**NIHR SCHOOL FOR SOCIAL CARE RESEARCH**

**Application form for a**

**Developing Research Leaders Award in Adult Social Care 2022**

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| **Applicant’s details** | |
| Surname |  |
| Forename |  |
| Title |  |
| Current post(s) held |  |
| Current organisation |  |
| Contact address |  |
| Contact email |  |

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| **Application details** | |
| Proposed award title |  |
| Host organisation |  |
| Expected start date |  |
| Duration |  |
| Requested budget |  |

**PART 1: APPLICANT’S BACKGROUND**

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| **Briefly describe your research career to date and career goals.**  **[400 words maximum]** |
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| **Briefly describe your research leadership experience to date and future plans.**  **[400 words maximum]** |
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**CV**

Please submit your CV with your application (4 pages maximum)

**PART 2: PLAN FOR AWARD**

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| **Provide a summary of your application setting out aims and planned activities.**  **[400 words maximum]** |
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| **Set out how your award will support your development as a leader in adult social care research.**  **[400 words maximum]** |
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**PART 3: RESOURCES**

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| **Set out the resources requested for this award** | |
| Staff costs | £ |
| Non-staff costs | £ |
| Overheads (if applied) | £ |
| Total | £ |
| *Please provide a detailed justification of the resources requested* | |

**PART 4: HOST ORGANISATION SUPPORT STATEMENT**

The following statement of support must be completed by the heads of the lead academic departments or a relevant individual in a position of authority.

Please note that this statement of support will need to be individually tailored to the applicant, rather than a generic institutional statement. These statements are critically important and will be used by the Commissioning Panel to determine whether the support from the host environment for the applicant and the proposed activities within the award are suitable to meet the objectives of the NIHR SSCR’s Developing Research Leaders Award Scheme.

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| **Details of individual providing the statement** | |
| Surname |  |
| Forename |  |
| Title |  |
| Post(s) held |  |
| Organisation |  |
| Contact address |  |
| Contact email |  |

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| **In what capacity do you know the applicant?**  **[200 words maximum]** |
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Please provide a clear statement outlining the strategic significance and value of the applicant and their research to the host institution. The organisation must also set out how it specifically intends to value and actively support the applicant at the organisational level both during and after completion of this award.

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| **What support will be provided to the applicant during this award to support the aims of the NIHR SSCR’s Developing Research Leaders Award Scheme to assist in their career development?**  **[1,000 words maximum]** |
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| **What additional support will the applicant be provided with after this award in the short, medium and long-term to support their development as a research leader in adult social care?**  **[1,000 words maximum]** |
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**PART 5: DECLARATIONS**

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| **Applicant** |
| I confirm that the information given on this form is complete and correct, and that I shall be actively engaged in the work of this award and responsible for its overall management.  I have discussed my application within my proposed host institution, and they are willing to accept this award if funding is approved by the NIHR SSCR and will support my planned activities.  Signature:  Name:  Date: |

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| Organisational authorised authority |
| I confirm that the application to the NIHR School for Social Care Research has been approved for submission. The applicant will be provided the support set out here in carrying out the award.  Signature:  Name:  Date: |

Electronic signatures are acceptable. Where the declarations are signed in hard copy, a scanned version of these should be submitted alongside a PDF of the final application (scanned versions of the full PDF should not be submitted as they are not easily readable).