



## **Sylvester Innovates Fund – Biomedical Competition Co-Sponsored by U Innovation**

### **Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)**

#### **1. What types of projects are supported?**

Projects should focus on innovative solutions in biomedical or health-related fields. These may include:

- Therapeutics (drug discovery, biologics)
- Medical devices
- Diagnostics and biomarkers
- Digital health and AI applications

#### **2. How do I apply?**

Please apply via email submission to [sylvesterinnovates@med.miami.edu](mailto:sylvesterinnovates@med.miami.edu)

#### **3. What are the eligibility criteria?**

The PI (or Co-PI) must be a full member of Sylvester's (Cancer Centers Support Grant) CCSG.

#### **4. What is some general application advice?**

- Understand the medical context in which your therapeutic or wearable will make a difference.
- Talk to clinicians who know the field before applying.
- Relate how your solution solves the identified problem. A mismatch between the solution and the need will be noticed.
- Include preliminary results and a research plan, focusing on critical data demonstrating feasibility and experiments showing translatability.