Manage Awards Quick Reference Guide

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Manage Award Deliverables

Deliverables are entered in the system by the Specialist in the Office of Research Administration and the Study Staff in the Department during award set up, however the proposal team is responsible for managing and completing the deliverables in the system. A list of deliverables are displayed on the Deliverables tab of the Award Workspace. The Manage Deliverables activity can be accessed in Draft or Active Award states.

Where do I start?

1. On the Award Workspace, click the Manage Deliverables activity.

Select the Add button.

2. Click the Add Deliverables, Add button.

Add Deliverables

3. Complete the required fields to add the deliverables.

Add Deliverables

4. When complete, click OK to return to the Workspace.
Request/Submit Award Modification

Follow these steps if you need to Request an Award Modification. For example, a No Cost Extension, Rebudgeting, or Carryover.

Where do I start?

1. On the Award Workspace, Select Request Award Modification.

Request Details.

2. Complete the required fields and include any supporting documentation.

Add Deliverables

3. To complete the process, click Finish.
Reconcile Award Budget

ORA enters a sponsor award amount during allocation setup. If those amounts differ from the funding proposal’s budget, adjust the award budget accordingly. Like allocation setup, budget reconciliation occurs in a Grants funding award, and can be done when setting up the award or afterward.

**Prerequisites for this task:**
You’ve opened an award for editing.

**Where do I start?**

1. Go to the Award/Authorized Budget Reconciliation page.
2. Select the allocation to reconcile (Only authorized allocations are available.) A list of budget categories appears.

**Import proposal budget (optional)**

3. Click Import ($) to populate the budget categories with amounts from the proposal’s budget.
4. Check the budget periods from which to import amounts.
5. Click OK.
The award budget categories populate with amounts from the proposal budget.

**Adjust amounts to match award**

6. Adjust imported values until the total amount for each budget category is correct, then click Continue. Budget reconciliation totals are compared with recorded sponsor awarded totals in the page header.

Grants calculates indirect cost by including categories flagged with the dagger in the indirect cost base, then multiplying the base by the indirect rate specified in allocation setup determines which budget categories show the dagger.
Appendix - Funding Proposal Workflows and State Transitions

Workflow for Single-Project Proposals

1. Create Funding Proposal
   - Draft
   - Department Review: Response Pending from PI
   - Specialist Review: Pending Changes by PI
   - Final SPO Review

2. SPO Status Confirmation
   - Pending Sponsor Review
   - Pending Sponsor Review Award Anticipated

3. JIT Response Required
   - Award Notification Received
   - Not Funded

4. End States
   - Not Submitted
   - Withdrawn from Sponsor
   - Awarded
The States and Transitions tables on the following pages show the activities various roles and assignments can perform in a Funding Proposal in a given state, and how those activities change the state. The available roles and assignments are described below:

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<th>Role</th>
<th>Assignment</th>
<th>Typical Activities</th>
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<td>Study Staff</td>
<td>Contribute to initial drafting of the proposal and budget. Can include Principal Investigator/Program Director, co-investigators at the same institution as the PI, and administrative staff for the Principal Investigator’s department. May include other stakeholders, such as science contributors, and administrative staff who provide quotes for budgets, prepare budgets, or assist with formatting.</td>
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<td>Department Approver</td>
<td>Signs off on behalf of the PI’s local unit within the institution, typically referred to as the department, division, or institute.</td>
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<td>Department Administrator</td>
<td>Coordinates and develops a final proposal product and budget in accordance with institutional and agency requirements, administers and monitors contract and grant awards, including sub recipient administration in compliance with regulations, terms and conditions.</td>
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<td>Specialist Finance/Grant</td>
<td>Conducts central review on behalf of the institution. This person may also be the authorized organizational representative that submits the application package electronically using the SF424 tool, or provides a signature in offline systems.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Contract Specialist</td>
<td>Manages contracts and agreements with external parties to ensure that institutional policies are adhered to.</td>
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| New Funding Submission | Study Staff and Specialist Finance/Grant | • Submit for Department Review  
• Withdraw Proposal | Draft  |
| Draft            | Study Staff                     | • Request Changes (to the proposal)  
• Disapprove (the proposal)  
• Approve (the proposal) | • Department Review: Response Pending from PI  
• Disapproval by Department  
• Specialist Review  |
| Department Review | Department Approver              |                                 | • Department Review  
• Not Submitted  |

**Note:** Up to 4 Department Approval cycles can be configured, based on up to 4 levels of approver set up in the organization’s Department Approver section. Each level of Department Approver must successively approve the component. When the last Department Approver approves the component, the proposal transitions to the Specialist Review state.
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| Department Review: Response Pending from PI | Study Staff | • Withdraw Proposal  
• Submit Changes to Department Reviewer | • Not Submitted  
• Department Review |
| Specialist Review | Specialist Finance/Grant | • Final Review  
• Specialist Requests Changes  
Sends a proposal back to the study staff member who created the proposal to make requested changes. Checking the associated check box requires the Department approver to re-approve the proposal to return it to the Specialist. | • Final SPO Review  
• Specialist Review: Pending Changes by PI |
| Specialist Review: Pending Changes by PI | Study Staff | • Submit for Department Review  
• Submit Changes to Specialist | • Department Review  
• Department Review or Specialist Review |
| Final SPO Review | Specialist Finance/Grant | • Return to Specialist Review | • Specialist Review |
| Final SPO Review | Specialist Finance/Grant | • Submit to Federal Sponsor  
• Submit to Sponsor via Proposal Team  
• Submit to Non-Grants.gov Sponsor | • Pending Sponsor Review |
| Pending Sponsor Review | Specialist Finance/Grant | • Funding Anticipated  
• JIT Changes Required | • Pending Sponsor Review: Award Anticipated  
• JIT Response Required |
| Pending Sponsor Review | Specialist Finance/Grant | • Award Letter Received  
• Withdraw Submitted or Not Funded Proposal:  
  o From Sponsor  
  o Not Funded | • Award Notification Received  
• Withdrawn from Sponsor  
• Not Funded |
| Contract Specialist, Study Staff (PI) | Notify SPO of Grant Status | | SPO Status Confirmation |
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For evaluating PI’s funding status notification; SPO makes the final decision on disposition. | Specialist Finance/Grant | • Award Letter Received  
• Funding Anticipated  
• Return to Pending Sponsor Review  
• Withdraw Submitted or Not Funded Proposal | • Award Notification Received  
• Pending Sponsor Review Award Anticipated  
• Pending Sponsor Review  
• Not Funded |
| JIT Response Required | Study Staff | Submit JIT Response | • Pending Sponsor Review Award Anticipated |
| Pending Sponsor Review: Award Anticipated | Specialist Finance/Grant | • Award Letter Received  
• Withdraw Submitted or Not Funded Proposal  
• JIT Changes Required | • Award Notification Received  
• Not Funded  
• JIT Response Required |
| Award Notification Received | Specialist Finance/Grant | Activate  
This activity is available in the workspace of an award in the Draft state that is linked to this funding proposal. | • Awarded |