

## **Request for Proposals**

## 2023 Dr. William F. Enneking Career Development Grant

MTF Biologics offers research grants to fund novel research in the fields of allograft transplantation and allograft science which have a high likelihood of impact on scientific discipline and/or on patient care while training the next generation of surgeon-scientists.

The Dr. William F. Enneking Career Development Grant is intended to foster the development of outstanding clinician-scientists while enabling them to expand their potential to make significant research contributions to the fields of orthopaedics surgery. It is expected that following this experience the candidate will be able to pursue an independent and productive career in both research and clinical medicine.

The applicant must be a post-resident M.D. or D.O. from a MTF Biologics Academic Member institution. The institution must have well-established orthopaedic surgery research and clinical career development programs and qualified faculty in clinical and basic research to serve as mentors. The awards may be for up to 3 years and \$250,000 total.

Both clinical science and translational science projects will be considered for funding. Proposed clinical studies should focus on research questions with the potential to affect or benefit clinical decision-making or to contribute critical, clinically relevant data in support of a future, more robust clinical trial.

Proposed translational studies should focus on innovative research in the fields of tissue allograft transplantation and science, novel uses of allografts, combination with other biomaterials to enhance properties, and transformative regenerative medicine technologies relying on allograft tissues and matrices.

Letters of Intent Due Date March 15, 2023

Full Proposal Due Date (if LOI is approved) June 15, 2023

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