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February 27, 2026

To: Michelle Shin, Department of Child, Family, and Population Health Nursing, School of Nursing

From: Anjum Hajat, Interim Development Core Director, CSDE  
Matt Dunbar, Science Core Director, CSDE  
Sara Curran, Director, CSDE

Re: Population Health Initiative Tier 2 match

CSDE is pleased to pledge \$3500 in matching support for your PHI Tier 2 proposal *Co-designing a culturally responsive vaccine communication intervention with caregivers and community-based organizations to increase childhood vaccine uptake among East African children*

Contingent upon you receiving the PHI Tier 2 award, we can offer the following:

- \$3500 to be used towards translation and transcription of focus group data and coding and analysis of these data

Additional items that we can offer regardless of our additional funding are:

- Access to our terminal servers for you and your collaborators, which includes access to many useful software packages, including StataMP, Mplus, ATLAS.ti, and Adobe illustrator, as well as extensive, secure, shared, backed-up data storage
- Use of CSDE's instance of REDcap
- A commitment to organize mock panel reviews for any extramural grant applications you develop from this project

If the proposal is successful and the funds are awarded, then it comes with the following additional requirements, which hold for all of our awards:

- Project activities should coincide with the end of the CSDE grant period (June 1, 2026 – April 30, 2027). If for any reason you think you will need a no-cost extension, please request this by Feb 1, 2027.

- Projects that involve human subjects research at any stage will be required to provide evidence of IRB approval for our annual NICHD project report, and complete additional forms and documentation on the nature of the human subjects, such as Inclusion of Women and Minorities and Recruitment and Retention plan. In addition, demographic information related to the sample should be tracked by the awardee (e.g., race and ethnicity and age of enrolled participants).
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- Applicants must provide a short final project report detailing (1) progress towards the stated objectives; (2) obstacles faced and how to overcome (if relevant); (3) details on any proposals already submitted for extramural funding; and (4) plans for subsequent submission of proposals for extramural funding. This will be due three months after the end of the PHI award period, Aug 31 2027.
- CSDE staff may choose to write a news article about each funded project in the CSDE e-news.
- All products generated by this effort should include acknowledgements of CSDE's support. Suggested language is: "Partial support for this research came from the University of Washington Center for Studies in Demography & Ecology, whose funders include a Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development research infrastructure grant (P2C HD042828) and multiple units at UW: the College of Arts & Sciences, Office of Research, eSciences Institute, Evans School of Public Policy, College of Built Environments, School of Public Health, Foster School of Business, and School of Social Work. The content is solely the responsibility of the authors and does not necessarily represent the official views of the National Institutes of Health."

Please inform us of the outcome of the application when it is available, and we can proceed from there.

Sincerely,



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