

New Grants.Gov Proposal Type Terminology – OSP Implementation 1/22/08

Proposal Type – Identifies the current stage of the project represented by the proposal / Type of Application

The following are the new Grants.gov Proposal Types and the **Proposal Type Definitions**:

New Proposal Type	Definition	Old Proposal Type
New	An application that is being submitted to an agency for the first time.	<i>New</i>
Continuation	A non-competing application for an additional funding/budget period within a previously approved project period. NIH does not use the SF424 (R&R) for Continuation Applications. (Type 5; Progress Reports for Simplified Non-competing (SNAP) are submitted directly to eRA Commons for others, paper is still submitted).	<i>Continuation</i> <i>(Progress Report – NIH Old term)</i>
Revision	An application that proposes a change in the Federal Government's financial obligations or contingent liability from an existing obligation. Request for additional funds for a current award to expand the scope of work. Applicants should contact the awarding agency for advice on submitting any revision / supplement application.	<i>Supplement</i>
Renewal	An application requesting additional funding for a period subsequent to that provided by a current award. A renewal application competes with all other applications and must be developed as fully as though the applicant is applying for the first time.	<i>Competing Renewal</i>
Resubmission	An application that has been previously submitted, but was not funded, and is resubmitted for new consideration.	<i>Revision</i>
Pre-Proposal	An application that applies only to preliminary proposals (white-paper) that require submission through OSP. Some NSF program solicitations require or request submission of a preliminary proposal in advance of submission of a full proposal. NSF Pre-Proposals must go through FASTLANE and NSF will determine who will be invited to submit full proposals.	<i>Pre-Proposal</i>
Task Order	A proposal requesting funds for work or services to be conducted under an existing Master Agreement (a Master Agreement is a type of contract for services that does not procure or specify a firm quantity of services except through the issuance of individual Task Orders)	<i>Task Order</i>