



Department of Biotechnology
Ministry of Science & Technology
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Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council
(A Government of India Enterprise)

National Biopharma Mission

Industry–Academia Collaborative Mission for Accelerating Early Development for Biopharmaceuticals *Innovate in India (I3)*

Inviting Proposals in the areas of: Vaccines • Biotherapeutics • Medical devices and diagnostics

An Industry–Academia Collaborative Mission of Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India for Accelerating Early Development for Biopharmaceuticals; to be implemented by Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council (BIRAC) – a Public Sector undertaking of DBT.

The National Biopharma Mission is approved for implementation at a total cost of US\$ 250 million, which is 50% co-funded with World Bank Loan Assistance.

This Request for Proposals (RFPs) is to seek individual applications on either of the following:

Focus of the Call

<p>1. Vaccines</p> <p>Support for accelerating development of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Novel vaccine candidates for HPV, Dengue and Pneumococcal • Novel and complex vaccine candidates for other diseases of high burden and priority in India 	<p>2. Biotherapeutics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for development of biosimilars (therapeutic proteins and monoclonal antibodies) for cancer, rheumatoid arthritis and diabetes • Support for establishment of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Process Development Laboratory – CMC Facility – GLP Validation Facility – Cell Line Repository 	<p>3. Medical devices and diagnostics</p> <p>Support for accelerating development of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical medical device technologies for relevant product segments • Core technologies as platform technologies for priority products
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How to apply:

Detailed Mission Document and RFPs can be seen at www.birac.nic.in/nationalbiopharmamission.php

Proposals to be submitted online. Please log on to www.birac.nic.in

Last date for submission **15 December 2017**

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