

## Department of Supportive Care New Grants (2021/22):

**Source:** CIHR Project Grant

Title: Precision cardiovascular disease profiling and risk prediction in cancer

survivors (PROGRESS): A prospective cohort study **Nominated Principal Investigators:** Adams SC

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Abdel-Qadir H, Amir E, Thavendiranathan D **Co-Investigators:** Cifra B, Fish J, Floras J, Gupta A, Hodgson D, Lega I,

Mertens L, Moayedi Y, Nathan P, Ross H, Santa Mina D

Collaborators: Brezden-Masley C, Edgell H, Gillen J, Oh P, Sabiston CM, Trinh L

**Term:** 2022 - 2027

**Amount Awarded:** \$1, 200, 000

Source: Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada: Grant-In-Aid

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Co-Principal Investigators: Thavendiranathan D

**Co-Investigators:** Abdel-Qadir H, Amir E, Cifra B, Edgell H, Fish J, Floras J, Gillen J, Gupta A, Hodgson D, Lega I, Mertens L, Moayedi Y, Nathan P, Ross H,

Sabiston CM, Santa Mina D

**Term:** 2022 - 2025

Amount Awarded: \$297, 000

Source: Canadian Cancer Society/CIHR Cancer Survivorship Team Grant

Title: The Harmonized Intervention to Maintain health via Appropriate risk factor

modification and Lifestyle changes in Adolescent and Young Adult cancer

Survivors (HIMALAYAS) trial

**Principal Investigators:** Thavendiranathan D

Co-Principal Investigators: Abdel-Qadir H, Adams SC, Awadalla P,

Charpentier D, Davis MK, Goddard K, Gupta A, Gyenes GT, Hodgson DC, Lau B,

Nathan P, Oh P, Paterson I, Tournoux F

**Co-Investigators:** Brezden-Masley C, Cifra B, Crooks B, Doré I, Gauvin L, Grandy S, Hayami D, Ivers N, Lega I, McKillop S, Mulvagh SL, Pituskin E, Price J, Rac V, Rayson D, Ribeiro P, Sabiston CM, Samouelian V, Santa Mina D, Spavor M, Thorpe K, Tomlinson G, White J

**Term:** 2021 - 2026

**Amount Awarded:** \$2, 260, 000

**Source:** Manitoba Medical Service Foundation (Operating Grant)

**Title:** Mental health outcomes of adolescents and young adults with cancer in

Manitoba: A population-based matched cohort study

Principal Investigators: Oberoi S

Co-Investigators: Mahar A, Garland A, Bolton J, Decker K, Gupta A, Israels S,

Banerji S, Deleemans J, Garand-Sheridan B



**Term:** 2021 – 2022

Amount Awarded: \$35, 000

**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR). Project Grant: Fall 2021 **Title:** Observing, Understanding and Telling stories at end of Life for Opioid Use

Disorder patients (OUTLOUD): Mixed-methods research and knowledge

translation

**Principal Investigators:** Lau J, Gomes T, Isenberg S, Tanuseputro P **Collaborators:** Buchman D, Dosani N, Killackey T, Moineddin R, Sproule B,

Tedesco A, Wegier P, Zimmermann C

**Term:** 2022 - 2026

Amount Awarded: \$520, 000

**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Project Grant - Priority

Announcement

Title: Emotion and Symptom-focused Engagement for Patients with Solid Organ

Transplant (EASE-SOT): an Open-Label Pilot Randomized Study of a Novel

Intervention

Co-Principal Investigators: Mucsi I

**Collaborators:** Chaparro Mutis B, Clarke H, Colman R, Huszti E, Malfitano C, Moayedi Y, Nissim R, Rodin G, Ross H, Rydall A, Selzner N, Wentlandt K,

Zimmermann C **Term:** 2022 – 2023

Amount Awarded: \$100, 000

**Source:** AMS Healthcare

Title: Randomized Phase II trial of electronic symptom screening with targeted

early palliative care (eSTEP) for patients with advanced cancer

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Hannon B **Collaborators:** Zimmermann C, Rodin G

**Term:** 2022

Amount Awarded: \$75, 000

**Source:** Kidney Health Research Grant

**Title:** Emotion And Symptom-focused Engagement for KidneY and KIdney-Pancreas Transplant Recipients (EASY-KIT): An Integrated Intervention

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Mucsi I

Collaborators: Zimmermann C, Rodin G, Clarke H, Malfitano C, Nissim R,

Rydall A, Schiff J, Wentlandt K, Huszti E

**Term:** 2021 - 2024

Amount Awarded: \$580, 000

**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR). Operating Grant:

COVID-19 Research Gaps and Priorities.



Title: Palliative care at the end of life among patients with cancer before and

during the COVID-19 pandemic

Co-Principal Investigators: Hannon B, Zimmermann C

Co-Investigators: Booth C, Downar J, Fowle R, Herx L, Iqbal J, Krzyzanowska

M, Lau J, Le L, Moineddin R, Rodin G, Seow H, Tanuseputro P

**Term:** 2021-2024

Amount Awarded: \$423, 045

Source: Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR). Project Grant

Title: Quality of Death in Hospital and Bereavement Outcomes in the COVID-19

Era

Co-Principal Investigators: Nissim Rinat, Hales Sarah

Collaborators: Bean S, Bell J, Isenberg-Grzeda E, Hannon B, Li M, Rodin G,

Selby D, Zimmermann C **Term:** 2021 – 2023

Amount Awarded: \$294, 525

Source: Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR). Project Grant - Priority

Announcement: Patient-Oriented Res

**Title:** Effects of dexmedetomidine in patients with agitated delirium in palliative care: an open-label phase 1/2 proof-of-concept, feasibility, and dose-finding

clinical trial

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Downar J, Kanji S, Lascelle D, Lawlor P, Parsons H **Collaborators:** Bush S, Cohen L, Doctorow Roslyn, Herx L, Hughes J, Iqbal M, Lapenskie J, Lau J, Lelievre N, Simon JE, Sinnarajah A, Vanderspank BL, Wolfe A, Zimmermann C

**Term:** 2021 – 2022

Amount Awarded: \$100,000

Source: Canadian Cancer Society / CIHR-ICR / Quebec Breast Cancer

Foundation

Title: Acceleration 3.0

Co-Principal Investigators: Oh P, Jones J, Bacon S

Co-Investigators: Langelier DM, Bredin S, Eisen A, Giacomantonio N, Kim R,

Lavoie K, Warburton D, Firth W, Theurel FR

**Term:** 2022 - 2023

Amount Awarded: \$200, 000

Source: UHN Physician Council on Quality & Safety, UHN Physician Quality

Improvement

**Title:** Creation of a standardized assessment process based on tumor group for

outpatient cancer rehabilitation

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Langelier DM, Chang E **Collaborators:** de Peiza P, Salama M, Caldana L, Mokry J

**Term:** 2021 - 2022



**Amount Awarded:** \$10, 000

**Source:** University Health Network. Department of Medicine Network Funds **Title:** Project Prometheus and the GEMINI Cohort: Building a Liver Care

Network at the University of Toronto

Co-Principal Investigators: Hirschfield G

Collaborators: Lapointe-Shaw L, Hansen B, Quinn K, Shah H, Kaya E, Verma A,

Razak F, Lee E, Roberts S, Leung K

**Term:** 2021 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$50, 000

**Source:** Young Leaders Cancer Experience Challenge, Princess Margaret Cancer

Centre

**Title:** Development of cancer education for healthcare providers to improve communication, engagement and inclusivity: A curriculum focused on pronouns,

gender, sexual orientation and relationship diversity in cancer care

Collaborators: Schulz-Quach C, Croke J

**Term:** 2022 - 2023

Amount Awarded: \$20, 000

**Source:** Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada

**Title:** Training peers in motivational interviewing to increase vaccine confidence

among healthcare workers in a large, urban healthcare institution

Co-Principal Investigators: Ji C

Co-Investigators: Crampton N, Granton J, Lemieux C, Nolan R, Obadia, M

**Term:** 2021 - 2022

**Amount Awarded:** \$49, 417.60

**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)

**Title:** Impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the psychosocial health of children with cancer, survivors, and family caregivers: A pan-Canadian study of issues

and solutions

Co-Principal Investigators: Alberts N, Whitlock J, Jibb L

Co-Investigators: Alexander S, Caru M, Hadjistavropoulos T, Jones J, Nathan

P, Sivaratnam S, Sultan S

**Term:** 2021 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$149, 750

**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)

**Title:** RiseTx: A distance-based intervention for reducing sedentary behaviour

among prostate cancer survivors

Co-Principal Investigators: Trinh L

Co-Investigators: Alibhai S, Arbour-Nicitopoulos K, Campbell K, Faulkner G,

Jones JM, Sabison C, Santa Mina D

**Term:** 2021 - 2024



Amount Awarded: \$495, 000

**Source:** Global Institute of Psychosocial Palliative and End of Life Care **Title:** Clinical Innovations in Palliative Care – A Pilot Study to Evaluate an Innovative Multi-Component, Structured, Rehabilitation Intervention for patients

with Advanced Cancer: The Cancer Rehabilitation and Exercise Program

Co-Principal Investigators: Langelier D, Jones J

Collaborators: Hannon B, Blake C, Santa Mina D, Chang E, Nadler M, Beck L

**Term:** 2020 – 2021

Amount Awarded: \$19,000

**Source:** The Canadian Institutes of Health Research, Project Grant

**Title:** FAST Walk (Functional Assessment for Surgery by a Timed walk) study: A multicenter prospective cohort study of the six-minute walk test for improving

preoperative risk stratification for major non-cardiac surgery

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Wijeysundera DN, Jüni P, Khadaroo R, McIsaac D **Co-Investigators:** Alibhai SMH, Bagry H, Bartoszko J, Bruce E, Chesney T, Choi S, Crampton N, Cuthbertson B, Del Giudice L, Ferguson-Pell M, Gomez JD, Granton J, Jacobsohn E, Jerath A, Karanicolas P, Kennedy E, Ladha KS, Lebovic G, MacDonald D, MacDonell S, McCluskey S, Parotto M, Perlas A, Puts M, Russell S, Salbach N, Santa Mina D, Siddiqui N, Stephenson A, Thoreifson M, VanVlymen J, Wijeysundera H, Wong K, Wright F

**Term:** 2021 - 2025

**Amount Awarded:** \$1, 410, 813

**Source:** The Canadian Institutes of Health Research, Project Grant

**Title:** A mixed methods study to evaluate functional recovery, care needs, and caregiver needs in older adults undergoing surgery: The frail sub-study of the Fit after Surgery study

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Puts MT, Alibhai SMH, Haase K, McIsaac DI, Wijeysundera DN

**Co-Investigators:** Bennie F, Crampton N, Donison V, Jacobsohn E, Ladha K, MacDonald D, McGilton K, Siddiqui N, VanVlymen J, Chesney T, Davis M, Dumshin N, Jerath A, Lebovic G, MacDonell S, Mccluskey S, Stephens A, Weller B, Choi P, Del Giudice L, Kuluski K, Lorello G, Mazer D, Parotto M, Stephens D

**Term:** 2021 - 2024

Amount Awarded: \$424, 575

Source: The Canadian Institutes of Health Research. Project Grant

**Title:** Rise Tx: A distance-based intervention for reducing sedentary behavior

among prostate cancer survivors

Co-Principal Investigators: Trinh L

Co-Investigators: Alibhai SMH, Jones J, Arbour-Nicitopoulos, Sabiston C,

Campbell K, Santa Mina S, Faulkner G

**Term:** 2021 – 2024



Amount Awarded: \$378, 675

**Source:** University of Toronto, Division of Medical Oncology Strategic Innovation

Fund

**Title:** Frailty screening as a predictor for functional decline, quality of life, and early death in older patients receiving palliative chemotherapy for lung cancer **Co-Investigators:** Menjak I, Alibhai SMH, Leighl N, Wong C, Mehta R, Lee R

**Term:** 2022 - 2023

Amount Awarded: \$30, 000

Source: Pfizer Global Medical Grants,

**Title:** Building an Artificial Intelligence Based Chatbot to Deliver Education Materials to Individuals Affected by HR+/HER2- Metastatic Breast Cancer

Co-Principal Investigators: Leung Y

**Co-Investigators:** Wong J, Cheng T, Truong T, Moody L, Papadakos T,

Papadakos J, Lovas M **Term:** 2021 – 2023

Amount Awarded: \$99, 950

**Source:** Oncology Nursing Society

**Title:** Designing a Tailored Self-Management App to Support Older Adults with

Cancer and Multimorbidity

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Haase KR

Co-Investigators: Mariano, Currie, Tompson, Puts, Hung, Howell

**Collaborators:** Olson, McGrenere

**Term:** 2021 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$50,000

**Source:** IMPACT Grant Funded by CIHR

**Title:** Risk-Based Survivorship Follow-up Care **Co-Principal Investigators:** Urquhart R

Co-Investigators: Howell D, Bender J, Campbell C

**Term:** 2021 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$200, 000

**Source:** National Institutes of Health

Title: Hybrid Implementation-Effectiveness Trial of Remote Monitoring and Real-

Time Symptom Management

Co-Principal Investigators: Rocque G, Basch E

**Co-Investigators:** Stover A, Howell D

**Term:** 2021 - 2026

**Amount Awarded:** \$3, 113, 004

**Sub-Award:** \$9, 180



**Source:** Cancer Experience Program & Global Cancer Program, Princess

Margaret Cancer Centre. Seed Funding

**Title:** Understanding access barriers to clinical trials in a comprehensive cancer

centre

Co-Principal Investigators: Rodin D, Rodin G

**Term:** 2021 – 2022

Amount Awarded: \$25, 000

**Source:** World Health Organization. Unit: Essential Programme on

Immunization (EPI)

**Title:** Supporting the BeSD tool development, testing and validation process, and draft peer review publications and reports including documenting the WHO Strategic Advisory Group of Experts on Immunization (SAGE) deliberations and recommendations

Co-Principal Investigators: Shapiro G

**Term:** 2021

Amount Awarded: \$22, 950

**Source:** The College of Family Physicians of Canada COVID-19 Pandemic

Response & Impact Grant Program (Co-RIG Phase II)

Title: Reporting and improving on physician prescribing rates for end-of-life

symptom control in long-term Care

Co-Principal Investigators: Tanuseputro P

**Co-Applicants:** Webber C, Isenberg SR, Downar J, Milani C, Qureshi D, Kobewka D, Hsu A, Lau J, Seow H, Sinnarajah A, Hannon B, Boyd H, Arya A

Term: 2021 - Present

Amount Awarded: \$219, 876

**Source:** Canadian Foundation for Healthcare Improvement: Implementation Science Teams – Strengthening Pandemic Preparedness in Long-Term Care Funding Opportunity

**Title:** Improving prescribing of medications at the end-of-life in long-term care homes through the COVID-19 pandemic

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Tanuseputro P, Hsu A, Isenberg S, Sinnarajah A, Simon J, Presseau J

**Co-Investigators:** Seow H, Kobewka D, Gomes T, Hannon B, Ewa V, Downar J, Lau J, Munro C, Viq C, Schafer M, Brouwers M

**Term:** 2021 – Present

Amount Awarded: \$149, 986

**Source:** Health Canada. Health Care Policy and Strategies Program Contribution **Title:** Observing, Understanding and Telling stories at end of Life for Opioid Use Disorder patients

Co-Principal Investigators: Lau J, Isenberg S

**Term:** 2021 – Present



Amount Awarded: \$200, 364

## Department of Supportive Care Active Grants (2021/22):

**Source:** Alternate Funding Program Innovation Fund

**Title:** The Harmonized Interventions to Maintain health via Appropriate risk factor modification and Lifestyle changes in Adolescent and Young Adult cancer

Survivors (HIMALAYAS) study: A Pilot Randomized Controlled Trial.

Principal Investigators: Thavendiranathan D

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Oh P, Hodgson D, Adams SC, & Abdel-Qadir H **Co-Investigators:** Awadalla P, Brezden-Masley C, Cafazzo J, Cifra B, Duhamel J, Gupta A, Ivers N, Kirkham A, Lega I, Nadler M, Nathan P, Price J, Rac V, Ross

HJ, Sabiston CM, Santa Mina D, Woo A

**Term:** 2020 - 2023

Amount Awarded: \$150, 000

Source: Peter Munk Cardiac Centre Innovation Committee

**Title:** The Harmonized Interventions to Maintain health via Appropriate risk factor modification and Lifestyle changes in Adolescent and Young Adult cancer

Survivors (HIMALAYAS) study: A Pilot Randomized Controlled Trial

**Principal Investigators:** Thavendiranathan D

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Oh P, Hodgson D, Adams SC, & Abdel-Qadir H **Co-Investigators:** Awadalla P, Brezden-Masley C, Cafazzo J, Cifra B, Duhamel

J, Gupta A, Ivers N, Lega I, Nadler M, Nathan P, Price J, Rac V, Ross HJ,

Sabiston CM, Santa Mina D, Woo A

**Term:** 2020 - 2023

Amount Awarded: \$89, 000

**Source:** C17 Children's Cancer & Blood Disorders. C17 Research Network Grant **Title:** Epigenetic Chemical Screens Identify Novel Therapeutic Strategies for

Rhabdomyosarcoma (RMS)

Collaborators: Gupta, Huang, Khan, Gladdy, Guidos

**Term:** 2020 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$120, 000

**Source:** Children's Oncology Group (COG) Foundation

**Title:** Evaluating the significance of tumor cell maturation in post-therapy

rhabdomyosarcoma resection specimens

Co-Investigators: Rudzinski ER, Chen S, Das Gupta R, Rodeberg D, Spunt S,

Hawkins DS, Gupta A **Term:** 2020 – 2024

Amount Awarded: \$30, 495

Source: Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR). Project Grant



**Title:** Emotion And Symptom-focused Engagement (EASE): A Randomized

Controlled Trial for Individuals with Acute Leukemia

Co-Principal Investigators: Rodin G, Zimmermann C

Collaborators: Malfitano C, Nissim R, Rydall A, Schimmer A, White J, Yeomans

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**Term:** 2019 – 2024

Amount Awarded: \$761, 176

**Source:** US National Institutes of Health (NIH). National Cancer Institute (NCI)

**Title:** Canadian Collaborating Clinical Trials Network

Co-Principal Investigators: Dancey, J

**Collaborators:** Alcindor T, Assouline S, Bradbury P, Brundage M, Carey M, Chen B, Chi K, Chia S, Cottrell T, Ding K, Fleshner N, Gandl Black R, Gill S, Hansen C, Hay A, Hirte H, Mason W, McKenzie M, Mittmann N, O'Callaghan C, Parulekar W, Petrella T, Pho L, Rakovitch E, Reiman T, Richardson H, Ringash J, Seymour L, Shepherd L, Sleeth J, Sun A, Taylor J, Tsao M, Tu D, Urton A, Zimmermann C

**Term:** 2019 – 2025

**Amount Awarded:** \$19, 461, 246

Source: Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR). Project Grant

**Title:** The Longitudinal Study of Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) in Patients

with Advanced Cancer

Co-Principal Investigators: Li M, Rodin G

Collaborators: Bell J, Graham C, Hales S, Nissim R, Shapiro G, Wong R,

Zimmermann C **Term:** 2018 – 2023

Amount Awarded: \$818, 550

**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research. Project Grant

**Title:** Symptom screening and early palliative care in patients with advanced

cancer: a randomized trial. Canadian Institutes of Health Research

Co-Principal Investigators: Zimmermann C

**Collaborators:** Booth C, Dudgeon D, Hannon B, Howell D, Krzyzanowska M, Leighl N, Li M, Rodin G, Rydall A, Sridhar S, Viola R, Knox J, Le L, Lo C, Oza A,

Warr D

**Term:** 2017 - 2024

**Amount Awarded:** \$1, 002, 150

**Source:** Canadian Cancer Society Research Institute (CCSRI). Major Program

Grant

**Title:** Canadian Cancer Society Clinical Trials Group

Co-Principal Investigators: Dancey J

**Collaborators:** Alcindor T, Assouline S, Bradbury P, Brundage M, Carey M, Chen B, Chi K, Chia S, Cottrell T, Ding K, Fleshner N, Gandl Black R, Gill S, Hansen C, Hay A, Hirte H, Mason W, McKenzie M, Mittmann N, O'Callaghan C, Parulekar W,



Petrella T, Pho L, Rakovitch E, Reiman T, Richardson H, Ringash J, Seymour L, Shepherd L, Sleeth J, Sun A, Taylor J, Tsao M, Tu D, Urton A, Zimmermann C

**Term:** 2017 - 2022

**Amount Awarded:** \$23, 500, 000

**Source:** CIHR / Canadian Cancer Society (CCS) – Survivorship Team Grant **Title:** Canadian Cancer Rehabilitation (CanRehab) Team - Improving the Systematic Identification, Management, and Treatment of the Adverse Effects of Cancer

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Jones J, Langelier DM, Campbell K, Reiman T. **Collaborators:** Bender J, Bernstein L, Burnell M, Chang E, Chasen M, Garland S, Ghassemi M, Goulart J, Howell D, Ivers N, Kajanjian A, Koch A, Kukreti V, LeVasseur N, Levy Milne R, Li M, Lim H, McGowan E, McNeely M, McTaggart-Cowan H, Nadler M, Papadakos T, Peacock S, Quereshy F, Ringash J, Santa Mina D, Sehn L, Selby P, Sussman J, Thorpe K, Tran E, Xu W

**Term:** 2019 - 2024

**Amount Awarded:** \$2, 498, 056

**Source:** CIHR / Canadian Cancer Society (CCS) – Survivorship Team Grant **Title:** Implementing a Model for Exercise Programs for Cancer Survivors: Tailoring to Address Symptom Management, Reach Underserved Populations, and Enhance Quality of Life in Cancer Survivorship

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Culos-Reed N, McNeely M, Keats M **Collaborators:** Cuthbert C, Langelier DM, Santa Mina D, Campbell K, Francis G, Grandy S, Urquhart R, Blanchard C, McGowan E, Saunders T, Bouchard D, Rutledge R, Younis T, Wood L, Snow S, Giacomantonio N, Rajda M, Capozzi L, Alibhai S, Anil A, Eisenstat D, Wilson B, McKillop S

**Term:** 2019 - 2024

**Amount Awarded:** \$2, 500, 000

**Source:** Canadian Palliative Care Exchange, in partnership with Pallium Canada. Canadian Medical Association

**Title:** Educational Networking and Peer to Peer Support During the Pandemic

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Taylor K

Collaborators: Moat J, Boyle A, Kaya E, Herx L, Chen C

**Term:** 2020 - 2021

Amount Awarded: \$90,000

**Source:** Canadian Institutes for Health Research

**Title:** Pathways to the request for Medical Assistance in Dying: Identifying

antecedents and potential targets of early intervention

Co-Principal Investigators: Shapiro G

**Term:** 2020 - 2023

Amount Awarded: \$160, 000



**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research

**Title:** Ensuring a successful transition from Pap to HPV DNA testing in primary cervical cancer screening: Exploring and listening to Canadian women's needs is critical for effective public policy change.

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Rosberger Z

Co-Investigators: Decker K, Franco EL, Gilca V, Guichon J, Lofters A, Mayrand

M, Ogilvie G, Perez S, Smith L, Steben, M, Blake J, Brotherton J, Daley E,

McBride E, Norris T, Tatar O, Thompson E, Waller J, Zimet G

**Term:** 2019 - 2021

Amount Awarded: \$252, 451

**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)

Title: A Web-Based Peer Navigation Program for Men with Prostate Cancer: A

Hybrid Effectiveness-Implementation Trial **Co-Principal Investigators:** Bender J

Co-Investigators: Bowes D, Bradley H, Braganza K, Chung P, Finelli A,

Flannigan R, Hancock-Howard R, Jones JM, Liu Z, Matthew M, Mckenzie M, Noel

K, Perlis N, Rendon R, Segal P, Urquhart R

**Term:** 2020 - 2023

Amount Awarded: \$248, 333

**Source:** MSH UHN Academic Medical Organization

Title: A Better Baby Monitor - Better communication, better teams:

Implementation of a novel two-way wireless communication device to address current unique obstacles created by implementing closed rooms in the provision

of care to patients with (or presumed) COVID-19

Co-Principal Investigators: Glazer P

Co-Investigators: Culligan C, Forest J, Chartier L, Taher A, Dharamsi A, Jones

J

**Term:** 2020 - 2021

Amount Awarded: \$113, 790

**Source:** Canadian Cancer Society Research Institute (CCSRI)

Title: Connecting breast cancer survivors for exercise: Extending the impact of

ActiveMatch

Co-Principal Investigators: Sabiston CM

Co-Investigators: Arbour-Nicitopoulos K, Beach T, Bender J, Culos-Reed SN,

Jones J, McDonough M, Rose JH, Santa Mina D, Tomasone JR, Trinh L

**Term:** 2019 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$412, 830

**Source:** Canadian Cancer Society Innovation to Impact

Title: Active surveillance of low risk papillary thyroid cancer: program expansion

in Quebec

Co-Principal Investigators: Sawka AM



Co-Investigators: Baxter N, Goldstein D, Jones J

**Term:** 2019 – 2022

Amount Awarded: \$450, 000

**Source:** Canadian Institute of Health Research

**Title:** Active surveillance or surgery for primary management of very low risk papillary thyroid cancer: How often are the long-term disease management

goals achieved?

Co-Principal Investigators: Sawka AM

Co-Investigators: Baxter N, Gafni A, Ghai S, Goldstein D, Jones J, Tomlinson G

**Term:** 2019 - 2024

**Amount Awarded:** \$1, 013, 625

**Source:** Canadian Cancer Society Research Institute

Title: Efficacy of the Rehabilitation Planning Consult for Survivors of Head and

Neck Cancer: A Phase II Randomized Controlled Trial **Co-Principal Investigators:** Ringash J, McEwen S

Co-Investigators: Chang E, Davis A, Martino R, Moody L, Jones J

**Term:** 2018 - 2021

Amount Awarded: \$450, 000

**Source:** Lotte and John Hecht Memorial Foundation

**Title:** Preference-based multi-site randomized comparative effectiveness trial (CET) of mindfulness-based cancer recovery (MBCR) vs. tai chi/qigong (TCQ) in

cancer survivors

Co-Principal Investigators: Carlson LE

**Collaborators:** Jones JM (site co-PI), Santa Mina D (site co-PI) Balneaves, L, Beattie T, Campbell T, Cole S, Emery H, Faris P, Giese-Davis J, Nation J, Patel K,

Peng P, Speca M, Thong B, Vohra S, Wayne P, Wong R

Term: 2015 - 2021

**Amount Awarded:** \$1,989, 501

**Source:** The Canadian Institutes of Health Research. Project Spring Grant. **Title:** New Drug and Technology Assessment in Bladder Cancer: Creation of a

Novel Canadian Policy Model for Bladder Cancer

Co-Principal Investigators: Kulkarni GS, Krahn MD

Collaborators: Alibhai SMH, Black P, Cheung D, Dragomir A, Kassouf W,

Peacock S, Perlis N, Tomlinson G, Wong W

**Term:** 2020 - 2024

Amount Awarded: \$680, 008

**Source:** Prostate Cancer Canada Implementation Research Grant

**Title:** Community preferences for prostate cancer outcomes: measuring community preference weights for the Patient-Oriented Prostate Utility Scale

(PORPUS)



Co-Principal Investigators: Krahn M

Collaborators: Kulkarni G, Perlis N, Alibhai SMH, Ritvo P, Tomlinson G, Cheung

D, Bremner K, Mittman K **Term:** 2020 – 2022

Amount Awarded: \$100, 000

Source: Prostate Cancer Canada

Title: Prostate MRI in Biopsy-Naive Patients: Implementation in a Publicly

Funded Health Care System

Co-Principal Investigators: Finelli A

Collaborators: Alibhai SMH, Ghai S, Haider, M, Kennedy E, Kulkarni G, Perlis N

**Term:** 2020 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$99, 500

**Source:** The Canadian Institutes of Health Research. Project Grant

**Title:** Creating patient-centred pathology reports to empower patients with

prostate cancer

Co-Principal Investigators: Perlis N

Collaborators: Alibhai SMH, Berlin A, Cafazzo J, Finelli A, Ghai A, Haider M,

Lovas M, van der Kwast T, Papadakos J, Jatiouk R, Evans A

**Term:** 2020 - 2021

Amount Awarded: \$99, 815

Source: Prostate Cancer Canada Discovery Grant

Title: Toward a Comprehensive Supportive Care Intervention for Older or Frail

men with mCRPC (TOPCOP2)

Co-Principal Investigators: Alibhai SMH

**Collaborators:** Emmenegger U, Finelli A, Hansen A, Santa Mina D, Matthew A, Puts M, Tomlinson G, Warde P, Clarke H, Krzyzanowska M, Soto-Perez-de-Celis,

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**Term:** 2019 – 2022

Amount Awarded: \$168, 926

Source: Academic Health Sciences Centre AFP Innovation Fund

**Title:** The Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care: "Comprehensive Health Assessment for My Plan: Tool development for older adults with cancer

Co-Principal Investigators: Alibhai SMH

**Collaborators:** Puts M, Abrams H, Cleverley K, Haase K, Jang R, Jones J, Koneru R, Krzyzanowska M, Lamonde M, Lumchick M, Munteau C, Papadakos J,

Pitters E, Shahrokni A, Stinson J

Term: 2019 - 2022

**Amount Awarded:** \$189, 452.94

**Source:** The Canadian Institutes of Health Research. Cancer Survivorship Grant



**Title:** Dissemination, implementation, and effectiveness of the exercise oncology survivorship partnership model: reaching rural cancer survivors to enhance quality of life

Co-Principal Investigators: Culos-Reed SN

**Collaborators:** Keats M, McNeely M, Cuthbert C, Santa Mina D, Campbell K, Wurz A, Francis G, Twomey R, Grandy S, Langelier D, Urquhart R, Blanchard C, McGowan E, Saunders T, Bouchard D, Rutledge R, Younis T, Wood L, Snow S, Giacomantonio N, Rajda M, Purcell J, Capozzi L, Morris P, Manzara P, Chamorro Vina C, Alibhai SMH, Abraham Joy A, Eisenstat D, Wilson B, McKillop S, Briand D, Billard T, Ester M, McLaughlin E, Dolgoy N, Ospina-Lopez P, Robertson C, Richardson B, Willmer T, Hill L, Pathak S

**Term:** 2020 - 2027

**Amount Awarded:** \$2, 500, 000

**Source:** The Physicians' Services Incorporated Foundation:

**Title:** The Functional Improvement Trajectories After Surgery Study: A Multicentre Prospective Cohort Study to Evaluate the Incidence, Trajectories, Risk Factors, Impact and Healthcare Costs Related to Significant New Disability after Major Elective Surgery

**Co-Principal Investigators:** McIsaac DI, Alibhai S, Jüni P, Wijeysundera D **Collaborators:** Beattie WS, Breau R, Chan V, Choi P, Choi S, Clarke H, Dhalla I, El Beheiry H, George R, Isaranuwatchai W, Johnson S, Kennedy E, Ladha K, Lalu M, Lebovic G, Mazer D, McCluskey S, Puts M, Wei A

**Term:** 2019 – 2022

Amount Awarded: \$244, 500

**Source:** The Canadian Institutes of Health Research Project Grant **Title:** The Functional Improvement Trajectories After Surgery (FIT After Surgery) Study: A Multicentre Prospective Cohort Study to Evaluate the Incidence, Trajectories, Risk Factors, Impact and Healthcare Costs Related to Significant New Disability after Major Elective Surgery

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Wijeysundera DN, Alibhai S, Jüni P, McIsaac DI **Collaborators:** Beattie WS, Breau R, Chan V. Choi P, Choi, S, Clarke H, Dhalla I, El Beheiry H, George R, Isaranuwatchai W, Johnson S, Kennedy E, Ladha K, Lalu M, Lebovic G, Mazer D, McCluskey S, Puts M, Wei A, Herridge M, Morris W, Nathens A

**Term:** 2018 - 2022

**Amount Awarded:** \$1, 388, 474

**Source:** The Canadian Cancer Society Research Institute Impact Grant Competition

**Title:** Clinical and cost-effectiveness of a comprehensive geriatric assessment in

Canadian elders receiving chemotherapy: the 5C study **Co-Principal Investigators:** Puts M, Alibhai SMH



Collaborators: Beland F, Bergman H, Monette J, Krahn MD, Krzyzanowska M,

Leighl N, Wan Chow Wah D

**Term:** 2017 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$900, 816

**Source:** Princess Margaret Hospital Foundation

**Title:** Geriatric oncology demonstration project year 6

Co-Principal Investigators: Alibhai SMH, Sinha S, Rodin G, Costello J

**Term:** 2020 - 2021

Amount Awarded: \$105, 000

**Source:** Slaight Family Foundation

**Title:** Expanding the Geriatric Oncology program

Co-Principal Investigators: Alibhai SMH, Sinha S, Rodin G, Costello J.

**Term:** 2019 - 2025

**Amount Awarded:** \$1, 000, 000

Source: DFCM Art of the Possible Award

**Title:** University Department award to provide education and research support

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Lewin W

**Term:** 2020 – Present

Amount Awarded: \$5,000

**Source:** Leukemia and Lymphoma Society of Canada

Title: Desired Features and Functions of a Tailored Digital Information and

Support

Co-Principal Investigators: Howell D, Mayo S

**Term:** 2020 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$150, 000

Source: Canadian Cancer Society / Canadian Institute of Health Research

**Title:** Virtualizing Survivorship: Implementing a more timely and comprehensive

model of follow-up care

Principal Investigators: Cafazzo J

Co-Principal Investigators: Bender J, Berlin A, Brown I, Bryant-Lukosius D,

Feifer A, Gotto G, Rendon R

**Co-Principal Investigators:** Alarakhia M, Barbera L, Brezden-Masley C, Chaput G, Croke J, Finelli A, Goldenberg SL, Hamilton R, Helyer L, Howell D, Jibb L, Jones J, Laporte A, Liu F, Matthew A, Mayo S, Menard C, Perlis N, Pham Q,

Rodin D, Rutledge R, Seal M, Stinson J, Thoms J, Urquhart R, Watson L **Collaborators:** Boyajian R, Gordon K, Lovas M, Melwani S, Nunn C, Rich-

Ginsberg S, Ware P **Term:** 2020 – 2024

**Amount Awarded:** \$2, 000, 000



**Source:** Canadian Cancer Society / Canadian Institute of Health Research

Title: Preparing to Survive: Improving Outcomes for Young Woman with Breast

Cancer

Co-Principal Investigators: Quan ML, Metcalfe K

Co-Investigators: Barbera L, Baxter N, Fergus K, Howell D, Lavasseur N,

Scheer A, Simmons C, Srikanthan A, Temple-Oberle C

**Term:** 2020 - 2025

**Amount Awarded:** \$1, 153, 000

**Source:** Saskatchewan Health Research Foundation Establishment Grant **Title:** A prospective mixed-methods study of self-management in older adults

with cancer and multimorbidity in two Canadian provinces

Co-Investigators: Howell D

**Term:** 2019 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$103, 180

Source: CIHR

Title: Electronic Patient Reported Outcome Measures to Improve Patient

Centered Solid Organ Transplant Care
Co-Principal Investigators: Mucsi I

Co-Investigators: Howell D, Li M, Novak M, Liu G, Nesrallah G, Truong T, Alba

AC, Fortin M, Maciver J, Mitsakakis N, Nissim R, Singer L, Veillette C

**Term:** 2019 - 2024

**Amount Awarded:** \$1, 200, 000

**Source:** National Natural Science Foundation of China

**Title:** Study on the Personalized Recommendation System for Symptom

Management of Patients with Breast Cancer Based on big Data

Co-Investigators: Wu F, Howell D

**Term:** 2019 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$96, 000

**Source:** CIHR Foundation Scheme Grant

**Title:** Follow-up care of cancer survivors: optimizing survivor and health system

outcomes

Co-Principal Investigators: Urguhart R

Co-Investigators: Grunfeld E, Howell D, Sussman J, Porter GA, Arab M

**Term:** 2017 - 2022

Amount Awarded: \$957, 545

**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Partnerships for Health

Improvement and Sustainability (PHSI) LOI Phase I

**Title:** Decreasing Cancer Burden: Testing a Proactive Model of Care to Improve the Quality of Toxicity Management through Patient Activation for Cancer Self-Management during the Active Treatment Phase



Co-Principal Investigators: Krzyzanowska KM, Howell D

Co-Investigators: Moody L, Redwood E, Kukreti V, O'Brien MA, Wiljer D, Harth

T, Barbera L, Bryant-Lukosius D

**Term:** 2017 - 2022

**Amount Awarded:** \$1, 210, 642

Source: National Music Centre – Studio Bell

**Title:** Effects of Music Therapy on Mood, Pain, Patient and Staff Satisfaction on

Adult Inpatient Neurological Units

Co-Principal Investigators: Plamondon S, Langelier DM

Collaborators: Maeseela A, Mercier L, Ostapovich MA, Southgate K, Wells R

**Term:** 2018 - 2021

Amount Awarded: \$135, 000

Source: CIHR, Knowledge Synthesis Grant: COVID-19 Rapid Research Funding

Opportunity in Mental Health and Substance Use

**Title:** Palliative Care for People who use Substances During Communicable

Disease Epidemics and Pandemics: A Scoping Review **Co-Principal Investigators:** Lau J, Buchman D

Co-Investigators: Isenberg S, Furlan A, Zimmermann C, Fazelzad R

**Term:** 2020 - 2021

Amount Awarded: \$49, 500

**Source:** The College of Family Physicians of Canada COVID-19 Pandemic

Response & Impact Grant Program (Co-RIG)

**Title:** Improving prescribing of medications at the end-of-life in long-term care

homes during the COVID-19 pandemic

Co-Principal Investigators: Tanuseputro P, Downar J, Isenberg S, Lau J, Hsu

A, Kobewka D

**Term:** 2020 - 2021

Amount Awarded: \$112, 752