The University of Rhode Island (URI) suggests a budgeted minimum annual salary of $56,484 for postdoctoral research fellows for sponsored research proposals submitted after 9/28/2023. This minimum salary is consistent with the current NIH/NRSA stipend guidelines minimum salary. This salary level will be adjusted annually. In certain circumstances, PIs may set the minimum above this threshold (e.g., when current postdocs are already earning above the minimum), but must consider internal equity when setting higher rates. Please contact the Provost's Office or Office of Human Resource Administration for advice on proper rates above the minimum.