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**Subject:** CALL: FMHS Research Committee Early-career Research Fund | 2026 | FGGW Navorsingskomitee Vroeë-loopbaan Navorsingsfonds  
**Attachments:** FMHS ECRF application form 2026.pdf

This notice has been sent to all FMHS Divisional/Departmental/Centre heads, as well as their secretaries and research coordinators to further distribute as deemed appropriate. // Hierdie kennisgewing is aan alle FGGW Departemente/ Afdelings/Sentra-hoofde gestuur, asook aan hul sekretaries en navorsingskoördineerders vir verdere verspreiding na goeddunke.

Dear Colleagues,

Kindly distribute the attached **Early-career Research Fund** call for 2026, regarding a fund that has been made available through the FMHS Research Committee to assist early-career researchers within the FMHS to embark on a research project during 2026 that will enable them to apply for further national and/or international funding support.

It is strongly advised that applicants must already have ethics approval for the project or will be ready to submit for ethics approval in the next 1-2 months. The eligibility criteria and guidelines are outlined in the attached form.

Around 7 Early-career Research Funding awards, for up to R 80,000 each will be made available for a period of 1 year.

Enquiries and deadline for submissions: **Mr Tashwell de Wet** ([tashwell@sun.ac.za](mailto:tashwell@sun.ac.za)) by **24 February 2026**.

**NOTE:** If you are using an Apple product, right-click on the form and open with Adobe.

Kind regards  
Tashwell

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