehenbauer,    

Director, Center for Food Animal Health:    

**2016-2017 Hatch/Multi State/Bovine Abortion Funds Call for Proposals**

*Application Deadline:* June 6, 2016 at midnight

Faculty members in the School of Veterinary Medicine with an assignment in the Agricultural Experiment Station (AES) or appointment as a Veterinary Medicine Cooperative Extension Specialist are invited to submit new or continuation research proposals for funding for Permanent and Temporary Hatch, Multi-State Research, and Bovine Abortion projects. Proposals should address the CFAH priority issues determined by the CFAH Stakeholders each year. Please consult your department MSO if you are uncertain if you have an AES assignment. There is a limit of two proposals per faculty member as principal investigator for this funding.

These funds are part of a State/Federal Program funded through Agriculture and Natural Resources (ANR), which allocates funds on an annual basis. Projects must be approved by the SVM, ANR and USDA/NIFA before projects can be funded. These funds must be used during the project period of 10/01/2016 – 09/30/2017 and address the 2016-2017 Priority Issues. The budget should not exceed $20,000. If your project is selected to receive funding, an annual progress report will be required.

Continuation requests must be submitted using the pre-approved Hatch title. If your proposal has been selected for funding, CFAH will contact you and request that you submit the required forms through REEport (the USDA/NIFA reporting system). After being notified by CFAH that your proposal has been selected for funding, you will have one week to enter your project into REEport for USDA/NIFA’s approval.

A maximum of ten (10) bonus points will be given to each proposal for planning, implementation, outcomes and reporting that involves Veterinary Medicine Extension in a tangible, specified manner, and a maximum of five (5) bonus points will be given to each proposal which includes multi-state collaborations.

CFAH receives the Preliminary Allocation Notification from USDA/NIFA between November and May of the same fiscal year funds are required to be spent. For example, for the 16-17 Hatch/Multi State/Bovine Abortion and Formula Fund calls, we will receive the preliminary notification sometime between November 2016 through May 2017 from USDA/NIFA. It is the policy of CFAH to allocate 75% of the preliminary funding amount when the preliminary notice is received.
The Final Notification is usually received in May of the same fiscal year funds are required to be spent. For example, for the 16-17 Hatch/Multi State/Bovine Abortion and Formula Fund calls, we will receive the final funding notification in May 2017, and if funding is not reduced from the preliminary amount, the remaining 25% will be allocated to the next highest ranking proposal(s).

If you are able to work around this restriction, we encourage you to apply.

Please Visit the CFAH website for the Application Process and More Information

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