Kuali Research Activity Type Definitions



Activity Types are associated with 'institute' F&A rates that will apply by default to the detailed budget.

An *applicable* F&A rate different from the institute F&A rate can be used for a proposal budget when there are sponsor restrictions, specific opportunity guidance, or special proposal conditions. Some situations may require the F&A Waiver form to be submitted for department, college/division, VPR, and OSP review and approval.

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| Clinical Trials | Clinical trials are clinical research studies involving human or animal participants assigned to an intervention in which the study is designed to evaluate the effect(s) of the intervention on the participant, and the effect being evaluated is a health-related biomedical or behavioral outcome. NOTE: The institute F&A rate for this activity type is a minimum value based on limited scale/scope clinical trial situations. The <i>applicable</i> KR PD budget F&A rate should be consistent with the scope of the trial and the resources used. ** Until further notice, please work with the college RAD, IRB/IACUC/IBC, and OSP to determine applicable F&A rate and direct cost line items. ** This type should NOT be used when a trial is only a component of a larger research project. |
| Construction/Alteration/Renovation | New construction or major noncapital repairs, maintenance, and renovations. |
| Cost of Education | INSTITUTION USE ONLY - not a valid Proposal activity type |
| CSFS (Other) | Colorado State Forest Service - to be used only by CO-5060 |
| CSFS (Research) | Colorado State Forest Service - to be used only by CO-5060 |
| Fellowships/Scholarships | Grants to students resulting from selection by the institution or external sponsor. Recipients of fellowship grants are not required to perform service to the institution as consideration for the grant; nor are they expected to repay the amount of the grant to the funding source. This activity type includes grants-in-aid, trainee stipends, tuition and fees waivers, and prizes. Fellowships are generally for graduate students or post-doctoral scholars. Scholarships are generally for undergraduate students. |
| Instruction | The teaching and training activities of an institution, except for research training as described in Research activity type. Instruction includes all teaching and training activities, whether they are offered for credits toward a degree or certificate or on a non-credit basis, and whether they are offered through regular academic departments or separate divisions, such as a summer school division or an extension division. Instruction also includes sponsored instruction and training which means specific instructional or training activity established by grant, contract, or cooperative agreement. |
| IPA - Research Intergovernmental Personnel Agreement | Temporary assignment of personnel for research-related activities. |
| IPA-Non Research Intergovernmental Personnel Agreement | Temporary assignment of personnel for NON-research-related activities. |
| Mineral Impact - Severance Tax | INSTITUTION USE ONLY - not a valid Proposal activity type |
| Other Sponsored (Public Service) | Programs and projects financed by Federal and non-Federal agencies and organizations which involve the performance of work other than instruction and organized research. Examples of such programs and projects are conferences, consultation, advisory and testing services, health service projects, and community service programs. Also included are cooperative extension programs, such as USDA and affiliated state Extension services. |
| Research | Sponsored research includes all research and development activities that are sponsored by Federal and non-Federal agencies and organizations. This term includes activities involving the training of individuals in research techniques (commonly called research training) where such activities utilize the same facilities as other research and development activities and where such activities are not included in the instruction function. |
| Workshops/Conferences | A proposal for which the only activities are workshop or conference related, in accordance with sponsor opportunity guidelines. This type should <u>not</u> be chosen when a workshop/conference is only a component of a project. |

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