

Predoc and Postdoc Training Positions
Submit Nominations by January 10, 2025

Predoc and Postdoc trainee positions with the Tissue Engineering and Regeneration Training Grant (TEAM) are available for budget year 46 (July 2025 – June 2026). Trainees may begin funding on July 1st.

Eligibility for Predoc position:

- The student must be working towards a PhD or dual DDS/PhD
- They may not have a prior doctoral degree (PhD, DDS, MD).
- The **applicant must be a US citizen or permanent resident.**
- Student Trainees are required to participate in the Core Training Requirements while actively funded through the T32 grant, and plan to submit an individual NRSA application (F-award) to NIH.

Eligibility for Postdoc position

- The candidate must have a doctoral degree (PhD, DDS, MD)
- DDS and MD candidates must be working toward a PhD
- The candidate must be **US citizen or permanent resident**
- Nominee must have NRSA Eligibility
- All trainees are required to participate in the Core Training Requirements during the months funded through the T32, and submit an individual NRSA application (F-award) to NIH.

Funding: The Grant covers NRSA allowable tuition, Stipend, Health and Dental Benefits, and \$800 towards travel to support trainee research. (Travel support must occur within the Yr 49 budget period estimated to be 7/1/2025 – 6/30/2026).

Note: Tuition and benefit shortfalls will be the responsibility of the home Unit/program/department and Rackham; differential in stipend between UM program-level and NIH-level will be the responsibility of the mentor and cannot be taken from other Federal funds.

Nomination Procedure: Please submit the nomination packet through the **following form:**
<https://forms.gle/8wGCfz76ULkdtLUw8>

The Mentor and the nominated student should work together to provide the following items:

- TEAM Application Face Page
- academic record (unofficial transcript(s) from most recent institution) of the nominee,
- the nominee's curriculum vitae,
- description of the nominee's research with specific aims, relevance to tissue engineering and relevance to oral health
- description of career goals and how participation in TEAM will advance these goals,
- past funding information (UM history and any previous grant appointments)
- Three confidential letters of recommendation are required and can be submitted by the mentor or sent through the TEAM Form.

An emphasis is placed on those performing collaborative research between two mentors in complimentary research fields (e.g., biomaterials and signal transduction).

Nomination packets must be received through the form above no later than **January 10, 2025**. The TEAM Operating Committee will then meet to complete the trainee selection. If you have questions, please contact Patrick Lagua at jeangrey@umich.edu.

Sincerely,

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