

### Topic Areas for Submission

- **Health Services Research Priorities** (detailed descriptions available at [Health Services Research and Development Updated Research Priorities \(va.gov\)](https://www.va.gov/hsrd/research-priorities/)); one primary topic area must be selected, with an optional secondary area).
  - Health Equity and Social Determinants of Health
  - Suicide Prevention
  - Access to Care
  - Women’s Health
  - Quality, Safety, and Value of Health Care
  - Primary Care Practice/Complex Chronic Disease Management
  - Disability/Spinal Cord injury/Traumatic Brain Injury
  - Substance Use Disorders including opioids and stimulant misuse
  - Pain Management
  - Long-term Care and Aging
  - Mental Health/PTSD
  - Health Care Informatics and EHR Modernization (Cerner Transition)
  - Implementation Science
  - Whole Health/Population Health
  - Virtual Care/Telehealth
  - COVID-19
- **Health Policy and Legislation** impacting VA (e.g., Foundations for Evidence-based Policymaking Act, MISSION Act, CARES Act [long term COVID impact/deferred care], Hannon Act [mental health], Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act [CARA])
- **Health Services Research Methods**