


Innovation in Women's Health Research at NIH

The Office of Research on Women's Health (ORWH) supports innovative health research that addresses the unique needs, circumstances, and goals of all women across their lifespans. Discover how ORWH fosters innovation in women's health research:



The [Women's Health Innovation Opportunity Map](#) is a collaborative framework that highlights 50 high-impact opportunities across 10 topic areas to advance women's health research and development around the globe.



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In response to [Executive Order 14120](#), the National Institutes of Health (NIH) committed to **increasing its funding by 50%** to support early-stage small businesses and innovators dedicated to research and development in women's health.



NIH's Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer Research (STTR) programs, managed by the [Small Business Education and Entrepreneurial Development \(SEED\) Office](#), aim to support research and development in small businesses.



ORWH is participating in the [Fiscal Year 2025 Omnibus Solicitation](#) for SBIR and STTR grant applications. The next submission dates are **January 5, 2025, and April 5, 2025.**



Calendar 2025													
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