

## **HF-14-29 Jones**

### *Novel biomarkers and frequency of exacerbations in chronic obstructive pulmonary disease*

- A novel idea in a very interesting area
- Environment is suitable, however team could be strengthened with added expertise in Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
- The training and development plan for the study is underdeveloped
- The intention to carry out 1200 clinic visits in an 18-month period may be very challenging
- Applicant is unlikely to obtain the necessary data before exacerbation
- The patient and public involvement plan is very good and appropriately funded