Table: Basic Requirements for Submitting Applications to the Following Funders

Funder	Mechanism	Individual Eligibility	Institutional Eligibility
The National Institutes of Health	R01	NIH supports scientists at various stages in their careers, from pre-doctoral students on research training grants to investigators with extensive experience who run large research centers. Each type of NIH grant program has its own set of eligibility requirements. R01: Individuals with the skills, knowledge, and resources necessary to carry out the proposed research are invited to work with their institution/organization to develop an application for support. Individuals from underrepresented racial and ethnic groups as well as individuals with disabilities are always encouraged to apply for NIH support.	The following organizations/institutions are eligible to apply: Public/State Controlled Institutions of Higher Education, Private Institutions of Higher Education, Hispanic-serving Institutions Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions Nonprofits with 501(c)(3) IRS Status (Other than Institutions of Higher Education) Nonprofits without 501(c)(3) IRS Status (Other than Institutions of Higher Education) Small Businesses For-Profit Organizations (Other than Small Businesses) State Governments Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Federally Recognized) Indian/Native American Tribally Designated Organizations County Governments City or Township Governments Special District Governments Independent School Districts Public Housing Authorities/Indian Housing Authorities U.S. Territory or Possession Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Other than Federally Recognized) Regional Organizations Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Organizations) Eligible Agencies of the Federal Government Faith-based or Community-based Organizations.
California HIV/AIDS Research Program	Community Collaborative Research Award	The principal investigator for must be an individual who qualifies for that status under the proposing institution's policies. The principal investigator is expected to supervise or conduct the proposed project personally and directly. For multi-institution proposals, there must be a collaborating investigator with principal investigator status at the institution(s) that is partnering with the applicant institution.	Proposals may be submitted by any nonprofit research institution in the state of California, or any California non-profit 501(c)(3) organization with the capacity to conduct research and administer grant funds.

The Ford Foundation	Sexuality and Reproductive Rights	Emily: It looks like Ford is particularly interested in community-academic collaborations and also in training and capacity building. However, they do *not* explicitly fund HIV-related programs or research, so we would want to talk about how comfortable we are as a group in pursuing funding opportunities that are perhaps more "sexuality/reproductive and sexual health" related and more broad in their scopes of work.	Emily: From what I can tell, universities and CBOs are both eligible--although when I looked at the people funded under the initiative it looks like maybe the university takes the lead, although I'm not totally sure.
The Kellogg Foundation	Healthy Kids and Racial Equity	Emily: The Kellogg Foundation has a couple of programmatic areas that could be potentially useful. One is "Healthy Kids" and the other one is "Racial Equity." An interesting area they fund is food and community, and they actually have funded the People's Grocery in West Oakland, so they certainly are aware of the East Bay and Oakland in particular. UCSF has a large grant from them on dental health, and also one for maternal/child health and parenting--very service oriented. So it looks like it would certainly be worth an inquiry once people get a better idea of what projects they would like to pursue. There is not as much of an emphasis on collaboration from what I could discern. Here is a list of the grants they have made in California: http://www.wkkf.org/grants/grants-database.aspx?q=california	Emily: You can see from the list that again, academic institutions and CBOs are quite common as grantees.