## REVIEW QUALITY RESULTS

Based on the Review Quality Assurance (RQA) Process from the 2021 Spring Project competition, here are areas for improvement in reviews that have been identified by CIHR



# Did you TOW?

We notice that greater emphasis can be provided for the following areas:

For more information on submitting robust reviews, please view the Conducting Quality Reviews learning module on our website.

#### **Expertise, Experience and Resources**

Each evaluation criteria, according to the Funding Opportunity, should be addressed by noting strengths and weaknesses that provide the applicant feedback and justification of the rating.

#### Sex and/or Gender Considerations

Reviewers must provide written recommendations to applicants on how they might improve the strength of their applications with respect to the integration of sex and/or gender.

### **Summary of Research Proposal**

At times, the summary section of a review is copied from the application or other reviews. Using original wording demonstrates the reviewer's understanding of the research work being proposed.