

2026/27 Research Grants - Expression of Interest Form

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Introduction

Information for Applicants

Thank you for your interest in Avant Foundation's Research Grants.

Before completing this form, you should read [Avant Foundation Research Grants](#) and [Terms and Conditions](#).

Only EOIs received before 5pm (Australian Eastern Time) on 31 August 2026 will be considered in this grant round, which is due to be awarded in March 2027. The focus for these grants is **Quality, Safety or Sustainability** in medicine.

This EOI will assess how well the applicant's project aligns with the purpose, objectives and goals of Avant Foundation's Research Grants program. Avant Foundation will review the EOIs and create a shortlist of applicants who will then be invited to participate in stage two and submit a full application. The shortlist will be determined by Avant Foundation in its sole discretion. Applicants submitting an EOI will be notified of the outcome via the email address provided in the EOI.

Avant Foundation will not consider late or incomplete EOIs in its review process. If you have any questions about the program, please contact avantfoundation@avant.org.au.

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Applicant details

* indicates a required field

Organisation Details

Applicant Organisation *

Organisation Name

Please use the organisation's full name. Make sure you provide the same name that is listed in official documentation such as that with the ABR, ACNC or ATO.

Department/Branch/Faculty

Use this field only if relevant.

Organisation website *

Must be a URL

Contact Details

Lead Researcher *

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Title	First Name	Last Name

Lead Researcher ORC ID *

<https://orcid.org/>

Confirm you are aware this research project must have a Medical Doctor on the research team, at least as an advisor. *

☐ Yes, I am aware of this requirement

☐ Other:

Contact details will be required if you are invited to make a full application following this EOI stage.

Alternative admin contact

Title	First Name	Last Name

Only complete this if different to Lead Researcher

Position held in organisation

Primary contact phone number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

Primary contact email address *

This is the email address we will use to correspond with you about this grant.

Project Details

* indicates a required field

Project Title *

Word count:

Must be no more than 25 words.

Keep it simple

Please provide a short summary of your research project *

Word count:

Must be no more than 250 words.

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Tell us how your project will improve QUALITY, SAFETY or SUSTAINABILITY in medicine *

Word count:

Must be no more than 250 words.

Please see our impact goals on the 'Impact' page of our website: <https://avant.org.au/foundation/impact>

Is there anything else you wish to tell us about your project at this stage?

Word count:

Must be no more than 250 words.

Optional

Budget

The Avant Foundation Research Grants are for up to \$100,000 each, but we accept applications for smaller amounts. **The budget in this section is draft only and you can update it if you are invited to the next stage.** Please note, if your total project budget is more than \$100,000, we will need to discuss the co-funding arrangements prior to making your full application.

Total Amount Requested

*

What is the total amount you would be requesting from Avant Foundation in this application?

Total Project/Program Cost *

What is the total estimated cost of your project?

Comments

Word count:

Must be no more than 250 words.

Please tell us about how you expect to allocate the grant across key expense items. As well as any co-funding arrangements or intentions you have.

Additional attachments

If there are any other documents or files that you feel are important to include with your EOI submission, please upload them here.

Attach a file:

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Certification and Feedback

* indicates a required field

Certification

I certify that to the best of my knowledge the statements made within this EOI are true and correct.

I have read, understood and accept the [terms and conditions](#) for this grant.

I understand that this form is an expression of interest only and that there are no guarantees the application will proceed to the next stage of applications, nor receive any offer of funding.

I acknowledge that judges' decisions are final and confidential.

I agree *

☐ Yes

☐ No

Applicant Feedback

Before you review your application and click the **SUBMIT** button please take a few moments to provide some feedback. It really helps us to improve the process. Thank you!

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: 'My experience with this EOI form was easy'? *

☐ Strongly disagree

☐ Disagree

☐ Neutral

☐ Agree

☐ Strongly agree

Approximately how many minutes in total did it take you to complete this EOI? *

Estimate in minutes i.e. 1 hour = 60

Where did you hear about us? *

- ☐ Email from Avant
- ☐ Newsletter from Avant
- ☐ Social media
- ☐ News article or press release
- ☐ From a previous grant recipient
- ☐ From a colleague or friend
- ☐ Online search
- ☐ Other:

Select all that apply

Please share any feedback or suggestions.

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Applicants invited to the next stage will be contacted in October to discuss a full application.

To learn more about our judging panel and past recipients, please check our [website](#) for updates.

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