



TARGET ALS: ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION FOR APPLICANT INSTITUTIONS

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APPLICATION PACKAGE: *There are no specific forms for your research proposal. However, we request that your application contain the sections described below.*

Full project proposal format:

The total length of the proposal should not exceed 3 pages in Arial 11 pt. The investigator can use the allowable length of the proposal in any way that is most persuasive to describe the project.

The total length should include the following sections:

- Biological Rationale with data justifying in vivo validation
- Target validation approach (AAV or small molecule/biologic)
 - Data showing efficacy of shRNA/cDNA for AAV approach
 - Pharmacokinetics and target engagement data for small molecule/biologics approach

Following sections will not apply towards the 3 page maximum:

- Literature cited
- **Required:** Assurance by the investigator that the study is not in partnership with a for-profit partner or in the case such a partnership exists that the for-profit partner has a license to use SOD1G93A mice from Northwestern University
- Two-page biosketch of investigator

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: FRIDAY, May 15, 2015 AT 5:00 P.M. EST

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS: Please send your application package as a single PDF file to Manish Raisinghani at mr3166@columbia.edu.