Encumbered Funds must be spent directly on the Grant Project or spent on closely related work that supports, extends, or facilitates the Grant Project. This matrix is not intended to be an exhaustive list of allowable and unallowable expenses and does not apply to prevention grantees. Additional guidance regarding authorized expenses for a grant award may be provided by the statutory provisions, Texas Administrative Code (TAC) rules, terms of the grant contract, or the Texas Grant Management Standards (TxGMS). If guidance from TxGMS on a particular issue conflicts with a provision of state law, administrative rule, or the grant contract, then the specific provision shall prevail over TxGMS.

NOTE: Expenses that are not otherwise allowable expenses for reimbursement from CPRIT grant funds cannot generally be counted toward the matching funds requirement. See Policy and Procedures Guide § 6.4.3 Examples of Appropriate Matching Funds Expenditures https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/.

Expense Type	Description	Academic Research	Product Development
Administrative Services	 Indirect costs associated with the normal business activities of an institution/company and are not readily identified with or directly charged to a specific sponsored project award (i.e., administrative salaries, rent) P&P Guide § 10.9 Indirect Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Allowable	Allowable
Advertising and Public Relations Costs	 Advertising to recruit personnel, procure goods and services, dispose of materials, or promote a CPRIT project 	Allowable	Allowable
	O Public relations incurred to communicate with public and press pertaining to specific activities or accomplishments that result from performance of federal/state award	Allowable	Allowable
	Costs of displays, demonstrations, exhibits, promotional items	Unallowable	Unallowable
	O Costs of meeting rooms, hospitality suites, and other special facilities used in conjunction with shows and other special events	Unallowable	Unallowable
	o Salaries and wages of employees engaged in setting up and displaying exhibits,	Unallowable	Unallowable
	making demonstrations, and providing briefings	Unallowable	Unallowable
	Costs of publicizing or directing attention to any individual official or employee		
	TAC § 703.26(e)(13) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml		

Expense Type	Description	Academic Research	Product Development
	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Advisory Council Meeting Costs	Advisory Board members or Board of Director's Stipends	Unallowable	Allowable
	P&P Guide § 10.8 Other Expense Category https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Alcoholic Beverages	TAC § 703.26(e)(4) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Audit Services	P&P Guide § 12.2 Allowable Audit Expense https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	Allowable	Allowable
Bad Debts	Interest on debt	Unallowable	Unallowable
	O Interest on other financial cost TAC § 703.26(e)(8) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Benefit Replacement Pay	 Benefit replacement pay Legislatively mandated pay increases for eligible general revenue-funded state employees at grantee state agencies or universities 	Unallowable Unallowable	Unallowable Unallowable
	TAC § 703.26(e)(9) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml		
	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		

Expense Type	Description	Academic Research	Product Development
Bonuses and Severance Pay	Terms in the Grant Contract	Allowable	Allowable
Communications	 Telephone Internet services Videoconferencing services Postage Cell phone stipends (all mobile phone expenses must be through the organization) P&P Guide § 6.4.3 Examples of Appropriate Matching Funds Expenditures https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Allowable Allowable Allowable Allowable	Allowable Allowable Allowable Allowable
Compensation	 An employee's salary amount that exceeds CPRIT's \$200,000 cap for reimbursement based on that employee's level of effort documented on the PLOE An employee's salary who works on indirect activities Wages and salaries Fringe benefits P&P Guide § 6.4.3 Examples of Appropriate Matching Funds Expenditures https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	Allowable Allowable Allowable Allowable	Allowable Allowable Allowable Allowable
Contributions	O Contributions to a contingency reserve or similar provision for unforeseen events TAC § 703.26(e)(2) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	Unallowable	Unallowable
Deferred Giving	o A charitable remainder annuity trust, a charitable remainder unitrust, or a pooled income fund TAC § 703.11(d)(6) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable

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Displays, Demonstrations, and Exhibits	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	Unallowable	Unallowable
Donations	P&P Guide § 6.4.3 Examples of Appropriate Matching Funds Expenditures https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	Unallowable	Unallowable
Entertainment	 Amusements Social Activities Tickets to Shows or Sports Events Meals Lodging Rentals Transportation (see Transportation section for full list) TAC § 703.26(e)(4) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable	Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable
Equipment and Other Capital Expenditures	 Tangible, nonexpendable items of equipment having a useful life of more than one year with a unit cost of \$5,000 or more. P&P Guide § 10.5 Equipment Expense Category https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Allowable	Allowable
Fines and Penalties	 Costs resulting from violations of or failure to comply with federal, state, local, or Indian tribal laws and regulation TAC § 703.26(e)(6) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Unallowable	Unallowable

Expense Type	Description	Academic Research	Product Development
Food and Beverages	 Welcome/Recruitment/Teambuilding Gatherings Meals for clinical trial patients if included in the grantee's initial budget 	Unallowable Allowable	Unallowable Allowable
	TAC § 703.26(e)(5) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml		
	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Fundraising, Lobbying, and Public	TAC § 703.26(e)(9)(16) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
Relations Costs	P&P Guide Section 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Funds (non-governmental)	 Including private funds, foundation grants, gifts and donations expended on the CPRIT funded project, not ancillary business costs 	Allowable	Allowable
	TAC § 703.11(c)(4) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml		
Funds (state and/or federal)	 Federal funds, including, but not limited to, American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 funds, and the fair market value of drug development support provided to the recipient by the National Cancer Institute or other similar programs; State of Texas funds; funds of other states expended on the CPRIT funded project, not ancillary business costs 	Allowable	Allowable
	TAC § 703.11(c) (1-3) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml		
Honorary Gifts or Gratuitous Payments	TAC § 703.26(e)(7) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Immigration Visa fees and Associated Costs	 Longer term, immigration visas Short-term, travel visa costs 	Unallowable Allowable	Unallowable Allowable

Expense Type	Description	Academic Research	Product Development
	TAC § 703.26(e)(14) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml 2 CFR § 200.463 (d) P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
In-Kind Costs	TAC § 703.11(d)(1) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
Income earned by the Grant Recipient that is not available at the time of Grant Award	TAC § 703.11(d)(4) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
Indirect Costs (unrecovered)	Not to exceed ten percent (10%) of the Grant Award amount, subject to the following conditions: (A) These costs are not otherwise charged against the Grant Award as the five percent (5%) indirect funds amount allowed under §703.12(c) of this chapter (relating to Limitation on Use of Funds); (B) The Grant Recipient must have a documented federal indirect cost rate or an indirect cost rate certified by an independent accounting firm; and (C) The Grant Recipient is not a public or private institution of higher education as defined by §61.003 of the Texas Education Code TAC § 703.11(c)(5) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Allowable	Allowable
Insurance	 Liability Clinical Trial Insurance Other similar types of insurance TAC § 703.26(e)(10) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml P&P Guide § 6.4.3 Examples of Appropriate Matching Funds Expenditures https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable	Allowable Allowable Allowable
Intangible Property	 Non-copyrightable intangible property costing \$500 or more; such as domain names, URLs, software licenses, etc. 	Allowable	Allowable

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	P&P Guide § 10.5 Equipment Expense Category https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Interest or Financing Payments	 Interest on borrowing or other financial costs unless specifically authorized by applicable OMB Circulars and/or UGMS. TAC § 703.26(e)(8) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs 	Unallowable	Unallowable
	https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Late Fees	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	Unallowable	Unallowable
Legal Expenses	Legal expenses required for program administration	Allowable	Allowable
	 Legal expenses for prosecutions of claims against the Federal Government P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Unallowable	Unallowable
Legislative Expenses	 Salaries and other expenses associated with lobbying the state or federal legislature or similar local governmental bodies, whether incurred for purposes of legislation or executive direction. This includes the Office of the Governor and/or State legislatures, tribal councils, or other local governmental bodies. 	Unallowable	Unallowable
	TAC § 703.26(e)(9) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Maintenance, Operation and Repairs	o Utilities	Allowable	Allowable

Expense Type	Description	Academic Research	Product Development
	Facility Insurance	Allowable	Allowable
	Security	Allowable	Allowable
	 Janitorial services 	Allowable	Allowable
	Equipment repairs	Allowable	Allowable
	Services to keep property in efficient operating condition, that do not add to the		
	permanent value of the property and are not also included in rental charges for the space		
	are allowable.		
	P&P Guide § 10.8 Other Expense Category		
	https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Markups	The amount added to the cost price of goods to cover overhead and profit.	Unallowable	Unallowable
Materials and Supplies	P&P Guide § 6.4.3 Examples of Appropriate Matching Funds Expenditures	Allowable	Allowable
	https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Membership Fees/Dues	Subscriptions to business, professional, and technical periodicals in the name of the	Allowable	Allowable
Membership, Subscription, and	grantee (not an individual employee) grant related and approved by CPRIT	Allowable	Allowable
Professional Activity Costs	 Membership cost required for conference registrations in the name of the grantee, (not an individual employee) grant related and approved by CPRIT 		
	o Memberships in business, technical, and professional organizations whose primary	Unallowable	Unallowable
	purpose is lobbying	77 11 11	YY 11 1.1
	o Professional association fees or dues for the grantee or an individual employee	Unallowable	Unallowable
	TAC § 703.26(e)(12) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml		
	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs		
	https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Noncash Contributions	TAC § 703.11(d)(3) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
Overtime	P&P Guide § 10.2.4 Overtime	Allowable	Allowable

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	https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Patent Fees and Costs	The grantee bears responsibility for costs associated with patents and patent applications claiming their CPRIT-funded inventions, unless the award contract specifically states otherwise. P&P Guide § 5.12 Intellectual Property and Revenue Sharing Terms https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	Unallowable	Allowable Refer to applicable Request for Application
Pre-existing Real Estate of the Grant Recipient Including Building, Facilities and Land	TAC § 703.11(d)(5) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
Professional Association Fees or Dues	 For the grantee or individual employee P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Unallowable	Unallowable
Professional Services	 Costs of professional and consultant services rendered by persons who are members of a particular profession or possess a special skill, and who are not officers or employees of the grantee P&P Guide § 10.7 Contractual Expense Category § 10.8 Other Expense Category https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Allowable	Allowable
Promotional Items	 T-shirts, coffee mugs, buttons, pencils, and candy that advertises or promotes the project or grantee TAC § 703.26(e)(13) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Unallowable	Unallowable

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Publication and Printing Costs	Publication costs for electronic and print media, including distribution, promotion, and general handling	Allowable	Allowable
	P&P Guide § 10.8 Other Expense Category https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Registration Fees (for Conferences and Seminars)	P&P Guide § 10.8 Other Expense Category https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	Allowable	Allowable
Relocation Expenses	 Lab moves for initial relocation to Texas Lab furniture, construction materials, and interior design Principal Investigator/individual staff relocation provided these expenses are stipulated in an employment contract, are reasonable, and the documentation including the employment contract and invoices are provided to CPRIT TAC § 703.26(a)(1) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml 	Unallowable Unallowable Unallowable	Allowable Unallowable Allowable
Rental or Lease of Facilities and Equipment	 Rental costs are allowable to the extent that the rates are reasonable at the time of the decision to lease in light of such factors as rental costs of comparable property, if any; market conditions in the area; the type, life expectancy, condition, and value of the property leased; and available alternatives. P&P Guide §_10.8 Other Expense Category https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/ 	Allowable	Allowable
Severance Pay	O Must be outlined in employment contract and documentation provided to CPRIT TxGMS Compensation-Fringe Benefits 2 CFR § 200.431 https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/grant-management/	Allowable	Allowable
Subcontractors	o Grantees may use subcontracts or other relationships with one or more subcontractors described in the application and reflected in the approved budget. The amount of	Allowable	Allowable

Expense Type	Description Description	Academic Research	Product Development
	subcontract expenditures that can be counted toward match is limited to the percentage of total grant funds paid to the subcontractor during a grant budget year.		
	P&P Guide § 5.13 Requirements Applicable to Subcontractors TAC § 703.26(e)(15) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
	 Payments to a subcontractor if the subcontractor working on a Grant Award project employs an individual who is related by marriage or consanguinity to the Principal Investigator, Program Director, Company Representative, Authorized Signing Official, or any person designated as Key Personnel for the same Grant Award project. 		
	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Taxes	Taxes that are effectively user fees and cover the cost of the service such as hotel taxes, gasoline taxes, toll roads taxes, or taxes on airfare	Allowable	Allowable
	O Taxes that are <u>not</u> in effect user fees but are designed to raise general revenue, are not voluntary and are not proportionate to the necessary costs of the service.	Unallowable	Unallowable
	P&P Guide § 6.4.3 Examples of Appropriate Matching Funds Expenditures https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Tips or Gratuities	P&P Guide § 9.5.4 Unallowable Administrative Costs https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	Unallowable	Unallowable
Training	 Employee training (to the extent that the training is required for grant related activities) 	Allowable	Allowable
	P&P Guide § 10.8 Other Expense Category https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		

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Transportation	o Airport	Allowable	Allowable
	o Bus	Allowable	Allowable
	o Car Services (i.e., Limosines)	Unallowable	Unallowable
	o Lyft, Uber	Allowable	Allowable
	o Rental Car	Allowable	Allowable
	o Shuttle	Allowable	Allowable
	o Taxi	Allowable	Allowable
	o Train	Allowable	Allowable
	P&P Guide § 10.8 Other Expense Category		
	https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/		
Travel	 Foreign travel related to CPRIT's funded project (does not require CPRIT prior approval) 	Allowable	Allowable
	o Travel expenses that exceed the GSA per diem limit on hotel rates or meals	Provided that the	Provided that the
	o Airfare costs, including cost that exceed coach class airfare	expense is allowed in	expense is allowed in
	o Third party booking service charges (i.e., Hotel.com service charge)	the grantee's	the grantee's
		documented travel	documented travel
	P&P Guide § 6.4.3 Examples of Appropriate Matching Funds Expenditures	policy	policy
	https://www.cprit.state.tx.us/about-us/statute-rules-and-grant-policies-guide/	1 J	
Volunteer Services Furnished to the	TAC § 703.11(d)(2) https://www.sos.texas.gov/tac/index.shtml	Unallowable	Unallowable
Grant Recipient	1710 § 703.11(a)(2) https://www.sos.texas.gov/aa/maex.shtml	Chanowable	Onanowaoie