**Name of the Grant:** GlaxoSmithKline Distinguished Scholar Grant in Respiratory Health

**Application Deadline:** April 4, 2022

**Amount of Grant:** $150,000 3-year grant

**Background Information:** As the charitable foundation for the American College of Chest Physicians, the CHEST Foundation has a mission of championing lung health by supporting clinical research, patient education, and community service. More than 95 cents of every dollar raised by the CHEST Foundation goes toward advancing our mission-based programming. Since 1996, we have awarded more than 1,000 grants, totaling over $10 million in funding for clinical research and community service projects. With a reach that spans from Texas to Tanzania, we are an important go-to resource for young investigators seeking research funding, and the projects we support lead to breakthroughs in the treatment of chest diseases and patient care. In 2000, the Distinguished Scholar in Respiratory Health grant was established as a benchmark for clinical innovations that would translate into healthier patient lives.

The GlaxoSmithKline Distinguished Scholar in Respiratory Health is expected to complete an investigative project that has significant impact on respiratory health in the clinical, translational, and/or population health arenas. The scholar is encouraged, but not required, to take advantage of the extensive resources of CHEST, such as the following: (1) collaborations with leaders in the CHEST Airways Disorders Network or various sections; (2) CHEST educational material; or (3) CHEST simulation resources.

The GlaxoSmithKline Distinguished Scholar in Respiratory Health will have a 3-year opportunity to examine issues that relate to patients with respiratory disease. The grant is intended to permit the investigation of issues that are not easily supported by traditional, shorter-term funding opportunities.

**Distinguished Scholar Proposal Focus**
Applications must address research that: (1) enhances scientific knowledge, advances evidence-based medicine, and/or improves clinical/community practice related to critically ill patients; (2) furthers the understanding of the mechanism and management of critically ill patients; or (3) addresses the organizational
attributes associated with the optimal delivery of respiratory health services. Projects must also demonstrate how it will have a positive impact on the lung health of a community.

- **Required Narratives and Attachments**

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**Funding Guidelines**
- $150,000 over 3 years: October 1, 2022, through October 31, 2025
- **Additional Funding Guidelines**

**Additional Details**
- **Qualifications and Eligibility**
- **Requirements/Expectations**

*Applications that do not meet the requirements, do not contain all mandatory components, and/or do not follow proper instructions for submission will not be considered.*

**Grantees can have no more than one active grant from the CHEST Foundation per year.**
**Grantees may only receive one Distinguished Scholar grant from the CHEST Foundation.**