**Asia Pacific DFD GRANT FOR INNOVATIVE PROJECTS**

Diabetic Foot Disease Grant for Innovative Projects

Supported By Urgo Foundation

Urgo Foundation will offer financial support to Innovative Projects to improve Diabetic Foot Disease Prevention and Management in the Asia Pacific Region.

Projects can be submitted by Healthcare Professionals, Researchers and Healthcare or Engineering Students working in the DFD field.

Proposed Projects should focus on innovation in DFD Prevention and Management, let your imagination fly!

Grants between 5,000 & 10,000€ will be awarded, depending on the needs of each project.

Applications can be submitted via e-mail by sending this completed submission form to the following email address:

**apacdfdgrants@intl.urgo.com**

The Deadline for submitting an application is **September 30th, 2021.**

In case you have any questions related to the application, please refer to the FAQ or send us an email to **apacdfdgrants@intl.urgo.com**

All applicants will receive an answer to their application by email in October 2021. 2021

**APPLICATION PROCESS**

**WHO CAN APPLY?**

* Projects can be submitted by healthcare professionals, researchers or healthcare & engineering students working in the DFD field.
* Grants are for projects to be run in Asia-Pacific (East Asia, South Asia, South East Asia, Oceania).
* The main applicant has to be affiliated to a health service, university or similar.
* The main applicant can have co-applicants if it is relevant and brings additional value to the project (to be reflected in the application).
* Applicants should demonstrate clear evidence of innovation and potential impact.

**TYPE OF PROJECTS THAT CAN BE SUBMITTED**

* Development of practical tools for DFD assessment
* Caregivers education and training
* Devices to improve infection management, wound debridement, etc
* Projects to improve patient compliance
* Research project
* Quality improvement review
* Etc

**SELECTION CRITERIA:**

Review of the projects will be done according to the following criteria:

* The value brought by the project to improve DFD Prevention and Management in APAC
* The innovative nature of the project
* The quality of the proposal with clear objectives in line with the Grants aims
* The feasibility and timeline of the project - to be completed within one year
* The adequacy of the requested budget for the project

**SELECTION PROCESS:**

* All applications will be assessed by a committee that will consist of experts with appropriate qualifications to review the quality, feasibility and novelty of the applications.
* Urgo Foundation will ensure the impartiality of committee members when assessing a particular application.
* The experts will be from different countries and diverse backgrounds (wound care specialist, podiatrist, diabetologist, orthopedic surgeons, etc).
* The committee will use a scoring / evaluation grid to assess & their decision is final.

**APPLICATION FORM**

**REGION/COUNTRY : \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

* **PRINCIPAL APPLICANT**

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| Applicant/s Name: |  |
| Job Title |  |
| Qualifications & Experiencebrought to this project  |  |
| Email Address |  |
| Telephone # |  |

* **CO-APPLICANT (1)**

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| Applicant/s Name: |  |
| Job Title |  |
| Qualifications & Experiencebrought to this project |  |
| Email Address |  |
| Telephone # |  |

* **CO-APPLICANT (2)**

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| Applicant/s Name: |  |
| Job Title |  |
| Qualifications & Experience brought to this project |  |
| Email Address |  |
| Telephone # |  |

* **PROJECT SUMMARY**

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| Project Title |  |
| Proposed Start Date(DD/MM/YYYY) |  |
| Proposed Timeframe/Milestone |  |
| Total Projected Cost | **€** |
| Total Amount Requested | **€** |

* **OBJECTIVE/PURPOSE (Potential Benefit to DFD prevention & management)**

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| What do you aim to achieve and how does it benefit DFD Prevention & Management |

* **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

Please provide the below information - project description should not exceed 3 pages (Calibri size 11):

• Title of project

• Short abstract (Maximum 250 words)

• Background information for the project

• Purpose of proposed project, with clearly specified objectives

• Clearly set out project plan including timeline

* Title of Project

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* Short Abstract

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* Background Information for the Project, including references

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* Purpose of Proposed Project, with clearly specified Objectives

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* Clearly Set Out Project Plan including timeline

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* **PROJECTED/FINANCIAL COSTS**

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| **Personal Costs** |  |
| **Equipment and Devices Costs**  |  |
| **Running Costs** |  |
| **TOTAL COSTS** |  |

* **EVALUATION**

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| **How will you measure/assess the success of this project** |

* **CERTIFICATION BY APPLICANTS**

We have read the Application Process of those APAC DFD Grants and agree to adhere to the terms outlined within. We certify to the best of our knowledge that:

* (i) all of the details on this application form are true and complete;
* (ii) if successful, we will accept the conditions of the grant relating to the APAC DFU Grant
* (iii) I understand and agree that all statutory requirements must be met before payment of the proposed grant can be made;
* (iv) all persons listed in this application have agreed to take part in the proposed research.

**Principal Applicant's Signature**

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| **Signature** |  | **Date** |  |

**Co-Applicant's Signature (1)**

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| **Signature** |  | **Date** |  |

**Co-Applicant's Signature (2)**

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| **Signature** |  | **Date** |  |