



2023 **MNI GRANT**

MNI Award of €30,000 to planned national initiatives or research projects for Optimal Nutritional Care





SELECTION CRITERIA

Must be endorsed by a national PEN-, sister-, or other society (worldwide) listed on: http://www.espen.org/espen-national-societies:

- The PEN society logo shall appear in the Poster template
- An endorsement letter by the endorsing PEN society should be submitted with the application

Nota Bene: The submissions without endorsement letter will be considered non-compliant and excluded from review

Must focus on quantifiable advancements in one or more of the following areas of clinical nutrition:

- · Evidence of improved patient outcomes
- · Effective screening and treatment pathways
- Reduction in prevalence of malnutrition risk
- Demonstration of health economic benefits
- Progressive collaborations with multidisciplinary stakeholders including patients and carers
- Education of medical students / healthcare professionals
- Strategies to implement and advance nutritional care in clinical practice

Focus on a broad population is highly desirable. Potential of the initiative to influence national nutrition policy and/or to transfer to other settings or geographies is highly desirable. Multinational submissions are welcome.

Must demonstrate progress and achievements in the next 24 months. After 24 months, the winner will be asked to report on developments.

Previous MNI Grant winners may reapply if submitting either a new initiative, or a significant evolution from the initial winning submission. Commercial initiatives may be deprioritized.

The winner will be invited to present their initiative during the 2023 ESPEN Congress.

After the event, all submissions will be posted on www.medicalnutritionindustry.com

SELECTION PROCESS

Submissions will be reviewed by a committee from MNI and ESPEN according to the defined criteria. In the event that there is not one clear winner, the grant may be shared between 2 submissions.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS (POSTER PREREQUISITES):

The following sections & information must be included:

PROJECT TITLE & COLLABORATORS

- Title of project
- Contact person (name, telephone number, email address)
- National PEN society endorsement including a) endorsement letter from the PEN society and b) PEN society logo on the poster

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE INITIATIVE/PROJECT

- Rationale/background of the initiative/project
- What makes it innovative?

SCOPE OF THE PROJECT & ENABLERS

- Activities: What specifically will be done?
- Resources planned/required (personnel/time/financial): What is the total budget of the project? How will the €30,000 be used? Has other funding been sought/achieved? Please disclose information on any other financial support already planned for the project.
- Implementation: What factors will make this project successful? What strategic approach will be taken?

RESULTS/OUTCOMES & EXPECTED IMPACT

- What achievements are possible in the next 12 and 24 months?
- What are the likely results and expected impact on patient care?
- What makes this initiative interesting on a national/international level?

SUBMISSION PROCESS

- Submit in poster format (one-page, readable printed on A3 paper) using the MNI submission template.
- Address all the submission requirements listed above
- Incomplete submissions may not be considered for review.

Submissions and inquiries should be e-mailed to secretariat@medicalnutritionindustry.com

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: 30 APRIL 2023

AWARD PAYMENT

The grant will be payable through the endorsing PEN society.



Submission Deadline

30 APRIL 2023