

Translational Science Interagency Fellowship

What

The Translational Science Interagency Fellowship (TSIF) program is jointly sponsored by NCATS and the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and aims to provide training in both translational science and regulatory science. Fellows will be trained in preclinical translational science, technology development, and regulatory research and review. By combining training in translational science and research-related regulatory review, this program will enable fellows to build awareness of regulatory requirements into the early stages of medical product development, making both the development and review processes more efficient. Fellows in this program will develop skills of value to future careers in academia, the pharmaceutical industry and government.

Who

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Have a Ph.D., M.D., or other doctoral degree in a related discipline by their appointment date
- Have completed no more than two years of prior postdoctoral training



- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident and have resided in the United States for three of the past five years

When

This is a three-year program. Early September 2021 is the preferred start date.

Where

Fellows will spend the first 12–18 months of the fellowship at the FDA and the remainder of the fellowship at NCATS.

How

Applications are due Jan. 15, 2021, for an early September 2021 start date.

Please submit the following:

- *Curriculum vitae.*
- Personal statement of research goals and how these relate to the fields of translational and regulatory science. Include in this statement how these goals are aligned with one or more of the [project descriptions for 2021](#).
- Three letters of reference.
- Academic transcript for terminal degree.

For more detailed information about program expectations, the training experience and application guidelines, view the [TSIF Guidelines for Application](#).

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