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| **New Study Proposal Template**  Monday 19 – Tuesday 20 September 2022  John McIntyre Conference Centre, Pollock Halls, Edinburgh  If you would like to present at the Forum, please complete this form and email it to [michael.gillies@ed.ac.uk](mailto:michael.gillies@ed.ac.uk) or [thomas.craven@ed.ac.uk](mailto:thomas.craven@ed.ac.uk) by **Friday 5 August 2022**  If you would like to discuss your study presentation in advance and seek mentorship, please email Mike Gillies – michael.gillies@ed.ac.uk   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **1. Study identifier** | | | **Full title of study** | | |  | | | **Acronym (If applicable)** | | |  | | | **Presenting applicant** | | | Name |  | | Address |  | | Telephone |  | | Email |  | | **Senior investigator** *(if not presenting)*\* | | | Name |  | | Email |  |   **\* Please note: if your senior investigator is not presenting, it would be helpful if they were present at the meeting to assist with questions from the audience**   |  | | --- | | **2. The need for the study** | | **Give a brief summary of the proposed study in no more than 100 words.** | |  | | **What are the principal research questions to be addressed?** | |  | | **Why is the study needed now?** | |  | | **How will the results of this study be used?** | | *E.g. inform clinical decision-making /improve understanding.* | | **3. The proposed study** | | **What is the proposed study design?** | |  | | **What are the planned interventions (if applicable)?** | |  | | **What are the proposed arrangements for allocating participants to groups**  **(if applicable)?** | |  | | **What are the proposed methods for protecting against sources of bias?** | | *E.g. blinding or masking. If blinding is not possible please explain why and give details of alternative methods proposed or implications for interpretation of the study’s results.* | |  | | **What are the planned inclusion/exclusion criteria?** | |  | | **What is the proposed duration of treatment period (if applicable)?** | |  | | **What is the proposed frequency and duration of follow up?** | |  | | **What are the proposed outcome measures?** | | **Primary:** | | **Secondary:** | | **How will the outcome measures be measured at follow-up?** | |  | | **What is the proposed sample size?** | |  | | **What is the planned recruitment rate?** | |  | | **How many sites will be involved?** | |  |  |  | | --- | | **4. Length of presentation requested** | | **30 minutes for full proposal**  (including 10 minutes for questions)  **OR**  **15 minutes for exploratory proposals**  (including 5 minutes for questions) | |