

Guidelines for Evaluation of SPARK Proposal:**A. METHODOLOGY: (50 max)**

- Objectives – Accurate, Feasible, Specific, measurable. (10 max)
- Procedures/Method of data collection. (10 max)
- Appropriateness of Study Design. (10 max)
- Assessment tools. (10 max)
- Appropriateness of methods of data analysis/ statistical analysis. (10 max)

❖ Reviewers need to correlate the title with the methodology.

B. NOVELTY: (10 max)

- Novelty of ideas. (3 max)
- New approach in the existing concepts/ knowledge. (3 max)
- Formulation of the problem and hypotheses. (4 max)

C. RELEVANCE & FEASIBILITY: (10 max)

- Significance of research question. (3 max)
- Relevance in terms of Translational value. (3 max)
- Appropriateness of timeline. (2 max)
- Achievability of the Objectives. (2 max)

EVALUATION FORMAT OF PROPOSAL

S. No.	Criteria	Marks out of 70	Marks obtained	Remarks
1.	Methodology (Objectives, Materials & methods, parameters, formats, protocols, design, expected outcome, etc. of the proposed work)	50		
2.	Novelty	10		
3.	Relevance and feasibility of taking work in the current setup within time limit.	10		
Total marks obtained				
Overall Remarks:				