Research Pre-Proposal Guidelines

(Please provide as a WORD document and e-mail to htwfoundation@aol.com
HTWF will acknowledge receipt of the pre-proposal within one week of receipt.)

1. General

Identify principal investigator and known secondary investigators. Attach a summary of investigators contact information, credentials, background and affiliation.

Identify location(s) of testing, if known, or criteria to be used to establish test location(s).

Indicate the expected overall duration of the study, including publishing results.

2. Proposal

Provide proposed study title and hypothesis to be addressed.

Provide summary of proposed methodology for testing the hypothesis.

Address the following as appropriate:

- Anticipated test cohort size and characteristics.
- Characteristics of any planned controls and how they will be "treated" (e.g., normal treatments, non-HT complimentary treatments).
- HT practitioner qualifications.
- HT techniques to be employed or any criteria for guiding the practitioner in the choice of techniques.
- HT treatment plan and associated testing. Identify expected endpoint evaluation procedure (e.g., biotests, surveys) and their timing (e.g., before and after each HT treatment, after X number of treatments).

Provide an approximate timeline for each phase of the study.

3. Budget

Indicate amount requested from HTWF.

Provide the planned overall budget and the estimated major categories of expense, including overhead.

If HTWF will be partial funder, please indicate other funding sources and whether HTWF funds will be used for a particular portion of the study.

Note: Institutional Review Board (IRB) Approval May Be Required. If so, no funding will be finalized until that approval is received.