

Sri Lanka Health and Ageing Study

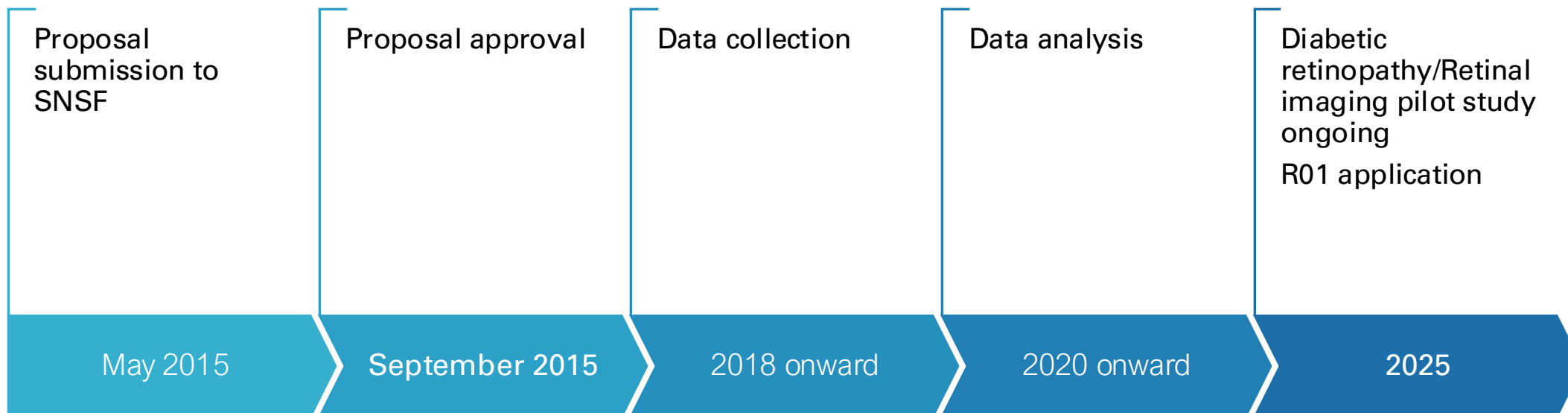
Basic Overview

- Sri Lanka
- 2018–
- National area probability sample of non-institutional households with oversampling of older ages
- Supplementary CATI only panel sampled by random digit dialing

Study Population

- ~6,700 enrolled Wave 1
- ~4,000 RDD panel
- 18+
- Wave 1 – 2018/19
Wave 2 (CATI) – 2021/22
Wave 2x (CATI) – 2022/2024

SLHAS Timeline



SLHAS – Domains

Study Design

- Survey mode
 - W1: face-to-face
 - W2/2x: telephone
- What type of information are you collecting?
 - Economics, employment/retirement, health, healthcare use, cognitive function, psychosocial, beliefs/opinions

Biomarkers

- What tissues are you collecting: Venous blood, urine, spirometry, ECGs
- Assays?
 - Cardiometabolic, liver function, Diabetes physiology (NIH/NIDDK collaboration)
- Future interests?
 - Full HRS/HCAP alignment, genetics, RNA

Additional info

- Proposed Wave 3
 - Full HCAP integration
 - Retinal imaging
 - Cardiometabolic
- Future consideration
 - Administrative data linkages (death, social security, COVID-19 vax)
 - CKD