

MASTER'S AWARD FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

The Canadian Foundation for Dental Hygiene Research and Education (CFDHRE) in partnership with the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) announced a dental hygiene award. This is the first time CIHR has funded a grant specifically for dental hygiene research.

Deadline

The application deadline is February 2, 2009. Deadlines for registration are set by the university; please contact them for deadlines, as a pre-selection process may be held at the university level. CIHR will provide each eligible Canadian institution an allocated number of submissions allowed by that institution.

Value of Grant

Maximum of \$17,500 - for more information please refer to **Guidelines** posted on the CIHR website, <http://www.researchnet-recherchenet.ca/>

Criteria

Dental Hygiene research should address these four themes: bio-medical research; clinical research; research with regard to health services; and research into the health of populations, societal and cultural dimensions relating to health.

For more information about these themes please visit the CIHR website at <http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/22630.html#1-A1.1>.

Guidelines

Eligible applicants

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must, at the time of application deadline:

- must be Registered Dental Hygienists in order to be considered for this award.
- be a Canadian citizen or a permanent resident;
- have been registered for no more than ten months as a full-time student in a Master's program;
- be applying for support to pursue their first graduate degree and not have already held an award from SSHRC, NSERC, CIHR or any other federal source to undertake and/or completed a Master's or PhD degree.

For more information see **Eligibility** on the CIHR website, <http://www.researchnet-recherchenet.ca/rnr16/viewOpportunityDetails.do?view=currentOpps&masterList=true&prog=512&sort=program&type=AND&org=CIHR&all=1&resultCount=25&language=E#eligibility>.

How to Apply

Visit the following two web sites to view the application process.

Application accepted through the Frederick Banting and Charles Best Canada Graduate Scholarships - Master's Awards:

<http://www.researchnet-recherchenet.ca/rnr16/viewOpportunityDetails.do?prog=486&view=currentOpps&org=CIHR&type=AND&resultCount=25&sort=program&all=1&masterList=true>

In order to ensure that your application is considered for the Master's Award in Dental Hygiene, you should also consult the following link and follow the how to apply section:

<http://www.researchnet-recherchenet.ca/rnr16/viewOpportunityDetails.do?prog=512&&view=currentOpps&org=CIHR&type=AND&resultCount=25&sort=program&all=1&masterList=true#howtoapply>

Award announcements

Award announcements will be made on July 15, 2009.

For questions about this initiative and research objectives contact:

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