# National Screening Oversight Research and Innovation Group

## Application Form

This application is designed to capture enough information for an initial assessment of a research proposal. If a proposal is endorsed by National Screening Oversight Research and Innovation Group (NSO RIG), researchers will need to provide more detail to funders and other approvers as necessary. Please read the application guidance notes before completing this form.

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| Q | Unique Identifier | Answer | |
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| 1.1 | Name of PI: |  | |
| 1.2 | Contact details (email): |  | |
| 1.3 | Co-applicants |  | |
| 2 | Lead institution or organisation:  Participating organisations: |  | |
| 3 | Project title: |  | |
| 4 | Proposed start date and duration of research project: |  | |
| 5 | Proposed funder(s): |  | |
| 6 | Research & Innovation category (please check all that apply): | | |
| 6.1 | Research related to an existing national screening programme (e.g. an intervention to increase uptake, changing an algorithm or implementing a new test within the programme). | |  |
| 6.2 | Research that utilises the screening cohort (e.g. research into non-attendance, or screening cohort as a means to recruit and participate in other non-screening related research). | |  |
| 6.3 | Research that utilises data from an existing programme. | |  |
| 6.4 | Research that utilises the ‘by-products’ of the screening programme, i.e. new-born bloodspot samples, biopsy material, mammogram images. | |  |
| 6.5 | Research related to an existing programme but does not fall into categories 1-4 (e.g. surveys of the population on attitudes to existing screening programmes). | |  |
| 6.6 | Research into national screening programmes for conditions for which there are currently no *national screening programmes* (this does not include diagnostic testing studies). | |  |
| 7 | Outline of research proposal (*one page summary, font 11*) | | |
| 7.1 | Research justification: |  | |
| 7.2 | Aim: |  | |
| 7.3 | Research Question(s): |  | |
| 7.4 | Method: |  | |
| 8 | Impact  Consider the potential impact on the screening programmes whilst research is being conducted |  | |
| 8.1 | Potential impact of research on screening uptake whilst research is being conducted  (100 words maximum) |  | |
| 8.2 | Potential impact of research on safety of screening whilst research is being conducted  (100 words maximum) |  | |
| 9 | Resource implications on the Screening Programme whilst research is being conducted  (100 words maximum) |  | |
| 10 | Have you engaged with the relevant screening programme?  (100 words maximum) |  | |

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