

Results of the 2019 CRISP Grant Competition

The Clinical/Community Research Integration Support Program (CRISP) funds clinical and/or community research that has the potential to improve health outcomes and/or influence clinical practice at the point of care for women and/or children.

Funding requests are for up to \$20,000 spent over a period of three years. This funding opportunity welcomes applications from all areas of research investigation relevant to the WCHRI vision, mission and strategic priorities. Applications are assessed by the CRISP Grant Advisory Committee with input from the WCHRI Lay Review Committee. The CRISP Grant Advisory Committee is broadly composed of leading experts from the University of Alberta.

A listing of all successful applicants is provided below. On behalf of WCHRI, Dr. Sandy Davidge, WCHRI executive director and Dr. Samina Ali, chair of the CRISP Grant Advisory Committee, would like to congratulate the successful awardees and thank all of the applicants for the time and effort invested in their grant submission.

Finally, WCHRI would like to acknowledge the ongoing commitment and generosity of the Stollery Children's Hospital Foundation and supporters of the Lois Hole Hospital for Women for their support of this grant program.

Listing of awardees

Principal Applicant	Designation	Project Title	Institutional Sponsor	WCHRI Funder
Wright, Bruce	MD	Partnerships to design communication instructions for mental health visits to the pediatric emergency department	Medicine & Dentistry-Pediatrics	SCHF
Meherali, Salima	PhD	Sexual and reproductive health needs of immigrant adolescents	Nursing	SCHF
Grimbly, Chelsey	MD	Brain and spine problems in people with X linked Hypophosphatemia	Medicine & Dentistry-Pediatrics	SCHF
Duff, Jonathan P	MD	CPR for kids: Testing how effective and easy to use our current pocket guide is in a classroom environment	Medicine & Dentistry-Pediatrics	SCHF
Ringrose, Jennifer	MD	Determining the home blood pressure thresholds for predicting complications in pregnancy	Medicine & Dentistry-Medicine	RAHF
Acker, Jason	PhD	Evaluating the performance and readiness to adopt a non-invasive test of fetal blood type	Medicine & Dentistry-Laboratory Medicine & Pathology	RAHF

Application statistics

A total of 10 applications were assessed by committee; of these 6 were funded. The overall success rate for this competition was 60%.

Application statistics by faculty and department (applied)

We received four applications from the department of pediatrics; and one from each of the departments of: dentistry and dental hygiene, laboratory medicine & pathology, medicine, obstetrics & gynecology, surgery, nursing.

Questions?

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