

## **BONE CANCER RESEARCH TRUST**

## **GRANT APPLICATION RESUBMISSIONS POLICY**

At the Bone Cancer Research Trust, we do not allow the resubmission of any previously unsuccessful proposals, unless you have been **explicitly invited** to resubmit. Details of any requirements for resubmission, as requested by our Independent Scientific Advisory Panel, will be described in detail in the application and review feedback.

The purpose of our invitation-only policy is to allow for the modification and/or further development and improvement of proposals that have the potential to be highly competitive and which have a genuine prospect of being funded. There is no guarantee that a resubmitted proposal will be successful, as it will be in competition with a new set of proposals. We will, however, look to invite some reviewers and assessors who commented on the previously submitted proposal.

Where a resubmission is invited, a covering letter summarising the major revisions must accompany the application, which must be submitted as part of a BCRT open grant round.

If a previously unsuccessful application is resubmitted without invitation, this will be rejected during the internal sifting process before applications are sent for external review.

The **definition of a resubmission** is: any proposal that does not differ substantially from a project previously submitted to the Bone Cancer Research Trust during any one of our grant rounds.