Admin/Rules of Engagement

This call as being recorded (will post to https://www.afwerx.af.mil/coronavirus.html)

Use Q&A function to ask questions (not chat or verbal) - will be answered in order

Scheduled for one hour - no issue finishing early

Introductions - AFVentures, AFX/PK, SBIR Center of Excellence

Three tools to discuss today:

● COVID-19 Request for Industry Information
● DAF ACT Commercial Solutions Opening
● SBIR Direct-to-Phase II
https://www.afwerx.af.mil/
COVID-19 Task Force

Powered by the Department of Defense

In a time of unprecedented change and disruption, the Department of the Defense has established the Joint Acquisition Task Force (JATF) for COVID-19 initiative to assess and rapidly respond to challenges presented by this pandemic.

To kick off the effort, we are collecting information from both government and non-government personnel who are interested in getting involved. All resources and solutions are welcome from industry, academia, Department of Defense personnel, venture capital firms, individual contributors and more.

Join the Fight

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION - NON-GOVERNMENT

VOLUNTEER FORM - GOVERNMENT

Your submission will help us assess opportunities, strategize our response, coordinate solutions, and provide you further information on ways to get involved.
We're grouping submissions based off the following categories so we can quickly match solutions with needs:

1. Combating the Spread (predictive analytics, next hotspot, threat to current activities, decision support, etc.)

2. Welfare of citizens (effects to transportation, movement of people and goods, education and development, physical training, regular HR functions, job transition, etc.)

3. Readiness (continuing operations through the outbreak, coordinating with allies and partners, continuing long term projects, etc.)

4. Logistics (security and protection, supply chain protection and assessment, etc.)

5. Industrial base impacts (small businesses, payments, contracts, large system programs, protection and expansion of critical assets, etc.)

6. Medical (telehealth, medical capacity and sustainment, medical supplies and equipment, etc.)

**Review specific urgent needs for the medical category here.**

7. Other
Next Steps:

We have a Joint team - the COVID-19 Operational Planning Team (OPT) - combing through RFI responses to match solutions to Department needs.

A member of that team will reach out to you directly with requests for clarifications and next steps (no need to respond requesting updates)

Friday mass updates from our team to let you know if we have not yet found a match for your solution
COMMERCIAL SOLUTION OPENING
Air Force Acquisition COVID-19 Task Force (DAF ACT)
https://beta.sam.gov/
Select “Contract Opportunities” and search “CSO_COVID_19”
CSO_COVID_19 Response

Background & Authority

The Department of the Air Force (DAF) has been tasked to address mission needs in response to...

Department/Ind. Agency
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
MISSION FOCUS AREAS

I. **Combating the Spread** (predictive analytics, next hotspot, threat to current activities, decision support, etc.)

II. **Welfare of Citizens** (effects to transportation, movement of people and goods, education and development, physical training, regular HR functions, job transition, etc.)

III. **Readiness** (continuing operations through the outbreak, coordinating with allies and partners, continuing long term projects, etc.)

IV. **Logistics** (security and protection, supply chain protection and assessment, etc.)

V. **Industrial Base Impacts** (impacts on small businesses, payments, contracts, large system programs, protection and expansion of critical assets, etc.)

VI. **Medical** (telehealth, medical capacity and sustainment, medical supplies and equipment, etc.)

VII. **Other** - Any solution/proposal that is not covered by the above topic areas but support the national response to the COVID-19 pandemic

Additional details, and specific requirements established within these Mission Focus Areas will be published separately, within an AoI, by the COVID-19 DAF ACT acquisition teams. All AoIs will be posted as amendments to this solicitation on the Government Point of Entry (GPE): [https://beta.sam.gov/](https://beta.sam.gov/)

Note: In the event of any ambiguities between any information posted on the GPE website, the AFWERX COVID19 website ([https://www.afwerx.af.mil/coronavirus.html](https://www.afwerx.af.mil/coronavirus.html)), or other web or social media posting relating to this CSO, the information on the GPE website will be controlling.
SBIR Direct-to-Phase II

Topic: AF20.R-DCSO1
Welcome to the DSIP (Defense SBIR/STTR Innovation Portal)!

First visit? We’ve created an in-depth Learning & Support section to guide you through the elements of the Innovation Portal and the submission process.

First visit to DSIP but prior user in the previous DoD Submissions Portal? We’ve imported your Submissions account into DSIP, so you can use your same username to log in. Please click Forgot Username or password and follow the steps to set up your new password and get started.

If you already have a DSIP account, you can log in using your existing credentials. If you don’t remember your username and/or password, you can recover them here.
Scroll down and select “Air Force” tab - Solicitation “X20.R”

### Past Announcements

#### Current Announcements

*Dates Subject to Change*

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**Beta.SAM.gov**

- Posting: March 30, 2020
- DSIP Open: April 8, 2020
- Close: April 30, 2020

### Upcoming Announcements

#### Air Force SBIR Instructions and Topic

- AF X20.R Direct to Phase II (pdf)
- AF x20.R Amendment 1 (pdf)

#### Attachments

- AF X20.RCOVID-19 Focus Area Interests (pdf)
- AF X20.R Customer Memorandum Template (docx)
- AF X20.R CSO Fund Matching Form (docx)
SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH (SBIR) PROGRAM X20.R SBIR COMMERCIAL SOLUTIONS OPENING (CSO) AF VENTURES DIRECT TO PHASE II

The Air Force (AF) invites small business firms to submit proposals under this CSO for the Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program.
### Contract Opportunity

**General Information**

**Classification**

**Description**

**Attachments/Links**

**Contact Information**

**History**

- What you think matters!

**Provide Feedback**

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SBIR AF20.R-DCSO1 - Quick Look

Up to $1M funding opportunity (not only for COVID-19 related solutions)


Solicitation closes April 30th at 12:00 PM Eastern Time

COVID-19 Focus Areas - see Attachment 1 of Solicitation.

IF your solution addresses one of those Focus Areas, please send an email to COVID@afwerx.af.mil with the Subject Line “SBIR 20.R - [Firm Name]”
You are welcome to join the next call

Thursday, April 9th at 1:00 PM Eastern Time

Register to attend here: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_eX3k_9RrS4ukT037aGpO1A

Recording and registration link available at https://www.afwerx.af.mil/coronavirus.html