Proposal Form

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## PART I – ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

**Please note:** the completed grant application must be received by the WHO Centre for Health Development (WHO Kobe Centre) no later than the deadline stipulated in the call for proposals (March 31, 2017, 17:00 JST). Submissions received after the deadline will not be processed for review.

1. **Call for Proposals** this application corresponds to: Implementation research on health systems development and public health interventions for ageing populations towards Universal Health Coverage (UHC): Lessons from Japan

### PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

2. Last (family) name:  
3. First and given names:  
4. ☐ Woman  ☐ Man  
5. Nationality:  
6. ☐ Ms  ☐ Mr  ☐ Dr  ☐ Prof  
7. Full postal address of the principal investigator:  
8. Country:  
9. Telephone (office):  
10. Telephone (mobile):  
11. E-mail:  

### PROJECT

12. **Project title**  
   Enter text here  
13. **Project summary** (Maximum 300 words)  
   Enter text here  
14. Start date:  
15. End date:  

16. **Acceptance of general conditions by the Principal Investigator**

   *I have read the conditions set out in the instructions provided with the call for proposal and in this application form and, if my application is successful, I agree to abide by them. I shall be actively engaged in the project.*

   **Signature:**  
   **Date:**

### INSTITUTION

17. Full name and postal address of the institution:  
18. Country:  
19. Telephone:  
20. Institution’s website:  
21. Type of organization:  
   - ☐ university  ☐ research institute  ☐ NGO  
   - ☐ public health institution  ☐ other (specify):  
22. **Legal status:**
   - ☐ Private  ☐ Public  ☐ Other  

**Institutional endorsement** (to be completed by the Responsible Administrative Authority). This person should be fully authorized to enter into contractual arrangements on behalf of the Institution

23. Full name:  
24. Email address  
25. Position:  

26. I confirm that I have read this application and that if support is granted, the work will be accommodated and administered in this institution. This institution will provide the necessary support and oversight to facilitate quality implementation and reporting of the proposed work. I confirm that principal investigator's relationship with the institution is as follows:

   **Signature:**  
   **Date:**
## PART II - PROJECT DESCRIPTION

1. **Rationale and background**  
   (Maximum 1 page)  
   Enter text here

2. **References (of literature cited in Section 1)**  
   (Maximum 10 key references)  
   Enter text here

3. **Study goals and (primary and secondary) objectives**  
   (List of maximum 5 key objectives)  
   Enter text here

4. **Study design**  
   Define and describe the research design to be used. The design should include information on the type of study, research population, sampling frame as well as inclusion and exclusion criteria.  
   (Maximum 0.5 page).  
   Enter text here

5. **Methodology**  
   This section should include detailed information on the empirical research methods to be used including interventions to be made, type of analysis to be performed, measurements to be used and taken, observations to be made, etc.,  
   (Maximum 2 pages).  
   Enter text here

6. **Safety and privacy considerations**  
   This section should include detailed information on how the privacy of information, and safety considerations of research participants (if applicable) during the administration of research procedures (including in interview research) will be ensured.  
   (Maximum 1 page).  
   Enter text here

7. **Follow up**  
   This section should include information on any (if applicable) follow up with research participants, e.g., feedback, referrals to services, etc.  
   (Maximum 0.5 page).  
   Enter text here

8. **Data management and statistical analysis**  
   This section should include detailed information on the approach proposed for data management and statistical and/or qualitative data analysis.  
   (Maximum 1 page).  
   Enter text here

9. **Quality assurance**  
   This section should include information on quality control and quality assurance systems used during the research  
   (Maximum 0.5 page).  
   Enter text here

10. **Expected outcomes of the study**  
    Explain how the study will contribute to the advancement of knowledge, how results will be utilized and how they will affect public health policy or practice  
    (Maximum 1 page).  
    Enter text here
11. **Potential relevance to international audience (countries, institutions)**
Please indicate the potential relevance and adaptability of the anticipated research results for other countries, particularly low/middle income countries (Maximum 0.5 page)

12. **Dissemination of results and publication plan**
Please indicate how you intend to disseminate study results and your target audience. Please note that publications resulting from WHO-supported research are expected to be published in international, peer reviewed journals, and in open access journals (Maximum 1 page)

13. **Duration of the project and timeline**
Please indicate the duration of the project and present a detailed month by month timeline (Maximum 1 page)

14. **Problems and risks anticipated and mitigated**
Please indicate any problems that you anticipate, and enumerate potential risks to the successful achievement of project objectives, along with proposed measures to mitigate those risks.

15. **Project management**
Please indicate roles and responsibilities of each member of your research team

16. **Ethics**
All research protocols involving human subjects must be approved by the institutional / national ethics review committee (if applicable), and by WHO’s Research Ethics Review Committee (ERC, http://www.who.int/ethics/review-committee/en/) before funding. Provide information on how you plan to ensure adequate protection of the human subjects’ rights and well-being (as appropriate to the nature of the study). (Maximum 1 page)
16. **Project team.**
List the project team by filling in the table below. Add as many lines as needed. The percentage of time allocated to the project must also be calculated. For example, on a 40-hour work week, working two hours five days a week is equivalent to 25% full-time equivalent (FTE).

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<tr>
<th>First, middle and last name</th>
<th>Gender (W / M)</th>
<th>Institution name</th>
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Please provide as appendix CVs for each of the team members. Each CV should be maximum one page long, with the exception of PI’s CV which can be of maximum four pages. Preferable all CVs should be merged together into one appendix.
PART III - PARTNERSHIPS and LEVERAGE

**Collaboration.**
Describe collaborations with other research institutions, and/or national, regional or global institutions relevant to the proposed research study. If applicable, attach letters of support from collaborating scientists and institutions.

**Leveraged contributions.**
If relevant, estimate and describe in the table below any significant contributions by other project stakeholders. Contributing partners may provide a variety of resources, such as additional funding for the site, technical support, services, facilities, meetings, consultations, publications, or products, etc. Briefly describe each contribution and provide an estimate figure in the table below, briefly explaining the method used for estimation. This will help us better understand the value-for-money of WHO’s Centre for Health Development (WKC) investments.

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PART IV - BUDGET

In order to be realistic, budget amounts should be based on detailed planned costs estimated for each activity/item. Activity costs will add up to generate the cost of each deliverable, which illustrated value for money. When costing activities, take into consideration the principles of economy and efficiency. The total budget of the project is estimated by summatting the cost of all deliverables.

The budget section includes a split based on type of cost (budget item).

To fill in the budget form below, double-click on the Excel form and fill in the information. Totals are calculated automatically.

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Chief Financial Officer of the Institution (Type Name)  
Principal Investigator (Type Name)

Signature Date  
Signature Date
## 2. Project budget by deliverable

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## 3. Budget justification

The budget should reflect the planned activities and costs. Justify each budget line stating how the cost figures were derived in relation to the activities to be undertaken.

**Salary support for project personnel**
*(in principle, salary support of the Principal Investigator will NOT be provided)*

Enter text here

**Supplies**
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**Travel of Project personnel**
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**Data collection/analysis**
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**Communications (including publications)**
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PART V - LIST OF APPENDICES
The appendices listed need to be submitted along with the completed application form. Do NOT attach reports or publications and try to keep the number of pages to a minimum.

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