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*Example  
Proposal for KCE's  
annual program 2017*

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Note: Questions with an asterisk are required

■ ▼ Contact information of the person submitting the research topic

■ ▼ Person who submits

Title:  
- None - ▼

First Name: \*

Last Name: \*

Language of Correspondence:  
- None - ▼

e-Mail: \*

Phone number:

■ ▼ Institution (if applicable)

Name of the institution:

	Hospital	University or University College	RIZIV- INAMI	Federal Public Service	Minister of Public Health	Other
Type of institution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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■ ▼ Contact person (if different from the person above)

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Postal code & Municipality:

Country:  
- None - ▼



1. Title of the proposed research topic

Study Title: \*

Please limit to 3 lines.

2. Problematic

Describe the context of this proposal: what is the problem, what are its causes? \*

Please limit to 15 lines.

3. Policy relevance

- To what extent can this study contribute to decision-making?
- Which government agencies are involved and/or interested in this research?
- When at the latest is this decision-making expected?

Please limit to 15 lines

Decision making: \*

4. Research questions

-- Which questions should be answered by the KCE in order to contribute to the solution of the problem that was described above?

-- Limit the number of questions to one or two, never more than three.

Please limit to 3 lines per question and describe the research questions as concisely as possible.

Question 1: \*

Question 2:

Question 3:



■ ▼ 5. Importance of the research topic

Different elements can contribute to the importance of the proposed research topic:

■ ▼ a) Frequency

-- Does this topic concern a large number of patients, sickness episodes, health care providers and/or care institutions?

-- Please quantify with objective information such as prevalence and/or incidence and mention your sources.

Please limit to 10 lines.

■ ▼ b) Severity

Does this topic represent a serious problem concerning

▶ health or health care

-- health, life expectancy, quality of life ... of the patients

-- efficacy, quality, continuity... of health care

-- accessibility (non financial), health inequalities

-- social and ethical aspects

▶ economic aspects

-- affordability for patients and/or government

-- efficiency or efficient use of available resources

Please limit to 10 lines.

■ ▼ c) Room for improvement

Will the proposed research be able to improve the problem which is described in point 2? If yes, in which of the mentioned dimensions? Which obstacles can be expected?

Please limit to 10 lines.

■ ▼ 6. Additional information ?

Define the appropriate methodology for this research. Indicate which data are necessary for this Research. Indicate whether there is already evidence with regard to the proposed research topic.

Mention names of persons or institutions that could be considered as references.

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