



SUPPORT FOR RESEARCH FUNDING 2016

State and territory Cancer Councils, which comprise the member bodies of Cancer Council Australia, are the major non-government sponsors of cancer research and related activities in Australia.

Cancer Councils fund and conduct research that is based on scientific merit and competitive, peer-reviewed assessment to ensure the most judicious use of community fundraising, donations, bequests and merchandise sales.

In 2016, research grants through Cancer Councils totalled more than \$65.5 million. Cancer Councils directly funded \$43.4 million, with a further \$22.1 million contributed by our research funding partners.

Please note: for research grants spanning more than one year, only funds to be disbursed in 2016 have been included.

CANCER COUNCIL AUSTRALIA



Externally Funded Research Programs

New research grants			Cancer Council charitable funding amount 2016	Other funding amount for 2016	TOTAL	Research focus
<i>Name of research program</i>	<i>Recipients</i>	<i>Name of research grant</i>				
Priority Driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme	Prof Danielle Mazza Monash University	LEAD – Lung cancer diagnostic and treatment pathways: a comparison between CALD and Anglo-Australian patients.	\$200,000	\$0	\$200,000	Lung cancer
TOTAL RESEARCH FUNDED (new program)			\$200,000	\$0	\$200,000	

Continuing research grants

Priority Driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme	Prof Michael Friedlander Prince of Wales Hospital	An international multi-stage randomised phase III trial of dose-fractionated chemotherapy compared to standard three-weekly chemotherapy for women with newly diagnosed epithelial ovarian cancer.	\$5,241	\$0	\$5,241	Ovarian cancer
Priority Driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme	Assoc Prof Sandi Hayes Queensland University of Technology	ECHO Trial: exercise during chemotherapy for ovarian cancer.	\$98,000	\$0	\$98,000	Ovarian cancer
Priority Driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme	Prof Linda Mileskin The University of Melbourne	RECUPERATE: can REaltime molecular profiling in Carcinoma of Unknown Primary improve tReAtment ouTcomes?	\$196,000	\$0	\$196,000	All cancers
Priority Driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme	Prof Jane Young University of Sydney	Quality of life outcomes and cost effectiveness of pelvic exenteration for people with advanced rectal cancer.	\$3,209	\$0	\$3,209	Rectal cancer

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Priority Driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme	Assoc Prof Trevor Leong University of Sydney	Randomised phase II/III study of preoperative chemo-radiotherapy versus chemotherapy for resectable gastric cancer.	\$924	\$0	\$924	Gastric cancer
Priority Driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme	Prof Derek Hart University of Sydney	RNA Loading of Tumour Associated Antigens and the Activation of Blood Dendritic Cells for Prostate Cancer Immunotherapy.	\$4,958	\$0	\$4,958	Prostate cancer
International Agency for Research on Cancer	Dr Eleonora Feletto	Research Fellowship	\$55,642	\$0	\$55,642	All cancers
TOTAL RESEARCH FUNDED (continuing program)			\$363,974	\$0	\$363,974	
TOTAL RESEARCH FUNDED CANCER COUNCIL AUSTRALIA			\$563,974	\$0	\$563,974	