



CENTRE FOR PERSON-CENTRED CARE - GPCC

How to apply for financing to increase Patient and public involvement (PPI) in a GPCC research project

GPCC has made a strategic decision to work towards securing relevant involvement of patients and citizens in the Centre's activities. Now we are making financing available for GPCC research projects to increase their level of patient and public involvement (PPI) in research. The reason behind this is that we recognised a variation between projects in the extent to which this was already implemented in the working plans.

If your project could benefit from increased PPI, you can apply for financing by following the instructions below and submitting your application to administrator.gpcc@gu.se. A guideline on how much to pay PPI representatives is 350 SEK/hour plus any travel expenses, which is what the members of the GPCC Person Council are offered (in 2024).

To receive financing to enable an appropriate patient and public involvement in a GPCC research project, you need to:

- Read GPCCs web page on PPI in research: <https://www.gu.se/en/gpcc/patient-and-public-involvement-ppi-in-research-how-when-and-why>
- Submit a plan of no more than 2 pages using the form below and a budget, in English or Swedish to administrator.gpcc@gu.se .

GPCC expects publications from projects financed fully or partially by the research centre (e.g., PPI financing), to adhere to good reporting standards, including the Guidance for Reporting Involvement of Patients and the Public (e.g. the GRIPP2 checklist; [Link to the short checklist](#), and link to article about the GRIPP2 checklist).

Application form for PPI financing

Project title:

PI:

Project financed mainly by GPCC: Yes/No

Project affiliated to GPCC, but with no financing from the centre: Yes/No

Project webpage:

Describe current PPI involvement and financing:

Describe which part(s) of [the research project cycle](#) the PPI representatives would be involved in:

Describe the level of PPI participation:

- a) via consultation (you ask for information and get a response, but it is you the researchers who decide what to do with the response you received).
- b) via involvement (communication flow is mutual, you the researchers make decisions, but also communicate decisions and results back, so that the patient representative feels involved).
- c) via collaboration/partnership (patient representative(s) are involved in all stages of your project from study design to publication, you make decisions together).

Budget and associated tasks:

- How many PPI representatives would be involved?
- For approximately how many hours/occasions would they take part?

Describe:

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Expected benefit of the PPI involvement described above due to the (additional) financing:

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