



## BSUG RESEARCH GRANT SCORING

Criteria	Aspects to be assessed	Score 0/1
<b>Topic</b>  <b>Max 3</b>	Original research/ important topic selection.	
	Not previously done.	
	Application in clinical practice.	
<b>Method</b>  <b>Max 8</b>	Clear coherent hypothesis and specific objectives.	
	Study method appropriate for hypothesis.	
	Clear Inclusion / Exclusion criteria.	
	Power calculation.	
	Primary and secondary outcomes specified and adequate.	
	Details of tests/ procedures to be carried out.	
	Study can be completed in the duration of the funding (Usually 12 months).	
	Statistical analysis plan.	
<b>Feasibility</b>  <b>Max 4</b>	Numbers can be recruited from Unit.	
	Evidence of feasibility based on case load.	
	Tests can be carried out in recruiting unit.	
	Patient assessment recruitment/ intervention and follow up can be completed in the time span stated.	
<b>Ethics approval and R and D Registration</b>  <b>Max 1</b>	Obtained/ Not applicable (Reasons given)	



<b>Documentation</b>  <b>Max 7</b>	CV of PI and Co Investigators included and up-to-date.	
	Relevant other information including patient information leaflets, data collection sheet, questionnaires to be used, consent forms.	
	Coherent, organized and well-structured abstract.	
	Adequate background information about condition, intervention and the centre.	
	Measure of progress.	
	Referencing Style consistent (Vancouver) with recent and appropriate references.	
	Good English.	
<b>Costs</b>  <b>Max 2</b>	Budget estimation.	
	Reasonable costs.	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>/30</b>