NIH Other Support:
Reference Sheet

A sample Other Support page is available here

- Information on active and pending other support is required for key personnel, excluding consultants
- For individuals with no active or pending support, indicate “None”
- The application for which Other Support was requested should not be included in pending list
- If support is provided under a consortium/subcontract or is part of a multi-project award, indicate the project number, PI and source of support for the overall project and provide all other information for the subproject only

The following information should be listed for each research project:

- **Project Number** – if the sponsor identifies the grant with a code or number, include this
- **Source** – identify the sponsor that is providing the funding (include PI)
- **Title of Project (or Subproject)**
- **Major Goals** – a brief statement of the overall objectives of the project, subproject or subcontract
- **Dates of Approved/Proposed Project** – the inclusive dates of the approved/proposed competitive segment
- **Annual Direct Costs (formally Percent Effort)** – For an active project, provide the level of actual effort in person months (even if unsalaried) for the current budget period. Person months should be classified as academic, calendar and/or summer. For a pending project, indicate the level of effort in person months as proposed for the initial budget period. In cases where an individual’s appointment is divided into academic and summer segments, indicate the proportion of each devoted to the project.
- **Overlap** – for each key personnel, after all the Other Support is listed, there should be a summary of any potential overlap with the active or pending projects and the application under consideration for funding in terms of science, budget or committed effort
  - **Commitment overlap**: when a person’s time commitment exceeds 100 percent (i.e., 12 person months), whether or not salary support is requested in the application
  - **Scientific overlap**: substantially the same research is proposed in more than one application or is submitted to two or more different funding sources for review and funding consideration; a specific research objective and the research design for accomplishing that objective are the same or closely related in two or more applications or awards, regardless of the funding source
  - **Budgetary overlap**: duplicate or equivalent budgetary items (e.g., equipment, salary) are requested in an application but are already provided for by another source