

Addendum to the KWF Funding Conditions 2018

For infrastructure initiatives funding type, the KWF Funding Conditions 2018 (Financieringsvoorwaarden KWF Kankerbestrijding 2018) apply, with exception of the articles below, which have been added, repealed, replaced or amended specifically for the infrastructure initiatives.

Article 1 Definitions

1.19 Project Leader: the researcher who submits the Project Proposal on behalf of the Lead Institute, who bears ultimate responsibility for the execution of the Project and who, during the term of the Project, has an employment contract with the Lead Institute in which a sufficient number of hours have been agreed for them to be able to perform their duties as a Project Leader. The Project Leader is *not* required to be in possession of a PhD as of the start date of the project.

Article 4 - Appointment of staff and duration of the Project

Article 4.7 It is *not* mandatory to have at least one Researcher appointed by a Participating Organisation at the equivalent of 0.5 FTE per year during the term of the project.

Article 4.10 Internships abroad are *not* eligible under the infrastructure initiatives funding type (Call 2018-2).

Article 5 - The Funding

Article 5.4 Those costs which are eligible for funding (i.e. the sub-categories within the project budget) are:

- a. Personnel costs and personal budget; The personal budget has been set at €1,500 per FTE Researcher and *supporting project member* per year. The expenses actually incurred under this category do not need to be specified; it is sufficient to state the amount listed in the project budget approved by KWF. Travel and accommodation expenses, including expenses incurred during visits to conferences, must be paid out of the personal budget.
- c. Material expenses;
- d. Equipment expenses; only if it can be demonstrated that the equipment is specifically required to undertake activities that form part of the project;
- e. Fees paid to service providers;
- g. The costs of activities relating to patient participation can be claimed, provided they are substantiated with evidence. If members of patient organizations have an executive role in the project, they can be included as part of the project team, as 'support staff'.
- h. Costs for specific software (i.e. specific software, specific licenses, server hosting services fees with a demonstrable link to the project);
- i. Travel and accommodation costs for site visits; A site visit is defined as a work visit to another facility (within the Netherlands and/or abroad) with the objective of undergoing training in a specific methodology, software or technology. A work visit can last from (1) to four (4) weeks. Accommodation and travel costs (economy/second-class tickets) will be reimbursed.

Open access publication costs and the cost of internships abroad are not eligible for funding.