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| Applicant Name |  |
| Project Title |  |

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**RESEARCH PLAN**

1. **RESEARCH BACKGROUND, HYPOTHESIS and AIMS**

**Maximum one (1) A4 page**

Sufficient details must be provided so that assessors who may be outside your field of expertise can understand and comment on the proposal, including feasibility of the study.

You may include any information that is relevant to assess the application (e.g. summary of current literature, previous relevant research project outcomes) as well as clearly articulating the hypothesis and aims of this project. Figures and preliminary data may be used; however, **the overall length must not exceed one (1) page.**

1. **RESEARCH METHODS and TIMELINE**

**Maximum one (1) A4 page**

You may include any information that is relevant to assess the application (e.g. experimental design, samples and sample sizes, assays to be used, data analyses approaches). Figures and preliminary data may be used; however, **the overall length must not exceed one (1) page.**

1. **RESEARCH SIGNIFICANCE, OUTCOMES and POTENTIAL IMPACT**

**Maximum one (1) A4 page**

Outline the project in terms of both **outcomes** and **impact.** Sufficient detail must be provided so that assessors who may be outside your field of expertise can understand and comment on the research significance and potential impact of the proposal; however, **the overall length must not exceed one (1) page.**

*Outline the potential significance and impact of your project outcomes including the benefit of the project to the Tasmanian community and/or the Royal Hobart Hospital. This section could also detail how this project will build research critical mass and may be developed to attract future investment, inform clinical practice or policy, or how the findings will otherwise be translated for broader impact, for example, quality of life improvement or service delivery improvement.* *You may indicate if there has been any consumer or community involvement in the development of this proposal.*

1. **REFERENCES**

**Maximum one (1) A4 page**

1. **CIA – INTENT and AMBITION**

**Maximum half an A4 page**

*Provide a short description of why you are applying and how this funding will accelerate or develop your career. Your response should indicate how award of the Major Project grant will allow you to proceed at a scale and vision otherwise not likely. Tell us the reason for selecting your mentor relative to your career aspirations*. **The overall length must not exceed ½ page.**

1. **MENTOR STATEMENT**

**Maximum half an A4 page**

Mentor name:

Role on the project team:

*Outline the mentoring arrangements that you will put in place for the CIA’s development, noting the training opportunities that you will make available. State your previous mentoring experience (if applicable) and/or other relevant experience.This section should also clearly outline the role of the mentor in ensuring the project feasibility and timelines are met*. **The overall length must not exceed ½ page.**