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Project Requirements and Description

Requirements to submit AOI

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A comprehensive review of previously published data has been completed	Yes
The specific aims are clear and focused	Yes
The investigator has appropriate experience and expertise to develop the concept proposal; if not, has identified a mentor or senior co-investigator.	Yes
The investigator agrees to develop an initial draft of the concept proposal within 6 weeks of approval of the AOI and to finalize the concept proposal within 6 months	Yes

Project Title Impact of Rurality on Healthcare Utilization, Behaviors, and Health Status of Childhood Cancer Survivors

Planned research population (eligibility criteria)

Survivors of childhood cancer in CCSS cohort with reported zip codes

Proposed specific aims

1. Determine the effect of rurality on healthcare utilization and type of medical care among childhood cancer survivors.
2. Describe the impact of rurality on health behaviors (e.g., tobacco use, alcohol use, and physical activity) among childhood cancer survivors.
3. Evaluate the association between rural residence and health status in childhood cancer survivors compared to urban/suburban residence.

Will the project require non-CCSS funding to complete?

No

If yes, what would be the anticipated source(s) and timeline(s) for securing funding?

Does this project require contact of CCSS study subjects for:

Additional self-reported information	No
Biological samples	No
Medical record data	No

If yes to any of the above, please briefly describe.

What CCSS Working Group(s) would likely be involved? (Select all that apply)

Second Malignancy	
Chronic Disease	
Psychology/Neuropsychology	
Genetics	
Cancer Control	Primary
Epidemiology/Biostatistics	Secondary

Outcomes or Correlative Factors

Late Mortality	
Second Malignancy	

Health Behaviors

Tobacco	Secondary
Alcohol	Secondary
Physical Activity	Secondary
Medical Screening	Primary
Other	

If other, please specify

Psychosocial

Insurance	Correlative Factors
Marriage	Correlative Factors
Education	Correlative Factors
Employment	Correlative Factors
Other	

If other, please specify

Medical Conditions

Hearing/Vision/Speech	
Hormonal Systems	
Heart and Vascular	
Respiratory	
Digestive	
Surgical Procedures	
Brain and Nervous System	
Other	

If other, please specify

Medications

Describe medications

Psychologic/Quality of Life

BSI-18	
SF-36	
CCSS-NCQ	
PTS	
PTG	
Other	

If other, please specify

Other

Pregnancy and Offspring	
Family History	
Chronic Conditions (CTCAE v3)	Correlative Factors
Health Status	Secondary

Demographic

Age	Correlative Factors
Race	Correlative Factors
Sex	Correlative Factors
Other	Primary

If other, please specify

Zip code

Cancer Treatment

Chemotherapy	Correlative Factors
Radiation Therapy	Correlative Factors
Surgery	Correlative Factors

Anticipated Sources of Statistical Support

CCSS Statistical Center	Yes
Local Institutional Statistician	No

If local, please provide the name(s) and contact information of the statistician(s) to be involved.

Will this project utilize CCSS biologic samples?

No

If yes, which of the following?

If other, please explain

Other General Comments

This proposed project will utilize participant zip codes as reported in follow-up surveys 5, 6, and 7 to determine the effect of rurality on healthcare utilization, behaviors, and health status within the CCSS cohort. Zip codes will be converted to Rural Urban Commuting Area Codes to determine rurality.

Agree

I agree to share this information with St. Jude

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