



**Grant Resources: Locating Funding Opportunities --
Worksheet**

This worksheet will guide you systematically through the research process.

I am seeking funding on . . .

Provide a detailed description of the funding you are seeking. Underline/highlight the primary keywords in your description to use as terms in your search strategy.

What has been funded (similar to what you are seeking?) . . .

Using the CRISP Database, search for the top 25-50 funded grants that relate to the above description. Limit your search to the appropriate years. If you think there is a great deal of funding in an area limit to 2006. If you think there is limited funding in an area, limit to a broader range of years.

What funding is currently available . . .

Using the InfoEd: SPIN/Smarts, Community of Science and GrantsNet, or other databases, list relevant:

Key words: _____

Award types: _____

Other key terms or information:

Let's Begin Searching!

How can I keep up with funding opportunities . . .

Based on the results of above searches, determine which database you feel would be most useful to keep abreast of funding opportunities. Check one:

Community of Science InfoEd: SPIN/Smarts* Grants.gov

Using the e-mail alert feature, set up a strategy to retrieve e-mail alerts on relevant funding opportunities.

*Contact your Grants Specialist

My Grants Specialist is: _____ Ext. _____
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