



Westmead Research Hub User Access Scheme Application Form

Please read the **Terms & Conditions for the User Access Scheme** prior to filling in this application.

Applicants must be an employee or student based at a partnering institution of Westmead Research Hub (Children's Medical Research Institute, Kids Research, Westmead Institute for Medical Research, NSW Health Pathology/ICPMR, Westmead Hospital, CSIRO or University of Sydney). Funding is for pilot studies and responses should be framed with this in mind. Please consult the relevant Core Facility Manager for advice about your application and project. A score of 40/50 and above will be required prior to consideration. The more detail provided in your application, the better we will be able to assess and approve your application.

Applications can be submitted all year round and will be assessed upon submission.

Applicant Details:

Full name:	
Position:	
Email address:	
Affiliation:	

Introduction:

Which User Access Stream are you applying for (proficient user or service-based)?

Did you discuss this application with the relevant Core Facility Manager?

Yes

No

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Project Details:

1) Project title (2 points):

2) Description: Provide a brief overview of the research project and its significance. No more than 500 words. Discuss potential impact of research and how it fits within the wider research program as well as the translational potential if applicable (10 points).

3) Goals: How will the User Access Scheme benefit your project? Detail the expected outcomes and how they relate to the above description (10 points).

4) Funding: If support for this project has already been secured, then you are ineligible to apply for the User Access Scheme. Explain how the proposed pilot project will assist in future grant applications and list specific grants that you will be applying for (include details such as grant application due date) (10 points).



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Core Facility Details:

1) Briefly describe which Core Facility (and piece of equipment) will be involved and how it is required for the execution of this research project (*6 points*).

2) Provide an estimated budget for the request (roughly accounting for number of hours estimated to complete this project). The pricing guide for Core Facilities equipment can be found [here](#). (*6 points*)

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Ethics Approval:

1) Does this project require any form of ethics and/or IBC approval? If yes, please provide evidence of granted approval. If yes and you have yet to received approval, please pursue this prior to submitting this application (2 points).

Yes

No

Track Record:

1) Please provide a summary of your track record including any publications (in preparation, submitted and accepted), conference presentations, scholarships, or awards. Note that this question will be assessed relative to your career stage *e.g.* PhD, ECR, MCR (4 points).

Please return this application form to info@wrh.org.au upon completion. WRH staff will confirm receipt and send your application to be assessed by relevant stakeholders, with an estimated turnaround time of two weeks.