Department of Supportive Care New Grants (2022/23):

**Source:** Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR). Operating Grant: Psilocybin-assisted Psychotherapy

**Title:** Psilocybin-assisted Existential, Attachment and Relational (PEARL) Therapy for Patients with Advanced Cancer: A Randomized Controlled Trial

**PI(s):** Hales, S; Hapke, E; Rosenbaum, D; Abbey, S.


**Term:** 2023-2025

**Amount Awarded:** $928,642

**Source:** Canadian Frailty Network (CFN). Springboard Grants Program

**Title:** Advancing the Care Experience in Palliative care patient Transitions from subacute to Home--Bruyere (ACEPATH-Bruyere): Co-designing an intervention to improve patient and family caregiver experiences

**PI(s):** Isenberg SR, Rice J


**Term:** 2022-2023

**Amount Awarded:** $99,681

**Source:** CIHR Transitions in Care – Phase 2 Team Grant

**Title:** Advancing the Care Experience in Palliative care patient Transitions from hospital to Home (ACE-PATH): Co-designing an intervention to address the needs of patients and family caregivers and testing the intervention’s acceptability and feasibility using an implementation study

**PI(s):** Isenberg SR.


**Term:** 2022 – 2026

**Amount Awarded:** $655,156

**Source:** The Ottawa Hospital Academic Medical Organization (TOHAMO). Innovation Fund 2021-22

**Title:** Advancing the Care Experience in Palliative care patient Transitions from hospital to Home (ACE-PATH): Co-designing an intervention to improve patient and family caregiver experiences
PI(s): Fitzgibbon E; Isenberg SR
Term: 2022 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $99,300

Source: 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.
PI(s): Lau J; Gomes T; Isenberg S; Tanuseputro P.
Amount Awarded: $520,000
Term: 2022 – 2026

Source: 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.
PI(s): Mucsi I
Term: 2022 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $100,000

Source: AMS Healthcare. AMS Fellowship in Compassion and Artificial Intelligence
Title: Randomized Phase II trial of electronic symptom screening with targeted early palliative care (eSTEP) for patients with advanced cancer
PI(s): Breffni Hannon
Collaborator(s): Zimmermann C, Rodin G. 75,000 CAD.
Term: 2022
Amount Awarded: $75,000

Source: 2021 Garron Family Cancer Centre Pitblado Discovery Grant Competition
Title: Emotion and Symptom-focused Engagement for Family Caregivers (EASE-FC): A mixed-methods randomized, pilot trial of a virtual traumatic stress intervention for caregivers of children with acute leukemia
Role
PI(s): Jibb, L
Co-Applicants: Rodin G, Alexander S, Malfitano C, Rydall A,
Collaborator(s): Megan Easton
Term: 2022 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $59,390
Source: Ontario Health and Ontario Palliative Care Network
Title: Palliative Care Clinician Education Funding
PI(s): Lewin, W
Collaborator(s): Dhanju S
Term: 2023
Amount Awarded: $73,450
Source: Cancer Care Ontario – Ontario Health
Title: Systemic Treatment Quality Improvement Initiative
PI(s): Lewin, W
Collaborator(s): Hannon B, Sharpe C, Dhanju S
Term: 2022 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $22,000
Source: UHN Division of Internal Medicine and Geriatrics
Title: General Internal Medicine Quality Improvement Award
PI(s): Okrainec K, Dunbar-Yaffe R
Co-I(s): Kim L, Agebyaka S, Lewin WH, Troup A
Term: 2022
Amount Awarded: $40,035.50
Source: Division of Critical Care Medicine, Department of Medicine, University of Toronto
Title: Strategic Medical Education Scholarship (MEdS) Grant
PI(s): Piquette D
Co-I(s): Jogova M
Collaborator(s): Lewin WH
Term: 2022
Amount Awarded: $9,914
Source: Canadian Cancer Society – Health Equity Research Grant
**Title:** Addressing inequities in prostate cancer care for Black men  
**Co-PI(s):** Lofters A, Bender J  
**Co-I(s):** Abara E, Alibhai S, Singal R, Datta G  
**Term:** 2022 – 2025  
**Amount Awarded:** $300,000

**Source:** Saskatchewan Health Research Foundation (SHRF) 2022-2023 Align Grant.

**Title:** Feasibility of virtual exercise program for men with prostate cancer: The TARGET study  
**PI(s):** Sattar S  
**Co-I(s):** Alibhai S, Campbell K, Haase, K, Rediger C, Compton R, Souied O, Szafpron M  
**Term:** 2022 – 2023  
**Amount Awarded:** $9,780

**Source:** Saskatchewan Health Research Foundation (SHRF) 2022-2023 Align Grant.

**Title:** geriatric oncology in action: a Needs Assessment in Saskatchewan: The ACCESS Project  
**Co-PI(s):** Sattar S, Ahmed S, Alibhai S, Puts M, Haase K  
**Term:** 2022 – 2023  
**Amount Awarded:** $9,770

**Source:** Canadian Cancer Society – Accelerator Grant

**Title:** Knowledge translation and mobilization to support exercise recommendations for people with bone metastases  
**Co-PI(s):** Campbell KL, Nadler M, Neil-Sztramko S  
**Term:** 2022 – 2024  
**Amount Awarded:** $200,000

**Source:** International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer (ILCF) Young Investigator Grant

**Title:** Understanding the Impact of Age and Frailty on Immune Checkpoint Inhibitor (ICI) Outcomes in Lung Cancer Patients  
**Co-PI(s):** Eng L, Alibhai S  
**Co-I(s):** Chan K, Dawe D, Espin-Garcia O  
**Term:** 2023
**Amount Awarded:** $50,000

**Source:** Physicians Services Incorporated Foundation. Foundation Health Research Grant

**Title:** FAST Walk (Functional Assessment for Surgery by a Timed Walk) Study: A Multicentre Prospective Cohort Study of the Six-Minute Walk Test for Improving Preoperative Risk Stratification for Major Non-Cardiac Surgery

**PI(s):** Wijeysundera DN

**Co-PI(s):** McIsaac DI, Jerath A, Kennedy E


**Term:** 2023 – 2025

**Amount Awarded:** $249,500

**Source:** Rising Tide Foundation

**Title:** TOward comPrehensive supportive Care for Older men with Prostate cancer (TOPCOP3)

**PI(s):** Alibhai SMH


**Term:** 2022 – 2025

**Amount Awarded:** $473,399

**Source:** Princess Margaret (Cancer Foundation) Health Equity Grand Challenge Award Grant

**Title:** NUANCE: iNeqUity in AgiNg and CancEr

**PI(s):** Alibhai SMH, Puts M

**Term:** 2022 – 2024

**Amount Awarded:** $215,000

**Source:** CIHR

**Title:** Comprehensive Health Assessment for My Plan: Initial implementation study (CHAMP implementation study)

**PI(s):** Puts M, Alibhai SMH, Chesney T
Term: 2022 – 2024
Amount Awarded: $229,500

Source: CIHR
Title: Supporting older adults with cancer and their support person through geriatric assessment and remote exercise and education: the SOAR study
PI(s): Puts M, Alibhai SMH, Jones J
Term: 2022 – 2025
Amount Awarded: $424,576

Source: Prostate Cancer Fight Foundation (PCFF) & Ride for Dad (RFD)
Title: The impact of sarcopenia on treatment toxicity, disease progression, and overall mortality in older prostate cancer survivors receiving chemotherapy or androgen receptor-targeted axis therapy
PI(s): Alibhai SMH, Wong AKO, Hansen A, Emmenegger U, Papadopoulos E
Term: 2022 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $12,112

Source: Princess Margaret Cancer Centre, Catalyst Grant Program
Title: Comprehensive Health Assessment for My cancer treatment Plan: Field validation of a geriatric assessment tool for cancer patients (CHAMP-F)
PI(s): Alibhai SMH, Puts M, Munteanu C
Term: 2022 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $100,000

Source: Magaluk Foundation
Title: Advancing the Geriatric Oncology program at Princess Margaret Cancer Centre
PI(s): Alibhai SMH
Term: 2022 - 2026  
Amount Awarded: $1,500,000  

Source: Canadian Institutes of Health Research – Project Grant  
Title: DORMAS Study: Predicting and intervening on sleep after primary treatment for breast cancer in women  
PI(s): C Arbour, K Bilodeau  
Co-I(s): L Francoeur, I Gingras, D Ogez, J Savard, L Sideris, Mayo S  
Term: 2023 – 2026  
Amount Awarded: $225,676  

Source: CIHR: Planning and Dissemination Grant  
Title: Building a platform for advancing Canadian science in lymphoma: A strategic planning workshop of the Canadian Lymphoma Consortium (CLyC)  
Co-PI(s): Mayo S, J Kuruvilla  
Co-I(s): D Hodgson, R Kridel, R Laister, D Rodin, A Prica, A Vijenthira  
Term: 2023  
Amount Awarded: $10,000  

Source: CIHR Project Grant  
Title: Stepped Care to Enhance Quality of Life in Advanced Cancer: An Interprofessional Approach to Alleviating Cancer-related Cognitive Impairment for Adults with Brain Metastases  
Co-PI(s): L Bernstein, K Edelstein, Mayo S  
Co-I(s): A Julius, P Kongkham, A Liu, L Moody, R Nissim, S Schagen, D Schultz, G Zadeh  
Term: 2022 – 2025  
Amount Awarded: $352,124  

Source: Leukemia & Lymphoma Society of Canada/Canadian Cancer Society – Blood Cancer Quality of Life Grant Program (2021-2022)  
Title: Quality of Life after Treatment for Relapsed and Refractory B-Cell Lymphoma  
Co-PI(s): Anca Prica, John Kuruvilla, Mayo S  
Co-I(s): E Atenafu, L Bernstein, K Edelstein  
Term: 2022 – 2024  
Amount Awarded: $150,000  

Source: Leukemia & Lymphoma Society of Canada/Canadian Cancer Society – Blood Cancer Quality of Life Grant Program (2021-2022)
Title: ImPROve quality of life after blood cancer: predict and act on SLEEP
PI(s): Caroline Arbour
Co-PI(s): Karine Bilodeau
Co-I(s): J Savard, D. Ogez, Mayo S
Amount Awarded: $150,000
Term: 2022 – 2024

Source: University of Toronto and University College London Strategic Fund/Strategic Funding Initiative

Title: Team Up 2.0: A multi-site approach to improving body image of teenage and young adult survivors of cancer in the United Kingdom and Canada
PI(s): C Sabiston
Co-I(s): A Fisher, D Santa Mina, L. Jibb, Mayo S
Term: 2022 – 2024
Amount Awarded: $15,000

Source: Princess Margaret (PM) Internal Grant Review Incentive Program

Title: Stepped Care to Enhance Quality of Life in Advanced Cancer: An Interprofessional Approach to Alleviating Cancer-related Cognitive Impairment for Adults with Brain Metastases
Co-PI(s): Mayo S, L Bernstein, K Edelstein
Co-I(s): A Julius, P Kongkham, L Moody, S Schagen, D Schultz, G Zadeh
Term: 2022 – 2024
Amount Awarded: $100,000

Source: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) and Genome Canada

Title: Personalized genetic drug technologies and medical economies in Canada: Moral experiment or curative renaissance?
PI(s): Bell J
Term: 2022 – 2026
Amount Awarded: $199,462

Source: Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Project Grant-Priority Announcement: Women’s Health Research (Grant # 185783)
Title: Investigating Behavioural and Social Drivers of the Human Papillomavirus Vaccination Tool: A Longitudinal Mixed Methods Analysis in Canadian Parents
Co-Investigator(s): Presseau J, Wiley K, Knauper B, & Dube E
Term: 2023 – 2024
Amount Awarded: $100,000

Source: Princess Margaret Cancer Centre

Title: Young Leaders Cancer Experience Challenge
Co-Principal Investigator(s): Shapiro G, Schulz-Quach C, Croke J
Term: 2022
Amount Awarded: $20,000

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

Title: Acceleration 3.0
PI(s): Oh P, Jones J, Bacon S
Term: 2022 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $200,000

Source: Canadian Cancer Society & MSHRBC. Accelerator Grants

Title: Knowledge Translation and Mobilization to Support Exercise Recommendations for People with Bone Metastases
PI(s): Campbell K, Neil-Sztramko S, Nadler, M.
Collaborator(s): Langelier, DM; Lane, K; Simmons, C; Alibhai, S; Capozzi, L; McNeely, M; Lambert, L; Sussman, J; Weller, S; Bates, A; Torchetti, T; Copp, J; McDonald, K; Dixon, P
Term: 2022 – 2024
Amount Awarded: $200,000

Department of Supportive Care Active Grants (2022/23):

Source: CIHR Project Grant
Title: Precision cardiovascular disease profiling and risk prediction in cancer survivors (PROGRESS): A prospective cohort study
PI(s): Adams SC
Co-PI(s): Abdel-Qadir H, Amir E, Thavendiranathan 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

**Title:** Precision cardiovascular disease profiling and risk prediction in cancer survivors (PROGRESS): A prospective cohort study

**PI(s):** Adams SC

**Co-PI(s):** Thavendiranathan D


**Term:** 2022 – 2025

**Amount Awarded:** $297, 900

**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

**PI(s):** Thavendiranathan D


**Term:** 2021 – 2026

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

**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

**PI(s):** Thavendiranathan D

**Co-PI(s):** Oh P, Hodgson D, Adams SC, & Abdel-Qadir H

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  
PI(s): Thavendiranathan D  
Co-PI(s): Oh P, Hodgson D, Adams SC, & Abdel-Qadir H  
Term: 2020 – 2023  
Amount Awarded: $89,000

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  
PI(s): Oberoi S  
Term: 2021 – 2022  
Amount Awarded: $35,000

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:** DFCM Art of the Possible Award  
**Title:** University Department award to provide education and research support  
**PI(s):** Lewin W  
**Term:** 2020 – Present  
**Amount Awarded:** $5,000

**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-PI(s):** Wijeysundera DN, Jüni P, Khadaroo R, McIsaac D  
**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-PI(s):** Puts MT, Alibhai SMH, Haase K, McIsaac DI, Wijeysundera DN  
**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-PI(s):** Trinh L  
**Co-I(s):** Alibhai SMH, Jones J, Arbour-Nicitopoulos, Sabiston C, Campbell K, Santa Mina S, Faulkner G  
**Term:** 2021 – 2024
Amount Awarded: $378,675

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-PI(s): Kulkarni, Krahn


Term: 2020 – 2024

Amount Awarded: $680,008

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-PI(s): Culos-Reed SN


Term: 2020 – 2027

Amount Awarded: $2,500,000

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)

PI: Krahn M


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-PI(s):** Finelli A  
**Collaborators:** Alibhai SMH, Ghai S, Haider, M, Kennedy E, Kulkarni G, Perlis N  
**Term:** 2020 – 2022  
**Amount Awarded:** $99, 500

**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-PI(s):** McIsaac DI, Alibhai S, Jüni P, Wijeysundera D  
**Term:** 2019 – 2022  
**Amount Awarded:** $244, 500

**Source:** Slaight Family Foundation

**Title:** Expanding the Geriatric Oncology program  
**Co-PI(s):** Alibhai SMH, Sinha S, Rodin G, Costello J.  
**Term:** 2019 – 2025  
**Amount Awarded:** $1, 000, 000

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

**Title:** Virtualizing Survivorship: Implementing a more timely and comprehensive model of follow-up care  
**Collaborators:** Boyajian R, Gordon K, Lovas M, Melwani S, Nunn C, Rich-Ginsberg S, Ware P  
**Term:** 2020 – 2024  
**Amount Awarded:** $2, 409, 975

**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-PI(s): Leung Y  
Co-I(s): Wong J, Cheng T, Truong T, Moody L, Papadakos T, Papadakos J, Lovas M  
Term: 2021 – 2023  
Amount Awarded: $99, 950

Source: Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR). Project Grant  
Title: Quality of Death in Hospital and Bereavement Outcomes in the COVID-19 Era  
Co-PI(s): 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  
Title: The Longitudinal Study of Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) in Patients with Advanced Cancer  
Co-PI(s): Li M, Rodin G  
Term: 2018 – 2023  
Amount Awarded: $818, 550

Title: Training peers in motivational interviewing to increase vaccine confidence among healthcare workers in a large, urban healthcare institution  
Co-PI(s): Ji C  
Co-I(s): Crampton N, Granton J, Lemieux C, Nolan R, Obadia, M  
Term: 2021 – 2022  
Amount Awarded: $49, 417.60

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-PI(s): Langelier DM, Chang E  
Collaborators: de Peiza P, Salama M, Caldana L, Mokry J
Term: 2021 - 2022
Amount Awarded: $10,000

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-PI(s): Jones J, Langelier DM, Campbell K, Reiman T.
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-PI(s): Culos-Reed N, McNeely M, Keats M
Term: 2019 – 2024
Amount Awarded: $2,500,000

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-PI(s): Bender J
Term: 2020 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $596,926
**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
**PI(s):** 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:** 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-PI(s):** Lau J, Isenberg S
**Term:** 2021 – Present
**Amount Awarded:** $200,364

**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-PI(s):** Downar J, Kanji S, Lascelle D, Lawlor P, Parsons H
**Term:** 2021 – 2022
**Amount Awarded:** $100,000

**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-PI(s):** Hannon B, Zimmermann C
**Term:** 2021-2024
**Amount Awarded:** $423,045
**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-PI(s):** Tanuseputro P  
**Term:** 2021 - Present  
**Amount Awarded:** $219,876

**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-PI(s):** Tanuseputro P, Downar J, Isenberg S, Lau J, Hsu A, Kobewka D  
**Term:** 2020 – 2021  
**Amount Awarded:** $149,986

**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  

**PI(s):** 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:** Kidney Foundation of Canada  

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

**Co-PI(s):** 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-PI(s):** Hannon B, Zimmermann C
**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-PI(s):** 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-PI(s):** Downar J, Kanji S, Lascelle D, Lawlor P, Parsons H
**Term:** 2021 – 2022
**Amount Awarded:** $100,000

**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-PI(s):** Rodin G, Zimmermann C
**Collaborators:** Malfitano C, Nissim R, Rydall A, Schimmer A, White J, Yeomans W
**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-PI(s): Dancey, J
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-PI(s): Li M, Rodin G
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-PI(s): Zimmermann C
Term: 2017 – 2024
Amount Awarded: $1,002,150

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-PI(s): Hannon B, Zimmermann C
Term: 2021-2024
**Amount Awarded:** $423,045  
**Source:** UHN Foundation  
**Title:** The Conversation Lab  
**PI(s):** Lewin W  
**Term:** 2021 – Present  
**Amount Awarded:** $700,000  
**Source:** CIHR Project Grant  
**Title:** Stepped care to enhance quality of life in advanced cancer: An interprofessional approach to alleviating cancer-related cognitive impairment for adults with brain metastases  
**Term:** 2021 – 2024  
**PI(s):** Edelstein K, Bernstein L, Mayo S  
**Co-I(s):** Shultz D, Julius A, Moody L, Konkham P, Zadeh G, Schagen S  
**Amount Awarded:** $435,000  
**Source:** Adam Coules Research Grant, Pencer Centre Patient and Family Advisory Committee  
**Title:** Improving access to neurocognitive assessment: feasibility, acceptability & validity of the Amsterdam Cognition Scan for brain tumor patients  
**PI(s):** Edelstein K  
**Co-I(s):** Mayo S, Bernstein LJ, Schagen S, Wefel J, Daniels M, Kanter C, Collins K, Laperriere N, Tsang D, Shultz DB, Millar BA, Mason WP.  
**Term:** 2021-2022  
**Amount Awarded:** $50,000  
**Source:** CIHR Project Grant  
**Title:** Trajectories of Psychosocial and Functional Outcomes among Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma Survivors  
**PI(s):** Mayo S  
**Co-I(s):** Edelstein K, Chodirker L, Mozessohn L, Davison K, Kuruvilla J, Maheu C, Atenafu E, Buick C, Bernstein LJ  
**Term:** 2021 – 2025  
**Amount Awarded:** $261,100  
**Source:** PM Internal Grant Review Incentive Award  
**Title:** Light therapy for fatigue in glioblastoma: a randomized feasibility trial  
**PI(s):** Edelstein Kim
**Term:** 2021 – 2022  
**Amount Awarded:** $100,000  

**Source:** Social Science and Humanities Research Council: Insight Grant  
**Title:** Exploring Informal Caregivers' Appraisal of their Role and Mechanisms Influencing Resilience  
**Co-I(s):** C Lee, L Seto Nielsen, J Lipton  
**Term:** 2021 – 2023  
**Amount Awarded:** $49,259  

**Source:** Division of Palliative Medicine, Department of Medicine, the Dalla Lana School of Public Health, University of Toronto, and the Global Institute of Psychosocial, Palliative and End-of-Life Care (GIPPEC)  
**Title:** Neuro-oncology clinicians’ attitudes and perspectives on medical assistance in dying  
**Co-PI(s):** S Climans  
**Collaborator(s):** Mason W, Edelstein K  
**Term:** 2020 – 2022  
**Amount Awarded:** $10,480  

**Source:** Princess Margaret Cancer Centre Operating Grant  
**Title:** Sexual Health Clinic at Princess Margaret Hospital  
**PI(s):** Matthew AG  
**Collaborator(s):** Elterman D, Ferguson S, Jamnicky L, Li M, Jones J, Yang G, Guirguis S, Chen S, Lovas M, Alibhai S, Santa Mina D, Finelli A  
**Term:** 2021 – 2022  
**Amount Awarded:** $175,000  

**Source:** Global Institute of Psychosocial Palliative and End-of-life Care. Research Collaboration Grant  
**Title:** Establishing an expert consensus guideline for safer opioid use in palliative care  
**PI(s):** Lau J  
**Co-Investigator(s):** Mazzotta P, Whelan C, Sunderji N  
**Term:** 2017 – 2022  
**Amount Awarded:** $5,000  

**Source:** Rose Family Foundation
**Title:** Rose Family Fund for Fellows in Palliative Care at UHN  
**PI(s):** Kaya E  
**Term:** 2016 – 2026  
**Amount Awarded:** $2,500,000

**Source:** CIHR Project Grant  
**Title:** Traumatic stress symptoms in family caregivers of patients with acute leukemia: a longitudinal observational study  
**PI(s):** Rodin G, Jibb L  
**Collaborator(s):** Alexander S, Gupta S, Hales S, Malfitano C, Nissim R, Rydall A, Schimmer A, Zimmermann C  
**Term:** 2020 – 2024  
**Amount Awarded:** $654,075

**Source:** U.S. Department of Defense. Behavioral Health Science Award  
**Title:** Managing distress in malignant brain cancer  
**PI(s):** Loughan A  
**Co-Applicant(s):** Malkin M, Mazzeo S, Rodin G, Svikis D, Thacker L  
**Term:** 2021 – 2025  
**Amount Awarded:** $1,874,400 CAD

**Source:** Gateway for Cancer Research  
**Title:** The online adaptation of Managing Cancer and Living Meaningfully (iCALM): A phase II randomized controlled trial  
**Co-PI(s):** Rodin G, Hales S, Berlin A  
**Co-Applicant(s):** Malfitano C, Arora T  
**Collaborator(s):** Baumeister H, Bauereiss N, Chalklin L, Rydall A, Nissim R, Melwani S, Mah K, Tong E,  
**Term:** 2021 – 2022  
**Amount Awarded:** $338,795

**Source:** Collaborative Research Grant of the Global Institute of Psychosocial, Palliative and End-of-Life Care (GIPPEC), the University of Toronto Division of Palliative Medicine, and the Dalla Lana School of Public Health  
**Title:** Validation of the Revised Global Version of the Quality of Dying and Death Questionnaire in Malawi  
**PI(s):** Tilly A  
**Co-I(s):** Rodin G, Wolofsky K, Mah K, Chikasema M, Westmoreland K, Ntizimira C, Namisango E  
**Term:** 2021 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $20,000

Source: Canadian Cancer Trials Group, Canadian Cancer Society Clinical Trials Committees
Title: Emotion And Symptom-focused Engagement (EASE): A multi-site randomized controlled trial for individuals with acute leukemia
Co-PI(s): Rodin G, Zimmermann C
Co-Applicant(s): Schimmer A, White J, Yeomans W, Malfitano C, Nissim R, Rydall A
Collaborator(s): Marmar C, Mah K
Term: 2021 – 2024
Amount Awarded: $845,000

Source: Canadian Cancer Society. Quality of Life Grant
Title: Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID) in the cancer context: A mixed methods study of patient and caregiver experience, quality of death, and bereavement morbidity.
Co-PI(s): Hales S, Nissim R
Co-Applicants(s): Selby D, Isenberg-Grzed E, Rodin G, Bell J, Li M, Bean S
Term: 2018 – 2023
Amount Awarded: $297,827