

**YOUNG INVESTIGATOR RESEARCH GRANT**  
**Application Instructions**

**General Instructions:** All portions of the form must be completed. Incomplete forms will be not be considered. Although Institutional Review Board (for human studies) or Animal Care Committee (for animal studies) will be required before funding is finally approved, such approval can be deferred until after an initial funding decision has been made.

A complete application includes the following:

1. Cover Sheet (see next page)
2. Research Proposal (limited to 5 pages, excluding references) - aims, background and significance, research plan. Preliminary data should be included, if available, but is not required.
3. Itemized budget (limit to 1 page).
4. Applicant's biosketch (NIH format).
5. Personal Statement (limited to 1 page) - The applicant should indicate how the proposed research project fits with his/her personal career goals.
6. Sponsor's letter of support (if applicant is not a SPP member).
7. Letter of support from Chairperson or appropriate institutional representative which should indicate that adequate resources are available at the applicant's institution to support the proposed project and that the salary support will be provided for the applicant.

Submit 6 copies of the completed form to Raj P. Kapur, M.D., Ph.D., Chairman of the Research Committee, Department of Pathology - Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center, CH-37, 4800 Sand Point Way NE, Seattle, WA 98105.

**Due Date:** February 1, 2003

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**Cover Sheet**

**Applicant's Name:**

**Title:**

**Institution:**

**Sponsor (if applicant is not a member of the SPP):**

**Address for Correspondence (including fax and e-mail):**

**Title of Project:**

**Are animals used in the proposed project?**

(If yes, approval from the applicant's Animal Care Committee will be required prior to release of funds)

**CIRCLE ONE**

**Yes No**

**Are human subjects or tissues used in the proposed project?**

(If yes, approval from the applicant's Institutional Review Board will be required prior to release of funds)

**Yes No**