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1 Research
Activities that are established by a grant, contract, or cooperative agreement that are separately budgeted and accounted for on a project by project basis.

2 Training
Also known as Research Training. Activities involving the training of individuals in research techniques where such activities utilize the same facilities as other research activities and where such activities are not included in the Instruction function. These activities include the research training of pre- and post-doctoral candidates to become productive, independent investigators.

3 Career
Also known as Research Career. For support of a postdoctoral or early career research scientists committed to research, in need of both advanced research training and additional experience.

8 Other Sponsored Activity (OSA)
Programs and projects established by a grant, contract, or cooperative agreement which involve the performance of work other than instruction and organized research.

Instruction (in Program Types only)
Teaching and training activities established by a grant or contract. This includes agreements which support curriculum development as well as teaching/training activities (other than research training) whether offered for credit toward a degree or certificate, on a non-credit basis, or through regular academic departments or by separate divisions, summer school, or external division.

*Definitions and examples for Basic Research, Applied Research and Development are available on page 4.
1 Research

1 Research > Research Types

- **Basic Research**
  - **Definition**: Research undertaken primarily to acquire new knowledge without any particular application or use in mind.
  - **Example #1**: A researcher is studying the properties of human blood to determine what affects coagulation.
  - **Example #2**: A researcher is studying the properties of molecules under various heat and cold conditions.
  - **Example #3**: A researcher is studying the heart chambers of various fish species.

- **Applied Research**
  - **Definition**: Research conducted to gain the knowledge or understanding to meet a specific, recognized need.
  - **Example #1**: A researcher is conducting research on how a new chicken pox vaccine affects blood coagulation.
  - **Example #2**: A researcher is investigating the properties of particular substances under various heat and cold conditions with the objective of finding longer-lasting components for highway pavement.
  - **Example #3**: A researcher is examining various levels of a toxic substance to determine the maximum safe level for fish in a stream.

- **Development**
  - **Definition**: The systematic use of the knowledge or understanding gained from research directed toward the production of useful materials, devices, systems, or methods, including the design and development of prototypes and processes.
  - **Example #1**: A researcher is conducting clinical trials to test a newly developed chicken pox vaccine for young children.
  - **Example #2**: A researcher is working with state transportation officials to conduct tests of a newly developed highway pavement under various types of heat and cold conditions.
  - **Example #3**: A researcher is working with the U.S. government to design a new stream monitoring system that will incorporate the latest research findings on toxicity levels for fish.