**Pre-application form Maarten van der Weijden Foundation call 2023**

**Applicant information**

* **Personal details main applicant**

Title :

First and last name :

Position of employment :

Department and Institute :

Phone number :

Email address :

* **Personal details potential co-applicant(s)**

Title :

First and last name :

Department and Institute :

Email address :

* **Total project budget :**

Budget guideline:

* + €100-600k for health care initiatives in the field of oncology
* **Project duration :**

Guideline for project duration is 1-4 years

* **Did you submit/have you submitted the current project somewhere else?**
  + Yes / No
    - If yes, please provide details including relevant status of the proposal
    - If no, please explain why the proposal is not suitable for funding by other funding organisations
* **How does your proposal connect to the mission of the Maarten van der Weijden Foundation?**

Please take into account the mission of the Maarten van der Weijden Foundation:

* + Stimulation and support of initiatives with the objective to ultimately prevent patients from dying of cancer and/or to improve the quality of life of patients with cancer.
  + More specifically, support of projects that focus on the improvement of the quality of life of cancer patients, quality of (supportive) care and health care innovations in the field of oncology

**Project information**

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**Title**

*The title of your project proposal*

**Dutch summary**

*Please summarize your project in Dutch in max 250 words.*

**Background / Rationale**

*Please describe:*

* *the current state-of-the-art, how your research will be innovative and will go beyond the state-of-the-art*
* *Feasibility of the proposed research, including preliminary data and literature on which the proposed research is based*

**Aim of the proposed research**

*Define your primary and secondary aims of the project proposal.*

**Project design and short work plan**

*Describe the proposed project design and a short work plan.*

**Implementation**

*Describe your plan for implementation of the project results and/or the impact of the project for the patient. Indicate the potential end-users of the project results and how they are/will be involved in the project.*

**Patient participation**

*Describe how patients participate in the project.*

*The Maarten van der Weijden Foundation strongly values the participation of patients in projects and patient participation is therefore a key evaluation criterion for the Advisory Board of the Foundation.*

*Patient participation can be achieved in various ways, depending on the character of the project. For example, patient participation can be achieved by involving one or more patients as formal advisors of the project and/or by involving them in an early phase of project design and/or execution of the project. These activities will need to be made concrete.*

*NB: The inclusion of patients to evaluate the effectiveness of the proposed treatment or health care innovation does not count as patient participation.*

**Support of patient organisation**

*In case the proposal is supported by one or more patient organisations, please provide a statement why the patient organisation supports the study and how they will be involved during the project. S****upport letters whenever applicable should be sent in the full application phase****.*

**Impact for the patient**

*Describe how the results of the project are expected to have impact for patients.*

**Expertise of the research team**

*Please describe the available expertise of the research team and explain why the research team will be able to perform the research activities within the proposal.*

**On which patient group does the project focus?**

*Please indicate which category/population of patients the project will focus.*

**Research focus, please indicate at least one of the following:**

* *Quality of life of cancer patients*
* *Quality of (supportive) care in the field of oncology*
* *Health care innovations in the field of oncology*