

# Where is My Money? September 15, 2020

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## I'm Funded!

- In addition to our work on Proposals, the Pre-Award team is also responsible for initiating the award set-up process when research funding is awarded
- Depending on the type of funding, the time it takes to set up an award can vary



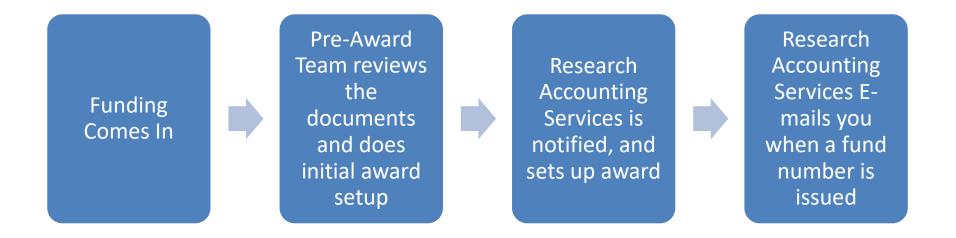
#### The Golden Rule

A Fully Routed COEUS record is **required** for the Pre-Award team to start setting up your award

- This isn't just a rule- on a technical level, it is impossible for Pre-Award to start setting up an award without an Institute Proposal Number, which COEUS generates once the record is fully routed.
- A COEUS Record is required even for opportunities where the PI themselves can submit without ORA authorization
- Modifications to existing awards are an exemption to this, but some will require new COEUS- please ask your PA if unsure



#### The Basic Process





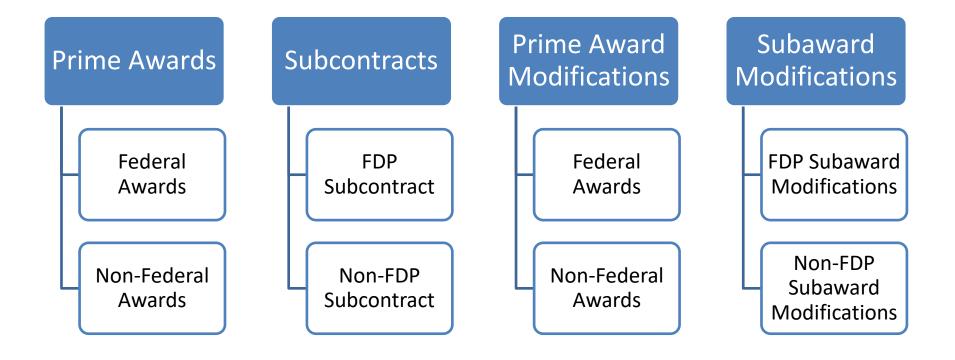
#### The Less Basic Process

While the Process itself is basic, there are many situations that can occur that add extra steps to the process

- Every method of funding has a different process it goes through before Pre-Award can do the initial setup
- If an award requires a signature, steps are added to obtain a signature from a Drexel Signing Representative, and we must wait for a countersigned document in return before processing
- In some cases, Drexel's Contracts team will need to review the contract



# Types of Incoming Funding





#### Prime Awards-Federal Awards

Examples: National Science Foundation (NSF), National Institute of Health (NIH), National Aeronautics & Space Administration (NASA)

- Once Pre-Award has the Notice of Award, they will preform the award set-up
- If the Award asks for a signature, Pre-Award will obtain the signature, return to the sponsor, and wait for a countersigned copy before preforming the award set-up

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#### Prime Awards- Non-Federal Awards

Examples: City of Philadelphia, American Heart Association, UNICEF

- If there are no terms or conditions, Pre-Award will set up the award
- If there are terms and conditions, Pre-Award will hand off Notice of Award to Contracts team for review and signatures
- Contracts team will review/negotiate contract terms, and once the Sponsor and Drexel agree, will get all required signatures
- Contracts team then returns the negotiated, signed contract to preaward, who will preform the set-up.



#### Subcontracts- FDP Form

Used for Subawards coming from Federal contracts

- Pre-Award Team will notify the PI and RA, ask for review and approval before proceeding, and for any additional material (such as budgets) requested by the sponsor
- PA will review contract, may negotiate changes with sponsor
- PA will obtain Drexel Signing Authority Signature, and return to the sponsor
- Once the sponsor returns a countersigned copy, the PA will set-up the award

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#### Subcontracts- Non FDP Form

- Pre-Award will hand Subcontract off to Contracts team, Contracts team will review/negotiate contract terms, and once the Sponsor and Drexel agree, will get all required signatures
- Once Contracts Team returns a negotiated copy of the contract to Pre-Award, PA will set-up the modification

SUBCONTRACT AGREEMENT
Between
Drexel University
And
ISUBCONTRACTOR NAME

This Agreement, Subcontract #[SUBAWARD/FUND#] is made between Drexel University (hereinafter known as "Drexel"), a Pennsylvania non-profit corporation with offices at 1505

(hereinafter known as "Drexel"), a Pennsylvania non-profit corporation with offices at 1505 Race Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19102, <mark>USA</mark> and [SUBCONTRACTOR NAME] (hereinafter known as "Subcontractor"), an entity with offices at [SUBCONTRACTOR ADDRESS].

WHEREAS, Drexel is the recipient of Grant [GRANT NUMBER] from [SPONSOR] ("Prime Sponsor") for support of a project entitled "[PROJECT NAME]", (hereinafter known as "Prime Award"), which is made a part of this Agreement and attached as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the effort to be performed by Subcontractor under the Prime Award involves an approved collaborative effort between Drexel and Subcontractor;

THEREFORE the parties mutually agree as follows:

#### 1.0 PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

The period of performance begins [START DATE] ("Start Date") and shall not extend beyond [END DATE] ("End Date") unless amended in writing by the parties. Subcontractor is not obligated to continue work or provide services and Drexel is not obligated to compensate Subcontractor for expenses incurred or commitments made before the Start Date or after the Fnd Date

#### 1.1 STATEMENT OF WORK

Drexel's Project Director for the purpose of technical direction of grant performance is Dr. IPI NAME

Subcontractor's Project Director is [SUBCONTRACTOR PLNAME]. Subcontractor shall not change the Project Director without Drexel's prior written approval.

Subcontractor agrees to provide the necessary personnel, facilities, equipment, materials and data to perform the work in accordance with its proposal, which is incorporated into this Agreement as Exhibit B. Any material change in the scope of work requires Drexel's prior writter approval.

#### 1.2 ESTIMATED COST

The work defined in Exhibit B will be performed on a cost reimbursement basis in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. The total estimated cost budget which is hereby incorporated into this Agreement as Exhibit C is SIBUDGET AMOUNT] and represents the maximum reimbursement amount for the period of performance unless modified in writing by the parties. Funding awarded unter this Agreement is consistent with the budget cycle of the Prime Award. It is anticipated that continuation awards will cycle each year on or about IBUDGET PERIOD.



#### Prime Award Modifications- Federal Awards

Examples: National Science Foundation (NSF), National Institute of Health (NIH), National Aeronautics & Space Administration (NASA)

- Once Pre-Award has the Modification, the PA will set up the modification
- If the Modification asks for a signature, Pre-Award will obtain the signature, return to the sponsor, and wait for a countersigned copy before setting up the award



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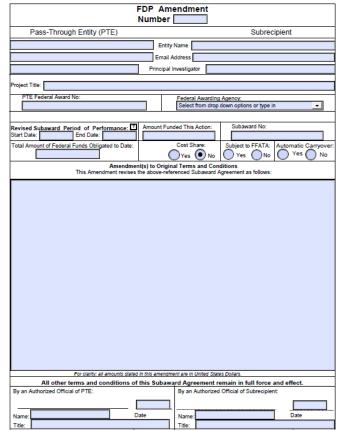
- PA will read the award
- If there are no changes to the Statement of Work or Terms and Conditions,
   PA will work to obtain any signatures that are needed, and when a fully signed copy is available, will set up the modification
- If there are any changes made to Statement of Work or Terms and Conditions, the contracts team will review the modification, obtain any signatures required, and return it to Pre-award for setup



## Subcontract Modification-FDP Form

Used for modifications for Subawards done with FDP Form

- Pre-Award Team will notify PI and RA, ask for review and approval before proceeding, and for any additional material (such as budgets) requested by the sponsor
- PA will obtain Drexel Signing Authority Signature, and return to the sponsor
- Once the sponsor returns a countersigned copy, the PA will set-up the modification



FDP Bilateral Mod Sept.20

#### Subcontract Modification- Non-FDP Form

Pre-Award Team will notify PI and RA, ask for review and approval before proceeding, and for any additional material (such as budgets) requested by the sponsor

- If the **only** changes being made are dates and/or money, PA will work to obtain any signatures that are needed, and when a fully signed copy is available, will setup the modification
- If there are **any** changes being made other than dates and/or money, the contracts team will review the modification, obtain any signatures required, and return it to Preaward for setup

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SUBCONTRACT BETWEEN DREXEL UNIVERSITY AND

This Amendment No. 1 ( "Amendment") is made and entered into on the last date of signature by and between Drexel University ("University") and("Other Party")
WHEREAS, University and Other Party entered into a Subcontract effective 6/24/2019 ("Subcontract") under Grant CTA1 826 20197212706 between University and ("Prime Sponsor") dated for a project entitled "" (the "Prime Agreement"); and
WHEREAS, University and Other Party mutually desire to amend certain terms of the Subcontract by entering into this Amendment;
NOW, THEREFORE, the Subcontract is hereby amended as follows:
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2. Except as set forth in this Amendment, the Subcontract is unaffected and shall continue in full
force and effect in accordance with its terms. If there is a conflict between this Amendment and
the Subcontract, the terms of this Amendment prevail.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the duly authorized representatives of the parties hereby cause this

Amendment to be duly executed.



# Set-Up Delays

- Pre-Award Never Received the Documents
  - <u>DUResearch@drexel.edu</u> is the general inbox for Pre-award. It's the email address that goes on all proposals that are submitted via ORI
  - If you receive a Modification or an NOA and see that <u>DUResearch@drexel.edu</u> was not included on the e-mail, it is likely that Pre-award does not have a copy
- NOA/Mod is missing critical information
  - Start Date, End Date, budget info- if an NOA/Modification is missing key information, Pre-Award will need to reach out to the sponsor and obtain that information before we can begin initial setup



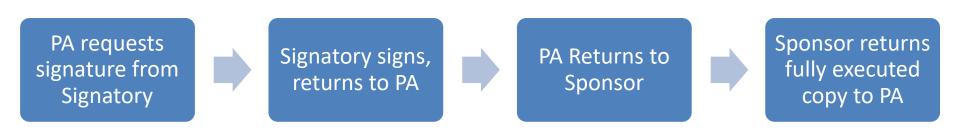
## Set-Up Delays

#### Coeus Record

- Record not fully routed
- No Record created in a situation where a record was required

#### Fully Executed document not returned

- A document is fully executed when it is signed by both Drexel and the sponsor
- When a document requiring a signature comes in, PA will work to have it signed by a signing authority
- Once the document is signed, PA will return it to the sponsor, and wait for them to countersign and return the document to Drexel





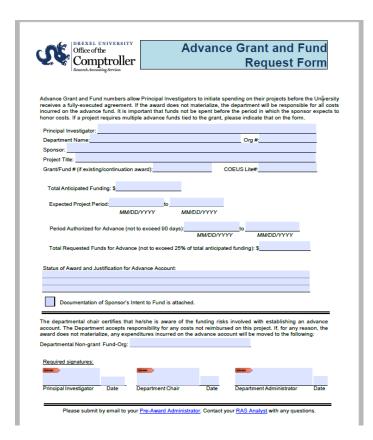
#### What Can I Do?

- Contact your Program Administrator in Pre-Award
  - Your PA can check the progress of your documents.
  - PAs can also check in with sponsors to ensure that documents were properly received
- Utilize Advance Accounts
  - Advance Accounts allow access to funding on a temporary basis while waiting for a fully executed agreement

#### Advance Accounts

Advance Accounts can be used to temporarily create accounts while waiting for a fully executed Award/Modification/Subaward

- Advance Accounts can only be authorized for a limited period (90 days), and for up to 25% of expected funding
- A sponsor intent to fund is required
- Must be signed by the PI, the Department Administrator/RA, and the Department Chair
- Once completed and returned to PA, the PA will setup the advance
- When the fully executed document is available,
   PA will change account from Advance to Active





#### Additional Resources:

Please visit <u>drexel.edu/research</u> for the following resources:

- Training and Tutorials on COEUS
- A list of PAs by School/Department
- Links to the Advance Account Form
- FAQs

Always feel free to contact Pre-award with any questions or for additional information: <a href="http://drexel.edu/research/about/pa/">http://drexel.edu/research/about/pa/</a>