

- a. Development of detailed programs and aiding with project proposals.
- b. Reviewing progress of current programs and identifying areas needing further research.
- c. Informing the scientific community of progress in the programs, particularly on methods being used.
- d. Assisting in attracting investigators to the program.
- e. Assisting in the development of training programs.
- f. Assisting in developing budgets and in obtaining support for the program.
- g. Maintaining close communication and cooperation with relevant programs in other countries.