

From Practice to Publication: Building Research into Your Role

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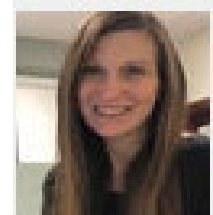
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Disclosures

- None

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Learning Objectives

1. Review upcoming AAPP Grant opportunities
2. Identify opportunities to incorporate research into clinical practice
3. Share research examples and experience from AAPP researchers

AAPP 2025 Practice Expansion Grants

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Goal: Advance the reach and practice of psychiatric pharmacy

What: 2 x \$25,000 grants to support quality improvement

Who: Populations with psychiatric disorders including SUDs directly involving a psychiatric pharmacist

Funding examples: Salary support, consumable supplies and services, patient expenses/reimbursement, equipment, travel for presentation of results

Funding exclusion examples: Resident/fellow salaries, ongoing general operation expenses, equipment > \$10,000 or other capital costs, stipends, indirect institutional costs, activities unrelated to the project

When: Opens April 2025 with applications due October 1, 2025; winners announced December 2025

AAPP Outcomes Grant Award

AAPP 2025 Outcomes Initiative Grant

Multi-Site Prospective Open Label Research Grant: The Benefit of a Psychiatric Pharmacist in Improving Patient Care Outcomes for Depression in Primary Care

What: Primary intervention: BCPP pharmacist compared to usual non-pharmacist primary care provider for patients with new moderate to severe depressive episode

Who: Single site will serve as the central data collection repository and have responsibility as the primary study coordinating site

- Up to \$250,000 grant for the coordinating primary investigator site
- Multiple sites will have the opportunity to participate with collecting data, reporting to the coordinating study site

Timeline: 2-2.5 years

When: Application opens: July 1, 2025 with applications due October 1, 2025

- Planned FAQ session in Mid-July; Date TBD

Panel Discussion

Why is it important for practitioners to contribute to the body of evidence in their field?

What is an example of an idea you identified from daily practice that was developed into a meaningful research project?

What strategies have you found effective for balancing research with your daily responsibilities?

What are some ways to integrate research opportunities into your current role?

Can you share an example of a research project that addressed an administrative priority, like patient safety, that resulted in internal support/resources for your research?

What are barriers you have encountered in finding or being a mentor and how have you addressed?

How can you involve students or trainees in research to benefit their growth and your projects?

Questions?

Thank you for attending!



What strategies have you found effective for building a research network or team both within and outside of your institution?

What skills have you gained from conducting research that you've applied to other aspects of your role?