

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO STRITCH SCHOOL OF MEDICINE OFFICE OF RESEARCH SERVICES

Salary Support for Research Track Faculty

In general, salary and fringe benefit support for Research Track Faculty (Research Assistant, Associate and Full Professors) is recovered from extramural grants and contracts. However, federal regulations state that time and effort devoted to preparing new grant applications is not an allowable charge to existing project-specific funding. In addition, Tenured or Tenure-track Faculty may have individual start-up, retention or research stimulation accounts that could enhance the productivity of their research program if used to support research faculty. Thus, to provide Research Track Faculty the opportunity to write proposals for new projects and advance their careers as independent investigators and to provide the flexibility required for enhancing strategic research programs, each department or institute may provide salary and fringe benefit support for Research Track Faculty up to 100% time and effort. Funding for this support is limited to department/institute sources (research stimulation, unrestricted gift/grants, start-up, retention packages, etc.), excluding operating budgets funded by the medical school. To insure appropriate accounting and time and effort reporting, the Senior Associate Dean for Research must approve in advance this commitment of time and institutional support.

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