

Relevance of Sex, Gender and Diversity in Research

Checklist for Applicants on Planning Research Projects

The questions below provide useful starting points for determining whether it may be necessary to provide information about sex, gender and/or diversity when planning your research project. If relevant, information can be provided under item 2.5 in the proposal, where you can also refer to other parts of your proposal. Examples from research are available at www.dfg.de/diversity_dimensions.

Does your proposal involve research

- on or with human subjects,
- on or with animals,
- on samples taken from humans or animals and/or
- with data relating to humans or animals?

Yes.

If applicable, please indicate in the proposal the extent to which the sex, gender and/or diversity of the human subjects, animals or material is or could be of relevance to your research project or your data.

For example, how are potential sex-, gender- and/or diversity-specific differences taken into account

- in the research questions,
- in the formation of theories,
- in the selection of research methods and/or
- in the collection and analysis of research data?

No.

In this case no further information is required.

Are the project results to be used for human subjects and/or animals or to be applied to them?

Yes.

Are differences anticipated in use or applicability due to sex, gender and/or diversity? If applicable, please explain in the proposal how this will be taken into account in the project.

No.

In this case no further information is required.

Could the sex, gender and/or other diversity aspects of the researchers be relevant to the anticipated results?

Yes.

Please explain in the proposal the extent to which you will take into account the sex, gender and/or other diversity aspects of the researchers in your work programme and proposed research methods.

No.

In this case no further information is required.