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| **Applicant details** | |
| Chief investigator name |  |
| CI Affiliations |  |
| Email |  |
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| **Application details** | |
| Study title |  |
| Synopsis (200 words) |  |

**ANZMUSC endorsement criteria**

Trialists are required to write a paragraph (150 words approx.) for each criteria, to show how the trial addresses each of the criteria in detail. Only clinical trials in the field of musculoskeletal health will be considered and must

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| 1 | satisfy an ANZMUSC research priority (reflecting important disease burden and an important evidence or evidence-practice gap). |
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| 2 | present evidence confirming that the research question is one that the clinical and/or consumer community want answered. |
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| 3 | be of high quality (e.g. minimising risk of bias, ensuring appropriate power) and include an economic evaluation and process measures where relevant. |
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| 4 | be feasible (reflecting cost, logistics, track record and likely recruitment rate) |
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| 5 | show strong potential to change practice and/or policy (reflecting academic impact, implementation, and generalisability) |
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| 6 | be multicentre (to encourage collaboration, increase power and increase implementation of findings). Multicentre means that participants are recruited from more than one hospital/research institute/practice or university site. Trials that include sites across multiple regions, states or territories or countries will be highly regarded. |
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| 7 | have clear evidence of consumer partnership during the design of the trial and plans to actively engage with consumers in the dissemination of results. |
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| 8 | have a Chief Investigator who is a registered full member of the ANZMUSC Clinical Trials Network. |
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**Application Checklist**

Trialists are required to confirm the presence of each item on the checklist within the protocol (that has been developed in accordance with the SPIRT Checklist) or is described here

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|  | **YES** | **NO** |
| Aims and hypotheses |  |  |
| Background with references |  |  |
| Detailed research plan |  |  |
| Sample size calculation or other justification for sample size |  |  |
| Proposed analysis |  |  |
| Proposed budget |  |  |
| Funding strategy |  |  |
| Proposed coordinating Centre |  |  |
| In-principle support from sites |  |  |
| Consideration of ethical issues |  |  |
| Evidence of completed or planned partnership with consumers in the design and development of the research protocol (please describe) |  |  |
| Presentation at annual scientific meeting (dates) |  |  |

**Confirmation and signature of applicant**

I confirm that, in the event of successful endorsement, I take responsibility for compliance with all the conditions of endorsement as outlined in ANZMUSC Endorsement Process V4, December 2020 and the ANZMUSC Publication Policy V2, February 2020.

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Signature Date