Singapore Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition Society (SingSPEN)



Nutrition Care after Hospital Discharge in Singapore: Evidence-Based Best-Practice Recommendations

-Research Grant Proposal Submission Template

Submitted research grant proposals must adhere to Good Clinical Practice and IRB requirements for the conduct of research in Singapore. They must also meet all the requirements of institutions represented by the applicants.

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Submissions must reflect **all** the following points:

- 1. Test all or some of the best practice recommendations of the paper Ng DHL, et al. Nutrients 2023;15(21):4492.
- 2. Reflect the multi-disciplinary collaborative effort to support after discharge nutrition care that is sustainable within the hospital system.
- 3. Include an intervention / study period of no more than <u>6-months</u> and all data analysis should be completed within <u>8-months</u> of the award of the grant.

Submission details:

- 1. Entrants must submit Research Proposals using this template.
- 2. Research Proposals have a 4000-word limit (words above this limit will not be considered)
- 3. Submissions to be saved as 2024_SingSPEN_NutritionCareAfterDischarge_SURNAME
- Complete submissions (i.e. Microsoft Word file) to be sent via email to singspen@singspen.com with the email titled as SingSPEN_NutritionCareAfterDischarge_SURNAME
- 5. Submission closing date is 1st Dec 2024.
- 6. For enquiries, please contact SingSPEN at singspen@singspen.com
- 7. The winner/s will be required to present results of the study as posters / presentations at PENSA 2025, 7th-11th Oct 2025.

Details of Research Team

Principal Investigator:

Title: Surname: First name: Institution: Department: Designations: Postal address: Postcode: SingSPEN membership number (if applicable): Email address: Mobile number: Previous research experience and publications:

Team members (if any), institutions, department and designations:

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Title of Research Proposal:

- 1. Introduction (approximately 300 words)
- 2. Review of literature (approximately 500 words)
- 3. Aims and Objectives (approximately 500 words)
- 4. Hypothesis and Research Methodology (approximately 2000 words)
- 5. Anticipated Challenges (include mitigation strategies), Potential Clinical Impact of Research and Future Plans (approximately 700 words)
- 6. Budget (Please complete in Annex)
- 7. Appendices (When required. Not included in word count.)
- 8. References (When required. Not included in word count. Please use Vancouver Style referencing)

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Annex

(A) Equipment

Please list the equipment(s) you need to purchase to carry out the project, and also state the planned use after the completion of the project.

(B) Supplies

This category directly covers supplies for clinical/laboratory consumables and disposables such as drugs, medications, laboratory animals, chemicals, reagents, glassware, plastic ware etc. Please provide the breakdown.

(C) Other Operating Expenses (OOE)

This category covers other operating expenses directly related to the project such as courier services, sample transportation costs, investigation costs, manpower costs, reimbursement for patients, vendor developmental fees etc.

Qty	Equipment	Justification to procure equipment	Unit Cost	Sub- Total
			Total	\$0.00

Supplies	Item Description	Justification	Cost
		Total	\$0.00

Other operating	Item Description	Justification	Cost
OOE			
		Total	

Grand Total: