

Funding for research



National Institute for Health Research

	May 2018	June 2018	July 2018	Aug 2018	Sept 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019	Mar 2019	Apr 2019
Efficacy and Mechanism Evaluation (EME)				Commissioned Stage 1 & straight to full Researcher-led Stage 1 Mental Health Themed Call 1pm, 21st								
Health Services and Delivery Research (HS&DR)	Commissioned & Researcher-led Stage 1 1pm, 10th				Evidence synthesis (straight to full) Mental Health Themed Call 1pm, 6th							
HTA commissioned calls	Evidence synthesis (straight to full) 1pm, 24th Evidence synthesis Stage 1 1pm, 30th Primary Research Stage 1 1pm 23rd, 24th & 30th		Primary Research Stage 1 1pm, 19th	Primary Research Stage 1 1pm, 1st								
HTA researcher-led calls				Evidence synthesis & Primary Research Stage 1 1pm, 29th								
HTA themed calls				Mental Health Themed Call Evidence synthesis & Primary Research Stage 1 1pm, 29th								

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Invention for Innovation (i4i)		Product Development Awards Call 16 Stage 1 1pm, 6th			Product Development Awards Call 16 Stage 2 1pm, 26th Challenge Awards Call 8 - Mental Health Stage 2 1pm, 26th							
NIHR Fellowships												
Programme Grants for Applied Research (PGfAR)			Comp 27 Stage 1 1pm, 25th	Comp 26 Stage 2 1pm, 2nd			Comp 27 Stage 2 1pm, 28th					
Programme Development Grants			Comp 22 1pm, 18th				Comp 23 1pm, 28th					
Public Health Research (PHR)			Commissioned 1pm, 24th Mental Health Themed Call 1pm, 30th Researcher-led 1pm, 31st				Commissioned 1pm, 6th	Rapid Funding Scheme 1pm, 31st				
Policy Research Programme (PRP)		Round 20 Stage 2 1pm, 19th										
Research for Patient Benefit (RfPB)			Competition 35 Stage 2 (date tbc) Competition 36 Stage 1 1pm, 18th				Competition 36 Stage 2 (date tbc)					

NIHR Theme: Mental health

The NIHR 2018 Themed Call is 'Promotion of good mental health and the prevention or treatment of mental ill health' across the whole life course.

NIHR welcomes proposals for clinical and applied health research that evaluate healthcare interventions, health services, social care or public health measures operating at either the individual, or the population level. Issues of particular interest include proposals that utilise new digital health technologies or investigate their effects.

The remit for this call includes conditions listed in the Health Research Classification System (HRCS) category '[Mental Health](#)'. Studies may include individuals with co-morbidities included in HRCS category '[Neurological](#)', provided the main focus remains the mental health condition.

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Programme	Initial Call open	Initial Call close	Second Call Open	Second Call Close
Efficacy and Mechanism Evaluation (EME)	7/12/17	Closed	16/04/18	21/08/18
Health Services and Delivery Research (HS&DR)	7/12/17	26/04/18	26/04/18	06/09/18
Health Technology Assessment (HTA) - Primary Research	7/12/17	25/04/18	26/04/18	29/08/18
Health Technology Assessment (HTA) - Evidence Synthesis	7/12/17	Closed	26/04/18	29/08/18
Invention for Innovation (i4i)	25/04/18	6/06/18	31/10/18	12/12/18
Programme Grants for Applied Research (PGfAR)	08/02/18	Closed	01/06/18	25/07/18
Public Health Research (PHR)	7/12/17	Closed	16/04/18	30/07/18
Research for Patient Benefit (RfPB)	04/04/18	18/07/18	27/07/18	21/11/18
Professorships	Sep 2018 (tbc)	Dec 2018 (tbc)		
Clinician Scientist	07/03/10	09/05/18		