New CER Funding Opportunities - Imminent Deadlines for New ARRA Submissions

- **Electronic Data Methods (EDM) Forum for Comparative Effectiveness Research (U13)**
  To conduct PROSPECT (Prospective Outcome Systems using Patient-specific Electronic data to Compare Tests and therapies) studies on comparative effectiveness of clinical interventions used in priority conditions and populations, clinical registries, distributed research methods, health information technology and outcomes research, practicing clinicians, representatives from relevant organizations, and other stakeholders. Learn more.
  - **Letters of Intent due date:** December 18, 2009
  - **Application due date:** January 20, 2010
  - **Eligibility:** Institutions/organizations listed in Section III, 1.A., Project Directors/Principal Investigators
  - **Total costs:** $4 million
  - **Project duration:** 3 years

- **Building New Clinical Infrastructure for Comparative Effectiveness Research (R01)**
  To advance the quality, depth and scale of the electronic data collection infrastructure as a basis for comparative effectiveness research and substantially enhance the nation’s ability and capacity to systematically collect prospective data that will inform comparative effectiveness research on diagnostics, therapeutics, devices, behavioral interventions, and procedures used in clinical care, especially in populations typically under-represented in randomized control clinical trials or that have limited access to healthcare, or both, such as patients with multiple co-morbidities, extremes of age, and minorities. Learn more.
  - **Letters of Intent due date:** December 18, 2009
  - **Application due date:** January 20, 2010
  - **Eligibility:** Institutions/organizations listed in Section III, 1.A., Project Directors/Principal Investigators
  - **Total costs:** $3 million/year
  - **Maximum project duration:** 3 years

- **AHRQ Mentored Clinical Scientists Comparative Effectiveness Development Award (K12)**
  To support the career development of health services and clinical researchers who have made a commitment to focus their research on the generation, translation, and dissemination of new scientific evidence and analytical tools in comparative effectiveness. Learn more.
  - **Letters of Intent due date:** December 24, 2009
  - **Application Receipt Date:** January 20, 2010
  - **Eligibility:** Institutions/organizations listed in Section III, Project Director/Principal Investigator
- **Eligible Scholar Candidates:**
  - Must be U.S. citizens or non-citizen nationals, or lawfully admitted for permanent residence (by July 1, 2010)
  - Must hold a clinical or health professional doctoral degree or its equivalent
  - Can commit a minimum of 75% of full-time professional effort conducting clinical research and career development activities related to comparative effectiveness research
  - **Total cost:** $850,000/year
  - **Total project period:** 3 years

- **Postdoctoral Comparative Effectiveness Development Training Award (T32)**
  To support the postdoctoral training of health services and clinical researchers who have made a commitment to focus their research on the generation, translation, and dissemination of new scientific evidence and analytical tools in comparative effectiveness. [Learn more](#).
  - **Letters of Intent due date:** December 15, 2009
  - **Application Receipt Dates:** January 20, 2010
  - **Eligibility:** Institutions/organizations listed in Section III, Project Director/Principal Investigator

- **Eligible Trainee Candidates**
  - Must be U.S. citizens or non-citizen nationals, or lawfully admitted for permanent residence (by July 1, 2010)
  - Must hold a clinical or health professional doctoral degree or its equivalent
  - Can commit a minimum of 75% of full-time professional effort conducting clinical research and career development activities related to comparative effectiveness research
  - **Total cost:** $900,000
  - **Total project duration:** 3 years

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