

Genzyme is proud to continue the **Genzyme Renal Innovations Program (GRIP)**, which distributes individual grants to researchers, clinicians, and fellows in the field of nephrology.

Based on our enduring commitment to the advancement of medical knowledge and practice in kidney diseases, the program provides 1- to 3-year grants for research initiatives. An independent medical review board comprising worldwide leaders in the nephrology community evaluates all grant proposals.

Research topics for the 2010 grants are as follows:

- **Epigenetics in renal disease**
- **Mechanisms of cystogenesis**
- **Regulation of oxidative stress in renal disease**
- **Pathophysiology and therapeutic targeting of vascular dysfunction and calcification in CKD**
- **Regenerative pathways in renal repair**

Please note the submission process deadlines:

A Letter of Intent must reach Genzyme by February 15, 2010

Proposals must reach Genzyme by May 5, 2010

Grant recipients will be announced June 2010 at EDTA

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