



European Society of Contraception and Reproductive Health

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Grant application form second half year 2013 Seeking ESC support for a PROJECT

Introduction

The ESC will provide funding to support an individual, group, institute or organisation with a project within Europe related to the aims and scope of the ESC. Examples include: research, audit, review, needs assessment.

The money **MUST** be used for a defined project within a definite time frame.

Application	Please use this application form. Note sections with a maximum word count. Forms will be returned if the word count is exceeded.
Who can apply?	Applicants must be paid-up ESC members.
Deadline	Applications period MUST be received at ESC Central office by 31 December 2013 .
Budget	30,000 euro for applications received between 1 august and 31 December 2013. The ESC may not be in a position to fully fund all applications.

Part A Name of the applicant requesting the funding

Name of applicant	Helena Kopp Kallner
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Date of submission of this form	27 dec 2013

Part B Proposed project

Name of the person responsible for the project (If different to the person named in box A)	
Contact details of the person noted in this box B: name of person, job title, address, tel no. email	

Part C Background of the project – narrative summary

Title of the project	Use of effective contraception after use of emergency contraception
Comprehensive description of the project. (Max 200 words)	
<p>The most effective emergency contraceptive pill is ulipristal acetate which is not available over the counter in Sweden. However, the most effective method for emergency contraception is insertion of a copper IUD which requires a trained provider. The copper IUD is a long acting reversible contraceptive method and thus provides the women with effective contraception in contrast to ulipristal acetate which requires barrier methods until more effective methods can be initiated. This project aims at comparing the use of effective methods for contraception (defined as combined oral contraception, medium dosed progestin pill, vaginal ring, patch, injection, implants or intra uterine contraception) at 3 and 6 months after the use of an emergency contraceptive method. The aim is to compare women who have a copper IUD inserted to women who choose ulipristal acetate. The hypothesis is that more women in the copper IUD group will use effective contraception at the 3 month follow up. In order to show a difference in effective contraceptive uptake of 30% 32 women in each group need to be recruited. The project could lead to increased use of the copper IUD for emergency contraception. The project is undergoing ethical review at Karolinska Institutet.</p>	
When would it start / finish? (Max 20 words)	
Start January 2014 Finish December 2014	
Where will it take place – country / town, establishment? (Max 20 words)	
Women seeking emergency contraception will be recruited at the IPPF-member clinic in Stockholm, Sweden (RFSU-kliniken)	
Objectives and needs identified. (Max 20 words)	

Objectives: Investigation of continued effective contraception after emergency contraception. Continuation of effective contraception after different methods of EC is unknown.

Sector in the area of contraception, sexual and reproductive health.

Contraception, emergency contraception, LARC

Is it a 'new' project? Yes/No

YES

If extension of an existing programme, provide information on original programme (Max 50 words)

What outcomes will be measured? List. (Max 20 words)

Primary: proportion of women using an effective method of contraception at 3 months
Secondary outcome: same at 6 months, acceptability

Do you foresee any reasons (political, climatic, etc) why this project may be adversely affected? (Max 20 words)

No

Part D Financial related information

Are there other partners or organisations supporting this same project? If so, list.

No

Have you already obtained any funding towards this project? (If yes or still awaiting a response, please give details) (Max 20 words)

No

How much money are you requesting? A detailed budget must be provided. (Max 50 words)

<p>Total 4500 Euros</p> <p>Ethical permit 600 Euros</p> <p>Nurse midwife calling patients 30 Eur/hour 30 min/patient totals 1050 Euros</p> <p>Study coordinator, CRF into Excel 30 Eur/hour 30 min per patient totals 1050 Euros</p> <p>Write up, analysis 67 Euros/hour incl tax, total 24 hours totals 1608 Euros</p> <p>Unforeseen costs appr 200 Euros</p>
<p>Will this be part of a larger fund or stand alone? (Max 20 words)</p> <p>Stand alone</p>
<p>Who will oversee the budget & keep accounts?</p> <p>The clinic controller of Dept of OB/Gyn will oversee the budget. The study coordinator of the Dept of Ob/gyn at Danderyd Hospital will keep accounts.</p>

Part E Follow-up

I / We, as responsible agents for this project, agree to the following 6 points:

I/We agree that all monies will be spent appropriately	x
I/We agree to advise you at the earliest time if this project is delayed or cannot be completed	x
I/We agree to provide a report to the Board of Directors of the ESC within 6 months of the end of the project and yearly, if the project lasts longer than 1 year.	x
I/We agree to present the ESC treasurer with a detailed budget at the end of the project. <i>(if the project is longer than 1 year, the funding may be awarded in stages and be dependent on appropriate reporting)</i>	x
I/We agree that if you need to make any significant changes to the duration, contents or funding of the project after it has been awarded, I/we will advise the ESC Treasurer.	x
I/We agree to acknowledge the ESC as a donor in any publications and oral communications resulting from this project. Ideally any manuscript should be sent to the ESC journal in the first instance.	x

Signed
Name

Date

Please return this form (by email) to:

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