

Country: Italy

Organisation: Ministry of Health

This document contains **information on specific requirements** for researchers applying for funding by the funding organisation indicated above. To make sure that your application is fully in line with the specific requirements and to receive latest information, please contact the respective **national contact person**. Not fulfilling the requirements may lead to ineligibility of the application.

Contact

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Eligibility

Eligible Institutions	IRCCS that are the Scientific Institutes for Research, Hospitalization and Health Care (Istituti di Ricovero e Cura a Carattere Scientifico pubblici e privati) and ISS (Istituto Superiore di Sanità)
Additional requirements	In order to expedite the eligibility check process, the Ministry of Health will grant an eligibility clearance to the applicants prior to the submission of the proposals. To this end, it is mandatory that the applicants fill out and return a pre-submission eligibility check form through IRCCS/ISS Scientific Directorate using WFR System prior submission of the pre-proposals to the Joint Call Secretariat, using ER communication code . It is strongly recommended that the form, completed and duly signed, is returned at least 10 working days before the proposal submission deadline. Applicants will be sent a written notification of their eligibility status. The simultaneous participation in proposals submitted in 2019 for different transnational research calls funded by the Italian Ministry of Health is not allowed to Italian Principal Investigators or other research team members.

	<i>Pre and full proposal application is mandatory to be sent to the Italian Ministry of Health within 5 days after being submitted using the WFR communication System with ER communication code</i>
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Budget

Total earmarked national budget	<i>2 Mio. €</i>
Anticipated no. of funded groups	<i>~ 8-9</i>
Budget restrictions	<i>~ 0.25 M€ per project (up to 3 years). Valid also in case in the same project will be presented by 2 Italian Eligible researcher groups</i>
Eligible costs	<p>Fundable: ONLY IRCCS that are the Scientific Institutes for Research, Hospitalization and Health Care (Istituti di Ricovero e Cura a Carattere Scientifico pubblici e privati) and ISS (Istituto Superiore Sanità)</p> <p>Non fundable: University, research institute and other research institute</p> <p>Direct Costs: Personnel (only temporary contracts) (max 50%); Consumables; Animals; Equipment (only on hire); Travel (max 10%); Documentation (Max 1%) • Indirect Costs: Overhead (max 10%); • Other indirect costs are not eligible</p>