



EUPSA NETWORK OFFICE SMALL GRANT APPLICATION - 2026

The aim of research funding through the European Association of Pediatric Surgeons (EUPSA) is to support collaborative multicentre research among EUPSA members. Both clinical and basic science research applications are eligible. Applications for support will be judged on the scientific merit of the application and the potential for patient impact. The research group must include at least two investigators from two different European countries associated to EUPSA. Multicentre studies involving 3 or more pediatric surgery centres are encouraged and will be favored.

The Lead Applicant and at least one co-applicant must be members of the EUPSA and be up to date with the payment of annual fees at the time of application and continue to be fully paid up members for the duration of the award. A full explanation of the regulations covering this grant scheme is available on the EUPSA website.

Proposals for up to €5,000 may be awarded to cover research operating expenses (see regulations for allowable expenditure)

Application deadline is April 21st 2026 at 8am CET.

Please fill the below form and upload it with a 2-page CV in PDF format.

For submission, please use the below link:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeU04AF5y7N5nleAXKbvDwqFHBxRbcBjV427KzJEUgFQmjn7A/viewform?usp=publish-editor>



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1. SUMMARY INFORMATION

Title of Project (max 20 words):

Total Budget Requested (max 5000): Euros: _____

2. APPLICANTS

2a: Lead Applicant

Surname, given name	Date of birth	Email

Institution name:
Institution address:

2b: Co-Investigators

Must be at least one and max 10

Co-investigator - Surname, given	Country	Email
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3. LAY SUMMARY

Outline of Research in Lay Terms: (1000 characters maximum)

4. APPROVALS & SIGNATURES:

Institutional finance contact (for the processing of payment):

Name:			
Role:			
Email:		Telephone:	

Lead Applicant statement.

I confirm that the information provided here is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

I understand that if the application does not meet the requirements set out in the regulations, then my application will not be considered.

If awarded, I agree to conduct the research in accordance with any necessary ethical regulations and in accordance with the regulations of the EUPSA small Grant Award scheme

Lead Applicant please print name	
Signature:	
Date:	

Name of Lead Applicant and date of application:

Budget:

Provide justification and detail on: (1) consumables, (2) travel, (3) support expenses (e.g. methodological, statistical support), (4) other. (Note: dissemination costs (e.g. poster, conference attendance, publication charges) as well as computers or laptops are NOT eligible expenses) – 20 lines maximum.

Budget:

1) Consumables:

2) Travel:

3) Support costs

4) Other

Total Budget Requested:

Name of Principal applicant and date of application:

**Details of grant proposal: (Maximum 4 pages). Use 12 font or larger, 2,5 cm margins.
All of the following heading must be used and completed: Background, Aims/Objectives,
Proposed Methods, Patient or Public Involvement, Dissemination, Impact, Timetable and
References**

Title:

Background

Aims / Objectives

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Dissemination

Impact

Timetable

References (maximum 10)

Name of Principal applicant and date of application:

Publications: List publications of Lead Applicant or co-applicants that are related to this application if any (maximum of 5 in total from past 5 years).

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Research ethics approval.

If already approved by the applicants' institutional Research Ethics Board, please include copy of ethics approval. If not yet approved, please provide details outlining research ethics process, timing of ethics submission and estimated timing of approval. **Funds will not be released until a copy of the ethics approval is provided to the EUPSA Network Office Chair.**