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## OADR Grant Development Office Weekly Digest

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### **Relaunched:**

#### **[CIHR Operating Grant: Early Career Investigators in Maternal, Reproductive, Child & Youth Health program](#)**

The goal of this program is to build research capacity in maternal, reproductive, child and youth health by funding operating grants to early career investigators. The program will fund research across the four pillars (biomedical, clinical, health systems services, and population health) that has the potential to have a significant impact on maternal, reproductive, child and youth health outcomes according to the mandates of the participating CIHR institutes.

**Funds available:** CIHR will fund a maximum of \$35,000/year for up to 3 years for a total of \$105,000, per grant. Applicants must secure a partner contribution from non-federal sources to match the CIHR contribution at a minimum of 1:1 ratio.

**Important changes:** Due to the impact of COVID-19, all those who held ECR status as of March 1, 2020 – or who secured their first academic appointment after this date – will have their Early Career Researcher status extended by one year. In addition, eligible leaves will be credited at twice the amount of time taken when determining early career researcher (ECR) status.

Matching contributions can now include cash and in-kind contributions but must include a minimum of 70% in cash contributions.

**Registration deadline:** December 15, 2020 – 6pm

**RSO's final internal deadline for full application\*:** January 22, 2021 – Noon

*\*Internal approvals at the full application stage will be obtained electronically within the new Research Management System (RMS).*

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## **OADR Grant Development Webinar: ABCs of DMPs - Data Management Plans**

**Wednesday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**11:00 am – Noon**

Data management is an important part of conducting research and data management plans are becoming increasingly important in research grants. Funding agencies may require a data management plan as part of your grant application or at the time of funding. Learn what a data management plan is, what you should consider when creating a plan, and how you can incorporate data management into your next grant application.

**Presenter:** Heather Ganshorn, Associate Librarian, Research Data Management

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