**Cover template for a Consortium Application (Modules 1-3)**

**within the „Funding announcement for research on COVID-19 in the wake of the Sars-CoV-2 outbreak”**

*This template is designed to give an overview of the entire research consortium. The maximum number of pages used must not exceed three pages including the references provided. In addition to this cover template, the individual research projects within the network, that is a maximum of three subprojects at three institutions, should use the appropriate template for application. In the event that clinical or epidemiological studies are planned, please refer to the templates for a clinical trial and an epidemiological study, respectively. For all other types of research projects foreseen (including ELSI or animal research), please use the template for a research project provided. Please put all documents together into one PDF-file.*

*When filling out the templates, please note that the entries in italics are intended as information for the application and must be deleted before submitting the application. Please make an entry for each heading. Please prepare your application in English not exceeding three pages (DIN A4, 11 point Arial and 9 point Arial for the synopsis and references, margins of at least 2 cm and single-spaced lines).*

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| **SYNOPSIS** *(maximum of 1 page)* | |
| **Module (1, 2 or 3)** |  |
| **Applicant/ Coordinator** | *Title Name*  *Institute/Clinic/Department*  *Institution*  *Postal address*  *Phone number, e-mail* |
| **Acronym of the Consortium** | *Acronym of the consortium* |
| **Structure of the Consortium** | *Structure of the consortium* |
| **Summary of the Proposal** | *Please briefly summarize the scientific goals of the consortium (max. 1800 characters incl. spaces)* |
| **Requested Funding for the Consortium** | *Total funding amount requested (BMBF share excluding project lump sum or overhead costs; for SMEs funding rate 50%) for the entire network for the requested funding period in €* |
| **Requested Funding Period** | *The maximum possible funding period is 18 months.* |

1. **Aims and Structure of the Consortium**

***1.1 Aim of the consortium***

*What are the goals of the consortium? Which scientific questions will be addressed?  
The research hypotheses on which the research concept is based should be clearly formulated. The added value of the joint work should be emphasized.*

***1.2 Structure of the consortium***

*What is the structure of the consortium? Which partners are participating in the consortium with which tasks? Please also comment on possible cooperation with partners outside the consortium at a national or international level.*

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| **Name** | **Affiliation** | **Responsibility/ Role/ Contribution** | **Sub-Project no.** |
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***1.3 Work Plan and financial summary***

*Briefly describe the work plan of the consortium: What should be done specifically? How will the above goals be achieved?*

*Please also fill out the table provided below:*

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| **Sub-Project no.** | **Method** | **Material** | **Aim** | **Amount of funding requested (excl. overhead)** |
|  | Animal study | mice |  |  |
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1. **References**

*Please list the five most relevant publications for the project in the last five years.*