

NewsFlash!

Reminder: The National Institutes of Health (NIH) recently announced the publication of the revised [NIH Grants Policy Statement](#). This revision is applicable to all NIH grants and cooperative agreements with budget periods beginning on or after **October 1, 2019**. Previous versions of the NIHGPS remain applicable as a standard term and condition for all NIH grants and cooperative agreements with budget periods that began prior to October 1, 2019. This latest revision supersedes, in its entirety, the [NIH Grants Policy Statement \(October 2018\)](#) as a standard term and condition of the award.

Summary of Significant Changes

Section	Significant Change
Chapter 2 – The National Institutes of Health as a Grant-Making Organization	Section 2.3.5 Types of Funding Opportunity Announcements Section 2.3.7.8 DUNS Number and SAM Registration Requirements Section 2.3.7.11 Human Fetal Tissue from elective abortions
Chapter 4 – Public Policy Requirements, Objectives and Other Appropriation Mandates	Section 4.1.15.2, Certification of IRB Approval Section 4.1.3.1 NIH Policy on Dissemination of NIH-Funded Clinical Trial Information Section 4.1.14.2 Human Fetal Tissue from Elective Abortions Section 4.1.27 Research Misconduct Section 4.2.12 Appropriations Mandates

<p>Chapter 11 – Public Policy Requirements and Objectives</p>	<p>Section 11.3.13.1 Statement of Appointment</p>
<p>Chapter 12 – Application Requirements and Submission</p>	<p>Section 12.4.1 Application</p>
<p>Chapter 18 – Grants to For-Profit Organizations</p>	<p>Section 18.5 Small Business Innovation Research and Small Business Technology Transfer Programs Section 18.5.4.1 Program Levels (Total Costs). Updated numbers for program levels and hard caps Section 18.5.5.2 Intellectual Property. Updated language to clarify data rights of STTRs as equivalent to SBIRs Section 18.5.5.4 SBIR Life Cycle Certification. Added language requiring Life Cycle Certification Submissions Section 18.5.5.5 STTR Life Cycle Certification. Added language requiring Life Cycle Certification Submissions</p>

A full summary of significant changes to the NIHGPS can be found [here](#).

Questions?

If you have any questions, please contact the [Contracts and Grants Officer](#) assigned to your unit.