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2025 Grant Cycle Update

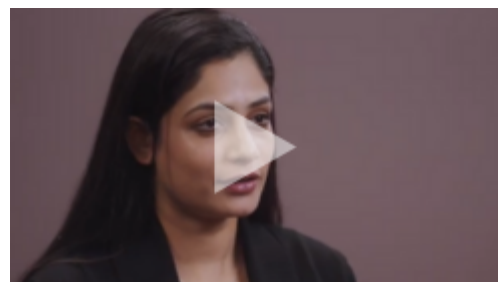
The 2025 application cycle closed Thursday, December 5, 2024, for KidneyCure research grants including the:

- Ben J. Lipps Research Fellowship Program
- Pre-Doctoral Fellowship Award Program
- Transition to Independence Grants Program
- William and Sandra Bennett Clinical Scholars Program

Volunteers on the [Grants Review Committee](#) (Ben J. Lipps Fellowship Program and Transition to Independence Grants Program), the Pre-Doctoral Fellowship Review Panel, and the Bennett Review Panel reviewed 155 applications. The KidneyCure Board of Directors will assess the committee's recommendations in March and award grants to up to 20 investigators this year. These new investigators will join the 22 basic and clinical scientists supported by KidneyCure who will conduct more than \$2.8 million worth of research into kidney diseases in 2025. More details to come this summer.

Grant Recipient Video: Qandeel H. Soomro, MD

In an interview with KidneyCure, Qandeel H. Soomro, MD, Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine at NYU Grossman School of Medicine, discusses her research and how receiving KidneyCure support as a young investigator set her “on the right path” for success. Dr. Soomro received the 2022 Donald E. Wesson Research Fellow grant for her project phenotyping heart failure in patients with chronic kidney disease. Her ultimate goal is to use these findings to develop a risk prediction tool.



Grant Recipients at Work

Current and former KidneyCure grant recipients work across the research spectrum to advance community understanding and treatment of kidney diseases. Find recent publications and press coverage highlighted by KidneyCure grant recipients [here](#).

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