Request for Nominations: External Review Panel Members

In 2012, the Pfizer Medical Education Group (MEG) is adopting a new model of grant-making that endeavors to acknowledge the synergies that can be achieved by supporting quality improvement initiatives along with continuing education for healthcare professionals. We believe that to truly have an impact we must support solutions to public health issues, help meet the educational needs of healthcare professionals and play a more direct role in support of quality improvement initiatives that close professional practice gaps and are aligned with our company's interests.

The new system employs a Request for Proposal (RFP) model and includes the addition of **External Review Panels** whose charge will be to review, evaluate and ultimately approve or deny submitted Letters of Intent and proposals. Panel members may also consult on the development of RFP's. Members of the External Review Panels will consist of professionals from the healthcare community with advanced degrees and expertise in a particular clinical area, or expertise in CME, CE, Continuing Professional Development (CPD), Quality Improvement and/or Public Health Administration. Ideally, all members will have published previous works and/or have proven accomplishments.

Membership on an External Review Panel would include the following:

- One year tenure, with an option for a second year
- Compensation (honorarium), based on Fair Market Value, for services rendered
- Travel and expense reimbursement for any live panel meeting(s)
- Participation in virtual meetings with the full panel
- Appropriate resolution of any Conflicts of Interest

NOTE: More detailed information on roles and responsibilities will be made available to interested individuals.

We are seeking nominations of qualified, interested individuals in the following areas of expertise:

- Educationalist (CME/CE/CPD)
- Quality Improvement
- Public Health Administration

Clinical Focus

- Vaccines
- Oncology
- Smoking Cessation
- Pain & Inflammation
- Infectious Disease
- Women's Health

<u>To be considered for 2012</u>, please submit nominations, along with contact information and a current CV or resume to <u>mededgrants@pfizer.com</u> by February 29, 2012. MEG is always open to accepting nominations from those individuals interested in serving as a panel member in the future. All submissions and/or inquiries will receive a response.

For additional information, or to submit questions please contact the MEG team at 1-866-MEG-4647 or email <u>mededgrants@pfizer.com</u>.

