PROPOSAL FOR QUALIFYING EXAM

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TITLE OF PROJECT (Do not exceed 56 typewriter spaces):

PERIOD OF PROPOSED PROJECT

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DESCRIPTION: State the application's broad, long-term objectives and specific aims, making reference to the health aspects of the project. Describe concisely the research design and methods for achieving these goals. This abstract is meant to serve as a succinct and accurate description of the proposed work when separated from the application.

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This full proposal must not exceed 15 pages without references. It should be prepared at Font 10, with line spacing at 160%, and be written only in English. The plan must be experimentally plausible, possible, and justified with a good rationale. It must be completed in 3 - 5 years. All the reagents in your proposal must be practical (e.g., antibody against Bcl-2 is commercially available from Pharmingen, Inc., or TERT-deficient mice can be obtained Dr. L. Harrington). If any procedure is practically impossible to perform, the proposal will be rejected.

Your english abilities are also very important. If you just copy and paste from the existing literature, your exam will be immediately failed. Every sentence must be in your own writing.