**Indiana Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute (CTSI)**

**KL2 Early Career Investigator Awards in**

**Clinical – Translational Research**

**Application**

**Submission deadline is 11:59:59 PM January 5, 2022**

**Include all materials listed on the “*Background and Instructions*” document, page 4, *Instructions for Submission*, in one electronic file and upload to WebCAMP.**

\*\*\* ***Please limit your response to questions 1 through 9 to six pages\*\*\****

***Use no smaller than 11 point font, 1 inch margins. The amount of space devoted to a specific question can be expanded or shortened but the total number of pages for questions 1-9 cannot exceed 6 pages. Citations and references are required (reference section does not count towards the 6-page limit).* Appendices are discouraged and should not be used to circumvent page limits.**

**Begin application on the next page and limit to six pages, no smaller than 11 point font, 1 inch margins.**

**2022 CTSI KL2 Early Career Investigator Application**

**Applicant’s Name**:

1. **Title** of Application:
2. **Abstract** of the research proposal – Provide a high level overview of the study, the design, sample type and size, and any other key features (limit to 150 words).
3. **Research Plan** – Briefly describe your proposed research plan (recommended length, 2-3 pages).
4. **Research Experience/Interests** – Summarize your research experience/interests, including preliminary work accomplished to date (recommended length, ½-1 page).
5. **Mentoring Plan** – Describe your mentoring plan and how you will specifically work and meet with your primary and co-mentor, individually and together (recommended length, 1 paragraph).
6. **External Funding** – What type of grant do you intend to submit for extramural funding in the next 12 months? Preferences are for a K08, K23, VA, foundation or career development awards, an R21/R01, or equivalent (recommended length, 1 paragraph).
7. **Training Plan** – What is your formal training plan? (recommended length, ½ page)
8. **Why** are you applying for the CTSI KL2 Young Investigator Award? (recommended length, 1 paragraph)
9. **Experiential Learning Opportunity** – The NIH is encouraging some type of experiential learning opportunity for individual training grants in a venue outside of the trainee’s current research team. Examples can include (but are not limited to) brief experiences with an industry partner, government agency, community organization, or health care setting. What type of experiential learning (short or long) would expand your research and broaden your understanding of the field and its application to human health and disease? (recommended length, 1-2 paragraphs)