

*This form should be completed by applicants for the Child and young adult mental health - The underpinning aetiology of self-harm and eating disorder Funding Scheme with reference to the [Guidance for applicants](#).*

*When completed, this form must be converted to a pdf file and submitted via the Joint-electronic Submission (Je-S) system as part of an Application for Child and young adult mental health - The underpinning aetiology of self-harm and eating disorder funding as an attachment under document type Case for Support.*

***The Case for Support must not exceed 6 pages - please refer to the [Guidance for applicants](#) for information on format***

*Within your 6 pages please ensure you have covered the points below:*

### **Title and Objectives:**

#### **Section 1: Importance**

- 1.1 Give sufficient details of other past and current research to show that the aims are scientifically justified, and to show that the work will add distinct value to what is already known, or in progress
- 1.2 Explain how the plans fulfil unmet needs or will contribute to the current understanding of self-harm or eating disorders?

#### **Section 2: Scientific Potential and Environment**

- 2.1 Explain how each of the investigators named in the proposal will work together and outline other new collaborations important for the research
- 2.2 Describe how the scientific or clinical environment(s) in which the research will be done will promote delivery of the proposed research.

#### **Section 3: Research Plans**

- 3.1 Provide detail of the methodology and experimental design aspects of the proposal
- 3.2 Explain in greater detail how new techniques, or particularly difficult or risky studies, will be tackled, and alternative approaches should these fail
- 3.3 Highlight plans which are particularly original or unique