Request for Proposals Under RFP: NHLBI-HB-04-16

Retrovirus Epidemiology Donor Study-II (REDS-11), Coordinating Center

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Section 2, "Background/Statement of Work Section" is revised by the addition of the following tasks:

- 12. Analyze all study data collected during REDS-II. Analytic and statistical capabilities needed shall include not only descriptive epidemiological analyses, but categorical and longitudinal data analyses, multivariate regression models, and analysis capabilities specific to case control studies, cohort studies, and complex survey designs. Analysis capabilities shall include the ability to model transfusion-transmitted risks using established models or by developing novel models and methods as necessary. For laboratory studies, sensitivity and specificity analysis may be needed where there may not be a gold standard.
- 13. Complete analysis of study data to be delivered in SAS format. At close out of the study, create public use data sets for each data collection activity with documentation. These shall exclude individual detailed information appropriate for independent use by an investigator external to the study and unfamiliar with details of the data.
- 14. Assist the Steering Committee in preparation of scientific reports for publication and presentation.
- 15. Develop, update, and implement an approved Automated Information System Security Plan (AISSP) for the REDS-II Coordinating Center.