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## FALCON AWARDS FOR DISEASE ELIMINATION INTEGRATION EDIT

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

*This document outlines the eligibility criteria for applicants wishing to submit concepts for research projects or advocacy initiatives for the 2025 Falcon Awards.*

#### OBJECTIVES

All concepts should aim to meet one or more of the following objectives:

1. **Generating evidence and testing approaches** to advance the elimination of infectious diseases through integrated approaches.
2. **Disseminating knowledge** to enhance understanding and catalyse action for integrated disease elimination strategies.
3. **Supporting local or regional advocacy** efforts to advance integrated approaches to disease elimination.
4. **Raising awareness of and** for integrated disease elimination strategies and approaches.
5. **Cultivating partnerships** aimed at advancing elimination through integrated approaches that enhance knowledge or evidence around the transmission, control, elimination, and eradication of infectious diseases.

#### TOPICS

Concepts submitted should aim to advance integrated elimination strategies for infectious diseases that are cross-border, cross-sector, or cross-disease. Concepts may focus on, but are not limited to, the following sub-categories:

1. Pilot field projects on the integration of eliminable diseases
2. Mainstreaming eliminable diseases into national health systems
3. “Sustaining elimination” Post Validation Surveillance/preventing reintroduction
4. Community-centered approaches to disease elimination
5. One Health approaches to disease elimination
6. Innovative approaches to disease elimination
7. Investment cases for disease elimination

#### DISEASE SCOPE

Infectious diseases where integration is possible

#### GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF PROPOSALS

Open to global disease elimination stakeholders.



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## PROJECT DESIGN

Concepts submitted must be able to start work in 2025.

## ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS

Applications must come from within an organisation or entity with demonstrated experience in disease elimination. The following entities are eligible to apply:

1. National or regional academic or research institutions
2. Government entities
3. Public, private or non-governmental sector institutions
4. Consortia, coalitions or networks may apply but must meaningfully include either an academic institution, Civil Society Organization (CSO), or Non-Governmental Organisations (NGO).
5. Early career researchers

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