

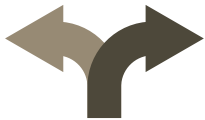
# APPLICATION TIMELINE

## STEP 1

Initial call with BioConnect Iowa to review project.

## STEP 2

Email sent out with details of program and eligibility requirements.



**DECISION POINT:**

Registrations must be completed, and all indicated documents received at least 5 weeks before the relevant application deadline.

## STEP 3

Initial call with consultant to discuss project.



**DECISION POINT:**

A go/no-go decision on proceeding with application process is made at this point.

## STEP 4

BioConnect Iowa accepts application, deposit is received, and first round of due diligence is conducted by BioConnect Iowa, VentureNet Iowa, and IEDA.

## STEP 5

Two weeks prior to submission date: submission sign up and final review of checklist.

## STEP 6

**Submit!**

**NEW APPLICANTS = 10 WEEK TIMELINE**

**PREVIOUS APPLICATIONS = 6 WEEK TIMELINE**

Applications are reviewed for funding decisions on an ongoing basis.

A funding decision will be made within two weeks of receipt of a complete application.

Throughout the process, BioConnect Iowa and the Consultant may jointly decide to either:

- 1) terminate the application due to insufficient progress made; or
- 2) move the application to the back of the Consultant's docket.