DTRA J9CB / JSTO

"Investing in transformational ideas, innovative people, and actionable technology development for Chemical and Biological Defense solutions"

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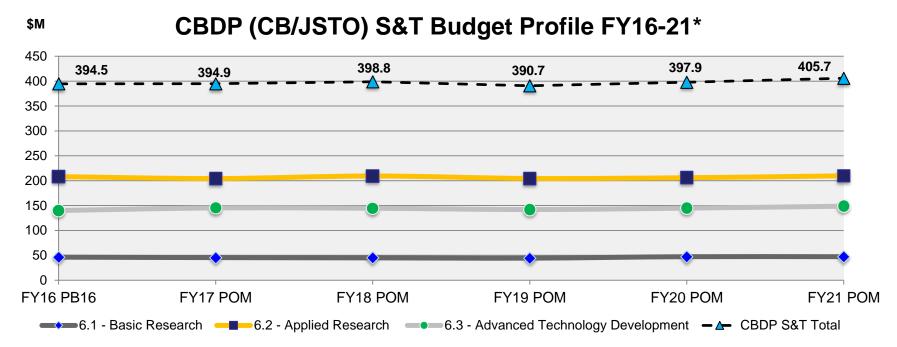
Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA)







Budget "Fact of Life" Changes



- FY16 DOD Appropriation bolstered BA1 (Basic Research) funding while reducing BA2 (Applied Research); managing program risk accordingly
- Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015 likely to effect FY17 CBDP topline





JSTO/JPEO Medical Initiatives

- Cultural change in medical countermeasure (MCM) development
- JSTO/JPEO team approach throughout MCM development process
- Technical/regulatory emphasis vice acquisition system
- Big PHARMA best practices



Wearable CB Exposure Monitor

Goal: A suite of wear-and-forget sensors to provide warning of threat exposure prior to acute symptoms

S&T Objective

- Gain warning of threat exposure prior to onset of mission disruptive symptoms
- Stop relying/waiting on sickness to present itself

Result to the Warfighter

- Deploy drugs sooner, save lives, complete mission
- Potentially change tactics/operations







individualized persistent ubiquitous

population informatics





"Check Engine Light" functionality:

Not a specific diagnostic, but rather a cue for reflexive testing, provide trigger not confirmation

Move awareness of exposure to the left, giving the clinician more time and information

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Program Overview: Doing Business with DTRA

- Broad Agency Announcements (BAA)
 - Grants
 - Contracts
- Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)
- Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR)
- Requests for Proposals (RFP) / Contracts
- CWMD Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity (ID/IQ)
 Contract



Basic Research BAA Solicitation: HDTRA1-11-16-BRCWMD-BAA

- In effect March 2011-September 2016; posted at Grants.gov
- TRL1 and early 2; Basic (6.1) research
- Multiple and consecutive opening & closing periods
 - AT LEAST one annual opportunity solicited by an Amendment to the BAA; usually posted to Grants.gov in early December
- All applications MUST be submitted to <u>www.grants.gov</u> using the application packages posted with the opportunity
- Resulting awards will be grants only
- Four categories of awards: Single Scope; Multidisciplinary; Young Investigator;
 Seed Awards
- Questions? Email: dtra.belvoir.J9.mbx.HDTRA1-BRCWMD-A@mail.mil

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Fundamental Research BAA Solicitation: HDTRA1-14-24-FRCWMD-BAA

- In effect March 2015-September 2024; posted at Grants.gov
- TRL1, 2, 3, and ~early 4; Basic and exploratory Applied Research (6.1 & 6.2)
- Applications MUST be submitted to Grants.gov using the application packages posted with the opportunity
- Majority of resulting awards will be grants; other award types are permissible
- BAA continuously OPEN for good ideas
 - HOWEVER interested parties must first send e-mail (200 word max) to Thrust Area Email detailed in BAA
 - Based on interest, a White Paper may be accepted
- Questions? Email: dtra.belvoir.J9.mbx.HDTRA1-FRCWMD-A@mail.mil



Chem-Bio Technologies BAA Solicitation: HDTRA1-14-CHEM-BIO-BAA

Chemical Biological Technologies Department BAA, FY2014 – FY2016 Program Build

Applied Research & Advanced Technology Development

- Seeks R&D projects with strong technical merit valuable to program requirements and goals to improve military chemical and biological defense capabilities
- Closed for new topics, expect new Chemical Biological Technologies
 Department BAA, FY2017 FY2021 Program Build in summer timeframe
- Parallel DoD/Government 'Service Call' for Government Labs
- Questions? Email: dtra.belvoir.J9.mbx.CB-FY14-16-BAA@mail.mil



R&D Innovation and Systems Engineering Office, Science and Technology New Initiatives BAA Solicitation: HDTRA1-11-16-RDIS-BAA

Efforts that advance technical state-of-the-art or increase knowledge and understanding to combat WMD

- BAA continuously OPEN for innovative technologies; Phase I (Quad Chart/2-page White Paper) submissions may be made at any time
- TRL2 thru TRL5
- Five Topic Areas (Chemical/Biological; Counter WMD; Radiation/Nuclear;
 Reachback and Decision Support; and Treaty Verification and Compliance)
- Questions? Email: dtra.belvoir.J9.mbx.RDIS-11-16-BAA@mail.mil
- Expect new BAA Mar/Apr timeframe





CWMD RĎ ÍĎÍQ Contracts 10-year-Multi-award \$4B Ceiling

- Capability to conduct research and development resulting in the delivery of data, hardware, software, equipment and documentation for 11 functional areas:
 - 1. Counter WMD Weapons and Targets
 - 2. Modeling and Simulation
 - 3. Systems Engineering
 - 4. Systems Survivability
 - 5. WMD Physical Countermeasures
 - 6. WMD Medical Countermeasures
 - 7. Technical Nuclear Forensics
 - 8. Nuclear Detection
 - 9. Standoff Detection
 - 10. Treaty and Verification Technologies
 - 11. Sensor Platforms





CBD SBIR and STTR

Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) programs are:

- Congressionally-mandated programs
- Established to fund R&D at small businesses
- Three-phased process
- Funded as a set-aside assessment of extramural R&D budget
- U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) programmatic authority over federal SBIR & STTR programs (Program Policy Directives)
- DoD has 12 SBIR/STTR Programs ('components')
 - DTRA and Chem/Bio Defense (CBD) represent two separate programs; see: https://sbir.defensebusiness.org





DoD SBIR/STTR Solicitations

Dates established by OSD Office of Small Business Programs; not all DoD Components participate in each solicitation; CBD SBIR to participate in FY16.1 cycle and CBD STTR in FY16.C cycle

- A DoD Agency-wide announcement includes:
 - DoD Instructions
 - Service/Component-specific Instructions
 - Topics

Solicitation Schedule – FY16			
Solicitation	Pre-Release	Open	Close
SBIR 16.1 & STTR 16.A	11 Dec 15	11 Jan 16	17 Feb 16
SBIR 16.2 & STTR 16.B	22 Apr 16	23 May 16	22 Jun 16
SBIR 16.3 & STTR 16.C	26 Aug 16	26 Sep 16	26 Oct 16



Proposal submission

- Basic Research (Solicitation HDTRA1-11-16-BRCWMD-BAA) and Fundamental Research (Solicitation HDTRA1-14-24-FRCWMD-BAA) submitted to:
 - http://www.grants.gov
- Chem-Bio Technologies BAA (Solicitation #HDTRA1-14-CHEM-BIO-BAA) and the R&D Innovation and Systems Engineering Office, Science and Technology New Initiatives BAA (Solicitation HDTRA1-11-16-RDIS-BAA) submitted to:
 - https://www.dtrasubmission.net
- ALL DoD SBIR & STTR proposals (small businesses only) submitted to:
 - https://sbir.defensebusiness.org

Proposals only accepted via electronic submission

READ THE INSTRUCTIONS!

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Some Helpful Resources

- Business Opportunities at DTRA:
 - http://www.dtra.mil/Contracts/BusinessOpportunities.aspx
- Doing Business with DoD:
 - http://www.defense.gov/landing/contract_resources.aspx
- Guide to DoD Contracting Opportunities:
 - http://www.acq.osd.mil/dpap/cpic/cp/docs/Doing_Business_with_DoD_%282_ Jun14%29.pdf
- Federal Business Opportunities:
 - https://www.fbo.gov/
- Grants:
 - http://www.grants.gov
- DoD Office of Small Business Programs Doing Business with the DoD:
 - http://www.acq.osd.mil/osbp/sb/dod.shtml
- DoD SBIR/STTR Program Information for Small Business:
 - https://sbir.defensebusiness.org