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1. Specific Aims (One page)
   1. Broad, long-term objectives
   2. Goal of specific project
2. Background and significance (2-3 pages)
   1. Existing tools
      1. Data repositories (XNAT, etc)
      2. De-identifiers
   2. Identify gaps
   3. State importance and how project will advance scientific knowledge
   4. Identify effect on concepts, methods, technologies, etc currently in use
3. Preliminary Studies —apparently this section is less important for small research grants, but still plays a big role in evaluating the likelihood of success of project
   1. Account of PI’s preliminary research related to the specific project
4. Research Design and Methods
   1. Conceptual framework to accomplish part B
   2. Data collection/sharing
   3. Advantages over existing technologies
   4. Discuss novel approaches, potential difficulties and limitations
   5. Tentative timetable