



Exception Request to the Research Support Rule Faculty of Medicine

While Faculty Members with an equity interest are presumed to be prohibited from receiving sponsored research support, there may be certain circumstances where the benefits of the proposed research outweigh the risks and the financial interest can be appropriately managed. The Standing Committee (or its designee) has the authority to grant an exception. Exceptions will only be granted if the Standing Committee, or its designee, finds that sufficient countervailing circumstances exist to override the presumptive prohibition on the provision of research support.

For more information, please refer to the Faculty of Medicine Policy on Conflicts of Interest and Commitment at the following link: <http://hms.harvard.edu/about-hms/integrity-academic-medicine/hms-policy/faculty-policies-integrity-science/interim-policy-statement-conflicts-interest-and-commitment>.

Name:	<input type="text"/>
Harvard Title:	<input type="text"/>
Email:	<input type="text"/>
Telephone Number:	<input type="text"/>
Role in the research (e.g., Principal Investigator, Co-PI, etc.):	<input type="text"/>
Proposed sponsor:	<input type="text"/>

Description of your financial interest in the proposed sponsor:

Description of the business aims of the proposed sponsor:

Anticipated research start date:

Anticipated length of research project:

Description of research aim:

Please describe your unique qualifications to conduct the research:

Please describe the impact (benefits and drawbacks) conducting this research will have on trainees in your lab:

Please provide any additional information you believe will assist the Committee in determining whether an exception should be granted:

Date: