

Gold Certification Process Timeframe 2021

1. FORM A

Jan/March

Submission: Responsibility Submitter

Only authorised submitters can nominate a healthcare service as a candidate in a GOLD Process. The submitter must describe the national “verification and validation” process and findings that support the nomination of each candidate in “FORM A”.

FORM A Submission deadline: 31/03/2021

April / May 2021 Examination and Recognition of candidates Form A: Responsibility Senior Jury

Senior Jury Teams review FORM A’s for the decision to accept the nominated candidates for participation in the GOLD Process.

Deadline: 31/05/2021

2. FORM B

June / July/ August: Submission Form B

Responsibility Healthcare Services & Submitter

All accepted healthcare service candidates are invited to submit the” Form B” to highlight innovative and good practice and provide information of their quality improvement plans and commitment to sustain this high-level implementation into the future. The Form B can be completed with the support of the authorised submitter.

Deadline FORM B: 31/08/2021

The Jury Team assigned to each accepted candidate will examine the candidate’s FORM B to understand how the high-level implementation was achieved, outcomes and results and identify innovate and good practice.

Deadline: 30/9/2021

3. FORM C

October

Each candidate will receive a full feedback report FORM C. New GOLD Forum Members are invited to participate at the next GOLD Forum Event.

Membership of the Forum lasts for a period of four years

Deadline: 31/10/2021