### Funding agency specific criteria - AMED

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| **Funding agency website** | - About AMED [http://www.amed.go.jp/](http://www.amed.go.jp/)  
- Grant Program; “Research Program on the challenges of Global Health issues” [http://www.amed.go.jp/en/program/list/03/01/040.html](http://www.amed.go.jp/en/program/list/03/01/040.html) (Eng)  
 [http://www.amed.go.jp/program/list/03/01/040.html](http://www.amed.go.jp/program/list/03/01/040.html) (Jap) |
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| **Specific requirements in terms of call scope** | - The Principal Investigators applying for this call must be based at a Japanese institution which is eligible for AMED grants.  
- The AMED will not fund research focussed on vulnerable populations in high income countries through this call. Applications to the AMED must focus on low- and middle-income countries. |
| **Eligible institutions** | - The Principal Investigator has to be based at an eligible research institutions in Japan, in line with AMED eligibility policy: URL  
- It is not permitted for the same person to be Principal Investigator on more than one proposal submitted to this call. |
| **Co-investigator ** requirements | Research team must be comprised with one or more collaborating researcher(s)* who belongs to a collaborating research institute(s) of the LMICs.  

*Collaborating researcher is a researcher who collaborates with research project but his/her affiliating institution can’t conclude a contract to use a grant. （研究協力者）

** Co-investigator and collaborating researcher are different. Co-investigator(s) is a researcher who collaborates with research project and his or her affiliating institution concludes a contract to use a grant. （分担研究者） |
| **Project location requirements** | Projects funded through the AMED should focus upon countries with low or middle income economies. World Bank definitions of low and middle income economies can be found at DAC List of ODA Recipients |
| **Eligible costs and further information on funding conditions** | Research grants will be awarded in line with standard of AMED policy. Details of the information about eligible costs and further information can be found on the AMED web site. |
| **Anticipated amount of funding available for this call** | - 0～1 project is expected to be awarded.  
- The total grant is up to ¥10.000.000 per year for up to 3 years. |
| **Notes** | - AMED requires a letter of support signed by the director of the institution where the principal investigator belongs to.  
- Please also refer the supplemental guideline and supplemental application form for AMED Applicants: URL（Jap）[http://www.amed.go.jp/koubo/030120170207.html](http://www.amed.go.jp/koubo/030120170207.html)  
- Every applicant must submit the supplemental application form by e-mail to [chikyukibo@amed.go.jp](mailto:chikyukibo@amed.go.jp). |