Research Seed Grant Scheme 2018

APPLICATION FORM

Application Deadline October 5th 2018

1. Title of research proposal (Max 20 words)

2. Abstract/Summary of research proposal (Max 300 words)

Please describe what you propose to do, why it is important and how you are going to conduct the research. This is a summary of your proposal and it is advised to complete this section after you have finalised the application form.

3. Details of applicant

Name	
Title/position	
Department/ workplace	
Address	
Phone	
email	

4. Aims & Objectives of research proposal (Max ½ typed page)
This section describes what you want to achieve by this piece of research. Your objectives need to clear and realistic.

5. Background to research proposal (max. 1 page)
Describe the background to the research proposal. This should include: The research context, why it is important that these questions are explored, what other research has been conducted and what contribution your project will make to the understanding in the chosen area of study.

6. Methodology (max 1 page)
Describe the design of your study and the methodology you propose to use. The section should include information on type of study (e.g. survey/qualitative study/cohort study), sample size, sampling methods, inclusion/exclusion criteria, data analysis, location of study etc.

7. Work programme and time-table
This section should include duration of project, time table for the work programme and duration of project. You could use a Gantt chart to outline the work programme.

8. Describe the Project's affiliation to Sligo University Hospital (Max ½ page)
The Research & Education Foundation offers Research Seed Grants only to projects that have some affiliation with Sligo University Hospital.

9. Project Budget
The scheme is set up to help cover costs associated with
- *equipment*
- *materials & consumables*
- *dissemination*

*Costs **not** covered include: IT equipment (e.g. lap-tops), conference attendance, postgraduate fees and salaries, research publication fees.*

Specify in detail the cost items (expand table if required):

Item	Cost in €
Total	

10. Other funding sources

Have you received/been awarded any other funding for this project: **YES** ☐   **NO** ☐

If yes, please specify funding source, amount of funding and the purpose of the funding:

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11. Amount of funding requested (max. €2,500): _____

12. Ethical Approval:

Have you received Ethical Approval for this study   **YES** ☐ **NO** ☐

Have you applied for Ethical Approval for this study   **YES** ☐ **NO** ☐

If <u>NO</u>, please note that the grant will not be awarded until the Foundation has received written confirmation of Ethical approval. Application Form for the Research Ethics Committee at SUH can be downloaded at www.ref-sligo.ie

13. Signatures:

Principal Applicant: _____

Date: _____

14. Please enclose the following supporting documents:

- CV of Principal Applicant (including publications)
- Research Ethics Approval (if required and if obtained)

NB: No additional documents should be submitted i.e. references, reports, copies of peer reviewed articles etc.

15. Please forward your application in electronic format to ref.sligo@hse.ie