

UPDATE ON GOVERNMENT GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE

WEEK ENDED 24 MARCH 2023

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New and Re-opened Grants which have been uploaded to our website.

Name of Grant:	International Clean Innovation Researcher Networks
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The International Clean Innovation Researcher Networks grant aims to bring together Australian and international researchers to collaborate in clean technology advances.</p> <p>The program will support the development and implementation of international researcher networks focused on accelerating clean innovation. Research should support technologies needed to deliver the Australian Government's emissions reduction policies, including renewable energy (solar, wind, storage, grid integration), green metals, and their supply chains.</p> <p>The program will focus on researcher networks between academic organisations, research or technology institutes, or think tanks. A network can cover a spectrum of collaborations, such as a consortium, working group or a community of practice, with an aim to develop new joint-research projects or materially advance existing projects with international partners. This program will help develop or expand domestic networks between organisations, while building linkages with international partners.</p> <p>The objectives of the program are to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • increase collaboration in the Australian research community on clean innovation; • establish new, and enhance existing, international researcher and industry networks to support efforts on clean innovation pathways; • secure international support for Australian research and projects to produce new or enhanced research outcomes; • facilitate Australian researchers to participate in live events (including in-person or virtually) including conferences and workshops specific to their network, e.g. Mission Innovation programs, with demonstrated impact to advance technology development; • create sustainable research, development and deployment (RD&D) networks that have a viable funding model after the end of the grant period.
Closing Date:	5.00pm ACT Local Time on 25 May 2023
Paper Number:	014-736

Name of Grant:	MRFF Clinical Trials Activity Initiative - 2023 International Clinical Trial Collaborations Grant Opportunity
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The Medical Research Future Fund (MRFF) Clinical Trials Activity Initiative aims to enable or support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the evidence base supporting clinical care; • patients access trials relevant to their health circumstances; • researchers to bring international trials to Australian patients. <p>The objective of this grant opportunity is to provide grants of financial assistance to support medical research and medical innovation projects that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote Australian involvement in international collaborative investigator-initiated clinical trials research through the establishment and co-ordination of clinical trial site/s in Australia. • Provide high-quality evidence of the effectiveness of novel health treatments, drugs or devices in 'usual care' settings, which will support a decision on whether to deliver the intervention in an Australian setting. <p>The intended outcome of the research is to support projects that progress research that addresses a specific health need.</p> <p>Applicants to this grant opportunity must propose to conduct research that delivers against the above objectives and those of the Clinical Trials Activity Initiative. Applicants are encouraged to propose novel and/or innovative research and describe how the outcomes of the research will be translated into health benefits for Australians.</p> <p>Applications to this grant opportunity must propose a clinical trial in Australia in collaboration with international counterparts. The clinical trial should not have commenced recruitment at the Australian trial site/s.</p>
Closing Date:	Round 1 – 28 June 2023 Round 2 – 7 February 2024
Paper Number:	014-405
Name of Grant:	MRFF - 2023 Models of Care for Sexuality & Gender Diverse People & People with Innate Variations of Sex Characteristics
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The objective of this grant opportunity is to:</p> <p>Stream 1: develop, implement and/or evaluate the effectiveness of multidisciplinary, patient-centred and sustainable models of care for sexuality diverse people, through co-design with consumers and/or community-controlled providers</p> <p>Stream 2: develop, implement and/or evaluate the effectiveness of multidisciplinary, patient-centred and sustainable models of care for sexuality and/or gender diverse people experiencing intersectional disadvantage, through co-design with consumers and/or community-controlled providers</p> <p>Stream 3: conduct research to develop, implement and evaluate the effectiveness and acceptability of multidisciplinary, patient-centred models of physical and mental health care for transgender and gender diverse children, adolescents and young adults including those with intersectional disadvantages, through co-design with consumers</p> <p>Stream 4: conduct research to develop, implement and evaluate the effectiveness and acceptability of multidisciplinary, patient-centred models of physical and mental health care for people with innate variations of sex</p>

	<p>characteristics, including those with intersectional disadvantages, through co-design with consumers.</p> <p>The intended outcome is to improve the physical and mental health of:</p> <p>Stream 1:sexuality diverse people including those who live in regional, remote and rural areas</p> <p>Stream 2:sexuality and/or gender diverse people experiencing intersectional disadvantage</p> <p>Stream 3:transgender and gender diverse children, adolescents and young adults</p> <p>Stream 4:people born with innate variations of sex characteristics.</p> <p>Applicants to this grant opportunity must propose research that addresses one of the four Streams.</p>
Closing Date:	5.00pm ACT Local Time – 23 August 2023
Paper Number:	014-465-01
Name of Grant:	The Quality Use of Diagnostics, Therapeutics and Pathology Program, Health Professional Education Grant
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The Quality Use of Diagnostics, Therapeutics and Pathology Program (the Program) is an Australian Government initiative administered by the department. The Program was established in 1999 and provides funding to improve the way medicines and medical tests are prescribed and used.</p> <p>As part of the 2022-23 Budget Measure: Guaranteeing Medicare and Access to Medicines – Improving Access to Medical Equipment, Treatment and Diagnostics, the Program is being redesigned with two new competitive grant opportunities that will run every two years:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Professional Education Grant Opportunity (this grant opportunity); and • Consumer Health Literacy Grant. <p>The Program contributes to the implementation of Australia's National Medicines Policy (NMP), and the National Strategy for Quality Use of Medicines (NSQUM) by fostering cross sector collaboration and partnerships, collecting data, providing information, raising awareness and educating health professionals and consumers about the quality use of medicines and diagnostics.</p> <p>Quality Use of Medicines (QUM) objectives must be achieved within a complex and crowded QUM ecosystem. This complexity underscores the need for the Program to be implemented in a manner consistent with the NSQUM's five principles: primacy of the consumer; partnership, consultative, collaborative, multi-disciplinary activity; support for existing activity; and system-based approaches.</p>
Closing Date:	31 March 2023 – 2.00pm ACT Local Time
Paper Number:	014-466-01
Name of Grant:	Quality Use of Diagnostics, Therapeutics and Pathology Program – Consumer Health Literacy Grant Opportunity
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	The Quality Use of Diagnostics, Therapeutics and Pathology Program (the Program) is an Australian Government initiative administered by the

	<p>department. The Program was established in 1999 and provides funding to improve the way medicines and medical tests are prescribed and used.</p> <p>As part of the 2022-23 Budget Measure: Guaranteeing Medicare and Access to Medicines – Improving Access to Medical Equipment, Treatment and Diagnostics, the Program is being redesigned with two new competitive grant opportunities that will run every two years:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Professional Education Grant Opportunity; and • Consumer Health Literacy Grant Opportunity. <p>The Program contributes to the implementation of Australia's National Medicines Policy (NMP), and the National Strategy for Quality Use of Medicines (NSQUM) by fostering cross sector collaboration and partnerships, collecting data, providing information, raising awareness and educating health professionals and consumers about the quality use of medicines and diagnostics.</p> <p>Quality Use of Medicines (QUM) objectives must be achieved within a complex and crowded QUM ecosystem. This complexity underscores the need for the Program to be implemented in a manner consistent with the NSQUM's five principles: primacy of the consumer; partnership, consultative, collaborative, multi-disciplinary activity; support for existing activity; and system-based approaches.</p>
Closing Date:	31 March 2023 – 2.00pm ACT Local Time
Paper Number:	014-467-01
Name of Grant:	National Action Plan to Combat Modern Slavery 2020 to 2025 Round 2
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The National Action Plan to Combat Modern Slavery 2020 to 2025 provides the strategic framework for Australia's response to modern slavery from 2020 to 2025 and is guided by 5 National Strategic Priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • prevent; • disrupt, investigate and prosecute; • support and protect; • partner; • research. <p>The National Action Plan can be found on the Attorney-General's Department website.</p> <p>The Australian Government has invested \$4.4 million (GST exclusive) as part of the National Action Plan to deliver multi-year grants programs to fund civil society, business and industry groups, and academia for activities to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • combat modern slavery in Australia; • increase the capacity of businesses to respond to modern slavery in global supply chains; • support new research to inform evidence-based policy responses to address modern slavery in Australia. <p>The grants program sits within the Attorney-General's Portfolio's Outcome 1. Outcome 1 is focused on a just and secure society through the maintenance and improvement of Australia's law, justice, security and integrity frameworks.</p>
Closing Date:	4 April-2023 - 9:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-919

Name of Grant:	Ideas Grants 2023
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The objective of the Ideas Grant scheme is to support innovative research projects addressing a specific question(s).</p> <p>The expected outcomes are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • innovative and creative research • funding of researchers at all career stages, and • funding any area of health and medical research from discovery to implementation. <p>The scheme will provide particular opportunities for early and mid-career researchers. It is expected that the CIA will have the scientific leadership and skills to achieve the proposed project aims.</p>
Closing Date:	3 May 2023 - 5:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-456
Name of Grant:	International Space Investment India Projects
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The International Space Investment Initiative supports strategic space projects that build relationships with international space agencies.</p> <p>An India-focused expansion of the initiative was announced in 2022, and will provide support for Australian organisations to conduct joint space projects and build valuable commercial links with the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) and the broader Indian space sector.</p> <p>This grant opportunity aims to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • unlock international space opportunities for Australia to work on space projects with India • expand the capability and capacity of the Australian space sector, and support job creation • demonstrate the Australian space sector's ability to deliver space-related products and services internationally • support projects which help build a vision and a diverse, inclusive Australian space ecosystem that inspires businesses, the Australian community and the next generation of space workforce, researchers and entrepreneurs • increase investment in the space sector, targeting the Mutual Priority Areas, as described in Appendix A of the grant opportunity guidelines.
Closing Date:	13 June 2023 - 5:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-591
Name of Grant:	Australia's Disability Strategy - National Disability Conference Initiative 2023-24
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The Australian Government is inviting applications via an open competitive process to apply for grant funding under the National Disability Conference Initiative (NDCI) 2023-24. The NDCI is delivered as part of the activities supporting the aims in Australia's Disability Strategy 2021-2031 and assists in delivering improved outcomes for people with disability and their carers.</p> <p>This grant opportunity provides grants to conference organisers to assist people with disability to participate in nationally-focused, disability-related,</p>

	conferences held in Australia. Grants will support eligible conference organisers to provide accessibility measures that will maximise the inclusion and participation of people with disability at their conference. This in turn supports the vision of Australia's Disability Strategy.
Closing Date:	27 April 2023 - 9:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-913
Name of Grant:	Indigenous Australians' Health Programme - Service Maintenance Program
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The Service Maintenance Program (SMP) activity supports the improvement of health outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in line with the Australian Government's commitment to strengthening the First Nations health sector.</p> <p>The SMP provides funding to eligible organisations (identified at Section 4.1) to address repairs, maintenance, and minor upgrade issues.</p> <p>The objective of the grant opportunity is to improve the safety of, and access to primary health care clinics for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.</p> <p>The intended outcomes of the grant opportunity include improvement in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • access to culturally appropriate First Nations health care services through the availability of safe and accessible, fit-for-purpose, health infrastructure; • capacity of the First Nations health sector to provide greater care to assist long-term health improvements in First Nations populations; • recruitment and retention of health professionals through the provision of safe and secure clinical staff housing; • system level support to the First Nations health care sector to increase the effectiveness and efficiency of services, consistent with Priority Reform Two under the National Agreement on Closing the Gap - Build the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community-controlled sector.
Closing Date:	27 April 2023 - 2:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-423
Name of Grant:	Indigenous Contemporary Music Program 2023
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	<p>The Indigenous Contemporary Music program supports Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander musicians and bands. It provides opportunities and skills to develop ongoing income and employment pathways in the music industry.</p> <p>The program will fund Indigenous-led organisations who provide professional industry-based opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander musicians and bands. To receive funding under this program, an organisation must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be fully or partially owned, governed, staffed or advised by Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people; • have a history of good governance and sound financial management over an extended period; and • have capacity and expertise to design and deliver a development program for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander musicians and bands.
Closing Date:	20 April 2023 - 11:30 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-220

Updated Papers

These are grants that are in the system but changes to guidelines have been made and therefore the paper have been updated to reflect these amendments.

Name of Grant:	Level Crossing Safety Research and Innovation Project
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Changes to Eligibility
Closing Date:	6 April 2023 at 11.59pm AEDST
Paper Number:	014-588
Name of Grant:	Energy Efficiency Grants for Small & Medium Sized Enterprises Round 1
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Guidelines updated to clarify funding for the same activities including grants, rebates, contributions, certifications and certificates that have a value and any other form of financial assistance.
Closing Date:	19 April-2023 - 5:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-589
Name of Grant:	Community Child Care Fund Restricted (CCCFR) non-competitive grant opportunity (for specified services)
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Closing date for applications has been extended
Closing Date:	30 June 2023 - 5:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-624

Grants Closing within the next two weeks

Name of Grant:	NHMRC-NIHR Collaborative Research Grant Scheme 2022
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	23 March 2023
Paper Number:	014-415
Name of Grant:	Threatened and Migratory Species Fisheries Bycatch Mitigation Program
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	23 March 2023
Paper Number:	014-330
Name of Grant:	MRFF - Million Minds Mental Health Research Mission - 2022 Mental Health Research Grant Opportunity
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	23 March.2023
Paper Number:	014-409
Name of Grant:	Linkage Infrastructure, Equipment and Facilities for funding commencing in 2024
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	29 March 2023
Paper Number:	014-536

Name of Grant:	NHMRC e-ASIA Joint Research Program funding
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	30 March 2023
Paper Number:	014-441
Name of Grant:	Quality Use of Pathology Program - Conference Sponsorship
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	31 March 2023
Paper Number:	014-489
Name of Grant:	Event Growth and Development
Federal/State:	Victoria
Closing Date:	31 March 2023
Paper Number:	143-535
Name of Grant:	COVID-19 Aged Care Support Program
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	31 March 2023
Paper Number:	014-819
Name of Grant:	National Collecting Institutions Touring and Outreach Program 2023
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	31 March 2023
Paper Number:	014-243
Name of Grant:	The Quality Use of Diagnostics, Therapeutics and Pathology Program, Health Professional Education Grant
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	31 March 2023 at 2.00pm ACT Local Time
Paper Number:	014-466-01
Name of Grant:	The Quality Use of Diagnostics, Therapeutics and Pathology Program, Health Consumer Health Literacy Grant
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	31 March 2023 at 2.00pm ACT Local Time
Paper Number:	014-467-01
Name of Grant:	Centre for Australia-India Relations Maitri Cultural Partnerships 2022-2023
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	3 April 2023 –11.00pm AEST
Paper Number:	014-244
Name of Grant:	National Action Plan to Combat Modern Slavery 2020 to 2025 Round 2
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	4 April-2023 - 9:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-919

Name of Grant:	Synergy Grants 2023
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	5 April 2023 - 5.00pm ACT Local Time
Paper Number:	014-452
Name of Grant:	Sponsorship Grants for Student Science Engagement and International Competitions 2023
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	5 April 2023 - 5.00pm ACT Local Time
Paper Number:	014-628
Name of Grant:	Level Crossing Safety Research and Innovation Project
Federal/State:	Federal
Closing Date:	6 April 2023
Paper Number:	014-588

Further Information

This is updated information to Grants that are on our system, where changes were not required to the paper in relation to that Grant Opportunity.

Name of Grant:	COVID-19 Aged Care Support Program
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Applicant Pre-submission Checklist
Closing Date:	31 March-2023 2:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-819
Name of Grant:	Aged Care Infection Prevention & Control Training
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Guidelines V2 Frequently Asked Questions V2 Costing Calculator for IPC V2
Closing Date:	30 June 2023- 2:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-453-01
Name of Grant:	Linkage Projects for funding applied for in 2023
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Important Dates V1.1 Instruction To Applications V1.1
Closing Date:	13 December 2023 - 5:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-701
Name of Grant:	Energy Efficiency Grants for Small & Medium Sized Enterprises Round 1
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Frequently Asked Questions
Closing Date:	19 April-2023 - 5:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-589

Name of Grant:	NHMRC e-ASIA Joint Research Program funding
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Addendum 1 Guidelines V2
Closing Date:	30 March-2023 - 5:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-441
Name of Grant:	Medical Research Future Fund – BioMedTech Incubator – Dementia and Cognitive Decline Grant Opportunity
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Guidelines 7 March 2023 – correct errors in contact email hypelink Chief Investigator Template
Closing Date:	31 July 2023 - 5:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-420-01
Name of Grant:	Centre for Australia-India Relations Maitri Cultural Partnerships 2022-2023
Federal/State:	Federal
Details:	Frequently Asked Questions V3
Closing Date:	3 April-2023 - 11:00 pm (ACT Local Time)
Paper Number:	014-044

Closed Grants

These are grants that are now closed.

Name of Grant:	Future Drought Fund: Long-term Trials of Drought Resilient Farming Practices Program
Federal/State:	Federal
Paper Number:	014-388
Name of Grant:	Australia-India Strategic Research Fund: Collaborative Research Projects Round 15
Federal/State:	Federal
Paper Number:	014-562
Name of Grant:	Special Disaster Assistance Recovery Grants - Primary Producers
Federal/State:	Queensland
Paper Number:	141-813
Name of Grant:	Special Disaster Assistance Recovery Grants - Small Business
Federal/State:	Queensland
Paper Number:	141-814
Name of Grant:	Investigator Grants 2023
Federal/State:	Federal
Paper Number:	014-446

Name of Grant:	Festival Australia
Federal/State:	Federal
Paper Number:	014-234
Name of Grant:	Indigenous Languages and Arts (ILA) Program – Open Competitive Grant Opportunity
Federal/State:	Federal
Paper Number:	014-209