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Ministry of Health and Medical Education

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National Institute for
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Pre-Proposal Grant REQUEST FORM

Complete and submit this form:

- ✓ If you have a project concept that you would like to submit for a grant application within the NIMAD's fiscal year
- ✓ When you think it has excellent project planning!
- ✓ PRIOR to developing a full-proposal
- ✓ **Three days or more** prior to the grant application deadline (please take into consideration that deadline will not be extended).

IN ORDER TO EXPEDITE APPROVAL, PLEASE:

- ✓ Ensure that you read the "[General Instruction for Applicants](#)" and "[Instruction for Pre-Proposals](#)" in NIMAD website
- ✓ ATTACH ALL ITEMS required for the completion of the application package.
- ✓ Ensure that the information submitted is accurate and complete; INCOMPLETE FORMS WILL BE RETURNED.
- ✓ DO NOT LEAVE BLANK SPACES, mark N/A if not applicable.

How to submit:

The only possible way to submit this form is via the NIMAD's research management system at rms.nimad.ac.ir:

- ✓ Login to your account,
- ✓ Complete the online form (abstract),
- ✓ Upload this form and the other requested attachments as instructed, then submit the electronic form.

1. General information

Provide name(s) and contact(s) for easy communication.

Applicant (PI) contact information

Electronic Application No.†	
Research project title	
Applicant's Full Name (Principle Investigator, PI)	
Applied to which priority area(s)	

†Write down the proposal number provided by the electronic submission system.

Justification of the Project

Approach (500-800 words):

Describe your methods further than what you have provided in the abstract, ideally for each aim separately.

If applicable, explain the nature of your variables, research design, your measurement tools, sample size calculation, subject recruitment strategies, data collection and analysis methods.

This is also known as "Material and methods"

Significance and Expected Outcomes (200-300 words):

Provide an overview of existing knowledge and gaps in knowledge directly related to your aims, ideally indicate for each aim separately.

Justify why it is critical to fund your research project and explain how it will expand the body of science, and how its findings can be used to inform health policy and practices.

Indicate if outcome of your research can lead to a development of a product or service!

Check out [NIMAD's video in Aparat](#)

Innovation (100-200 words):

Explain how your research project will challenge and seek to shift current research or clinical practice paradigms by utilizing novel theoretical concepts, approaches or methodologies, instrumentation, or interventions.

References (5-10):

Financial Details*					
Please provide the numbers in million Rials	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4***	Year 5***
Personnel Cost**					
Equipment cost					
Consumables cost					
Travel cost (please indicate)					
Publication cost					
Other Costs (please indicate)					
Total budget			million Rials		
Total Amount Requested from NIMAD			million Rials		

* The proposed budget should give an accurate assessment of all cost items and amounts that are deemed necessary and reasonable. Otherwise, it will result to a fast rejection.

** [Standard personnel costs for NIMAD's projects](#)

*** Do not expand the three-year period unless you have a strong and sound justification.

Applicant (Principle Investigator) Information

Role Information

What is your primary profession?			
Are you a clinician?		If yes, number of hours per month in clinical sessions?	
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project?			
Total number of hours per month spent on all research projects?			

Curriculum Vitae

General Information			
Birth date		Nationality	
Qualification			
Title of the final degree	Field of study	Completion date	Location
Positions held <u>over the last 10 years</u>			
Position	Period (date-date)	Type of position (fixed term, permanent, tenure track, Geographical Full-time, K-score, part-time, other)	Institution
Work experience <u>over the last 10 years</u>			
Experience	Number of months	Experience	Number of months
Research activities		Education	
Care or sick leave		Management tasks	
Other, please specify			
Academic staff supervised			
	Role as Supervisor	Role as Co-Supervisor	
No. of PhDs: Ongoing			
No. of PhDs: Successfully completed			
Subtotal PhDs			
No. of Postdocs			
No. of other academic staff, please specify			

Scientific works					
Number of First Author Publications		Number of Last*/Corresponding Author Publications		Total Number of Publications	
Personal Statement					
<i>Briefly describe why you and your team are well-suited for your role(s) in the project described in this application</i> (max. 300 words) The relevant factors may include aspects of your training; your previous experimental work on this specific topic or related topics; your technical expertise; your collaborators or scientific environment; and your past performance in this or related fields (you may mention specific contributions to science that are <u>not included</u> in the next section). Also, you may identify up to four peer reviewed publications that specifically highlight your experience and qualifications for this project. If you wish to explain impediments to your past productivity, you may include a description of factors such as family care responsibilities, illness or disability.					
<i>Ten Top publications <u>over the last 10 years</u></i>					
Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages					Journal's IF, 2016
1-					
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<i>Proposals <u>over the last five years</u></i>				
Topic	Funding Organization	Start Date (YY/MM/DD)	End Date (YY/MM/DD)	Total Budget [in million Rial]

Scholarships, grants and prizes		
Please list any research scholarships/grants for which you have successfully applied or prizes that you have won and indicate the amount of money involved		
Scholarship/Grant/ Prize (formal PI)	Amount	Year of award
<i>Subtotal</i>		
Scholarship/Grant/Prize (formal Co-PI)		
<i>Subtotal</i>		

* Only if the last author indicates as a group leader/senior author

Supporting Role, No.1	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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Supporting Role, No.2	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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Supporting Role, No.3	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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Supporting Role, No.4	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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Supporting Role, No.5	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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Supporting Role, No.6	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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Supporting Role, No.7	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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Supporting Role, No.8	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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Supporting Role, No.9	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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Supporting Role, No.10	
Name of Supporting Participant:	
Role:	Highest degree achieved:
Number of hours per month contributing to this research project:	
<i>Five top publications over the last 10 years (preference of relevant publications)</i> Authors (<i>in order</i>). Title. Publication name. Year; volume: pages	
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