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Three federal grants totaling \$89,565 for the University of Montana will be used for continuing scientific research and training programs on the Missoula campus.

Largest of the three grants is \$39,350, a program-development grant from the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for a study of the deaf through the federal Bureau of Education for the Handicapped. Five UM graduate students will be among those involved in the study during the 1968-69 academic year.

Another federal grant to the University is for \$35,875, a basic improvement grant to be used between now and 1970 for microbiology, and health and physical education studies. The grant, to be used to prepare students for medical technology and physical therapy, is administered through the Bureau of Health Manpower.

Dr. M.J. Nakamura, UM microbiology chairman, has received a research grant totaling \$14,340 from the National Institutes of Health to study the mechanisms of pathogenicity in Shigella dysentery. The grant is for the second year of a four-year study.

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