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APPENDIX D: CHECKLIST FOR PREPARING TO MEET WITH A RESEARCHER

☐ Read all documents before the meeting. Bring all copies that were mailed or emailed to you.

☐ Take notes! List your questions and ideas as you read and bring them to the meeting.

☐ Highlight areas of the materials that were hard for you to understand. The grant proposal you just read might be reviewed by other patients or non-researchers. The researcher needs to be aware of any parts of the grant application that are confusing. This will help him or her make edits before submitting the proposal to the funding agency. It is very important for the reviewers to be able to read and understand the application in order for the study to be funded.

☐ Reach out to the program manager for clarification before the meeting if there is anything you are really confused or concerned about.