



Proposed timeline for Scientific Research Committee Grants 2025/26

Timeframe, though broadly accurate, is subject to amendment should circumstances require.

Stage	Provisional dates
Workshop	08/05/2025 & 13/05/2025
Applications open for submission	27/05/2025
Deadline for receipt of applications	27/08/2025
Receipt confirmed	28/08/2025
Applications must pass admin check to reach next stage (If not forwarded to next stage, applicant informed)	05/09/2025
Expert review process (two stages)	08/09/25 – 09/01/26
Expert reviews sent to principal applicant for comment	12/01/2026
Deadline for response from Principal Applicant	23/01/2026
NICHS Senior Leadership Team meet to discuss applications	21/01/2026
Grant committee (SRC) meets recommend studies for funding	25/02/2026-26/02/2026
Recommendations issued to NICHS Finance Committee	March 2026
Principal Applicant informed of decision	April/May 2026
Contracts and related issued to successful applicants	April/May 2026