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| **NEW COLLABORATIVE PARTNER INITIAL RISK ASSESSMENT** |
| **The following risk assessment will be completed by Academic Quality Services following submission of the New Partner Proposal Form.**The University, as part of its obligations under the UK Quality Code, is required to ensure that appropriate and proportionate risk assessment and due diligence enquiries are carried out on all new proposed collaborative arrangements. The following framework is designed to assess initial risks identified during the concept phase of any new partnerships, in order to facilitate effective and informed decision making. Partnerships which pass the initial gate will be subject to full Due Diligence and Risk Assessment.Please not that this document **is for internal use only**; it is **not to be shared** with the proposed partner institution/organisation.  |
| **College/School:** | **Subject Area:** | **Proposer:** |
| **Proposed Partner:** |  |
| **Proposed Programme(s):** |  |
| **Risk Area** | **Comments** | **Risk Score** |
| Location of Proposed Partner |  |  |
| Type of Organisation |  |  |
| Reputation of Proposed Partner |  |  |
| Recognition/In-Country Requirements |  |  |
| Existing Partnerships/Affiliations |  |  |
| Financial Risks |  |  |
| Legal Risks |  |  |
| Academic Risks |  |  |
| Ethical Risks |  |  |
| Costs and Funding |  |  |
| **Comments:** |
| **Risk Score:** |
| **Low****0-10** | **Moderate****11-20** | **High****21-30** | **Severe****31-40** |