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THIS NOTE SERVES AS A WARNING AND NO ACTION IS REQUIRED AT THIS TIME.

During the review of your application entitled

NIH staff and/or reviewers noted that one or more of the biosketches included in the application did not comply with the new biosketch format requirements (NOT-OD-15-032;

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-15-032.html>). Applications with biosketches that do not follow the current guidelines for format and content are non-compliant. You should be mindful that non-compliance can have serious consequences. NIH may withdraw any application identified during the receipt, referral and review process that is not compliant with the instructions in the SF424 (R&R) Application Guide, the Funding Opportunity Announcement, and relevant NIH Guide Notices (see <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-15-095.html>). Instructions for preparing a compliant biosketch can be found at <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-15-032.html>.

Your current application will not be withdrawn. There is no need to correct your biosketch(s) at this time. Indeed, as stated in NOT-OD-13-030, <https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-13-030.html>), you cannot submit updated biosketches after the submission of the grant application.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact the Scientific Review Officer who managed review of your application; that information can be found in eRA Commons or at the end of the meeting roster on your summary statement. Also, please feel free to contact anyone in this office, at the e-mail address provided below, if you need more clarification about implementation of this policy.

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