

PILOT GRANT REVIEW FORM

Use this template to assess each proposal. Provide an overall score and a brief justification for that score.

PI _____

OVERALL SCORE _____

Approach

Is there a strong rationale for the work? Is the approach sound?

1 – Poor 2 – Below average 3 – Average 4 – Above average 5 – Excellent

Comment:

Innovation

Is the proposal innovative in its hypotheses and approach?

1 – Poor 2 – Below average 3 – Average 4 – Above average 5 – Excellent

Comment:

Interdisciplinary Focus

Does the research involve a new collaboration? Does the research involve application of techniques outside the usual domain of the PI?

1 – Poor 2 – Below average 3 – Average 4 – Above average 5 – Excellent

Comment:

Significance

Are the long-term results likely to have an impact on health and quality of life?

1 – Poor 2 – Below average 3 – Average 4 – Above average 5 – Excellent

Comment:

What is the potential of this award to have a major impact on the PI's career?

1 – Poor 2 – Below average 3 – Average 4 – Above average 5 – Excellent

Comment:

Leveraging

Are there explicit plans for development of future external funding for the project?

1 – Poor 2 – Below average 3 – Average 4 – Above average 5 – Excellent

Comment:

Investigators

Do the investigators have the necessary expertise, equipment, and facilities to complete the proposed research?

Yes No

Comment:

Budget

Does the PI have access to startup, discretionary, or grant funds which could be used for this purpose?

Yes No

Comment:

SUMMARY OF STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES