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Dear Vice-Deans,

Yesterday (evening), ZonMw published a program document describing the set-up of the COVID-19 research program (call budget willion), and more specifically, the thematic scope, available budgets, and procedures of the forthcoming so-called 'Second Wave' calls.

Several themes within the two program areas *Care and prevention* and *Societal dynamics* link well to Tilburg research. Note that ZonMw encourages an interdisciplinary approach, connecting with (international) ongoing research, and collaboration with citizens, professionals and private parties.

Please forward this email to the departments for which this COVID-19 program update is relevant. This way, interested researchers become aware and are ready for action once the calls are published (~May 1-May 6), as it appears that the timeframe for submitting proposals is just a few weeks.

Note that Grant Support has also sent a newsflash based on the current information (see the enclosed mail) to our newsletter subscribers, so it might be that researchers receive the same information twice.

Best regards, (10)(2e)

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Dear Vice-Deans.

Last Friday, ZonMw (and NWO) published an <u>update on the COVID-19 research program</u> (call budget €27 million). This 'second wave' call will offer substantial funding for research projects. Below we have summarized the update information.

Please forward this email to the departments for which this COVID-19 program update is relevant. This way, interested researchers become aware and are ready for action once the call is published (by the end of April / beginning of May).

A.s.a.p. after call publication, Grant Support will inform the broader TiU community in more detail by means of a newsflash and factsheet. And of course, we will be available to help applicants with developing competitive proposals.

Hartelijke groet, Kind regards,

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Aims

- Contribute to combating the consequences of the coronavirus (COVID-19) in the short and longer term.
- Generate new knowledge about prevention, treatment, recovery from this infectious disease and broader social issues related to it

Budget

- The program budget is €¹⁰⁾⁽²⁰million.
- The program is financed by the Ministries of Health, Welfare and Sport, OCW and NWO.

Scope

- Three focus areas:
 - o Predictive diagnostics and treatment
 - Care and prevention, including transmission
 - o Social consequences of the coronacrisis and measures to combat it.
- In addition to new knowledge and practical solutions to limit the negative consequences of the pandemic, research is needed
 to learn from the negative and positive experiences, both now and in the longer term.
- There will be room for different types of research (from fundamental to action research).

Approach

For each focus area, three approaches will be applied:

- The ultra-fast method for questions that need to be tackled as a matter of urgency. This method of working will be submitted
 by invitation as soon as possible.
- A second method is thematic, bottom-up rounds for research proposals.
- A third approach is the so-called 'policy and practice incentives' aimed at small projects and studies. This is aimed at (quickly
 and concisely) addressing concrete policy questions and providing practical impulses.

Timetable

- The thematic grant rounds will be open at the end of April/early May.
- Awarding of urgent research questions will be announced at the end of May.

More information

• More detailed information is expected to be available on the ZonMw grant calendar by the end of April.