

SMALL RESEARCH AWARDS COMPETITION

The North East of England and Yorkshire and Humber CAHPR hubs are jointly running a competition to support AHP research and innovation in the region.

The aim is to support up to five AHPs, who are novice researchers, to carry out a small piece of research/innovation, with a view to facilitating these five candidates to develop a research active career in the future.

- **Up to five studies will be funded to a maximum of £1,000 each.**
- **Primary, secondary or service evaluations are welcome to apply.**
- **The money may be used to support salary costs, equipment, patient public involvement, and transcription costs.**
- **NIHR Devices for Dignity are contributing £500 to the awards and therefore priority will be given to funding 1 research project with a focus on patients with long-term conditions.**

Applications are invited from qualified AHPs who are interested in enhancing their research capability and not applicants who have or are studying for a PhD. The application should be made as a group and *must* have a multidisciplinary element with two or more different AHP disciplines represented on the project team.

Within the team there should be an individual who has experience of supervising research students who will act as the applicant's supervisor. *If you are a novice researcher who would like to apply but you are not part of a group and do not know anyone who would be willing to act as a supervisor, please contact us and we will attempt to put you in touch with a suitable supervisor.*

The proposed project should be able to deliver findings within one year. At the end of the project the successful applicants will be asked to present their work at their local CAHPR hub and to write a short paper on their work.

If you have any questions or would like an application form:

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Closing Date: 1st September 2019