



## Nova Scotia Health Research Foundation - Announcement Results

### Health Research Grants: Funded Recipients

#### Program

The purpose of the Health Research Program is to build capacity in health research across the four health research categories (Biomedical and Health Policy, Health Services & Health Outcomes). There are two types of grants under this program:

- Health Research Project Grants (HRPG) assist in building research capacity and provide initial support to health researchers new to Nova Scotia
- Collaborative Health Research Project Grants (CHRP) support researchers working collaboratively with community organizations on research projects of relevance to communities.

**Funding:** Up to \$50,000 per year for a maximum of three years (\$150,000 maximum)

**Funded Applicants: 14**

**Total Funding: \$1,600,266.46**

Name Department Institution Team Members	Project Title	Grant/ Award	NSHRF Contribution	Term of Funding
<b>Chris Blanchard</b> Department of Medicine Dalhousie University <b>Team Members:</b> Daniel Rainham, Nicholas Giacomantonio, Renee Lyons, Wanda Firth, Judy DeWolfe, Carol Ferguson, Matt Naugler and Judy McKay	ENvironmental Correlates Of caRdiac rEhabilitation (ENCORE)	Collaborative Health Research Project Grant	\$145,269.00	3 Years
<b>Todd A. Boyle</b> Schwartz School of Business and Information Systems St. Francis Xavier University <b>Neil MacKinnon</b> College of Pharmacy Dalhousie University <b>Team Members:</b> Lars Hallstrom, Thomas Mahaffey, Beverly Zwicker, and Holly Etchegary	A Prescription for Patient Safety: Implications of Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) on Adverse Drug Event Reporting and Learning in Nova Scotia Community Pharmacies	Collaborative Health Research Project Grant	\$125,711.00	3 Years
<b>Victor H. Day</b> Counselling & Psychological Services Dalhousie University <b>Team Member:</b> Patrick McGrath	A Controlled Clinical Trial of "Feeling Better", an Internet-Based Guided Self-Help Program	Health Research Project Grant	\$ 97,564.00	2 Years

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<b>**Penny V. Corkum</b> Psychology Department Dalhousie University <b>Nezihe Elik</b> Education Department Mount Saint Vincent University	Randomized-Controlled Trial of a Classroom- Based Distance Intervention for Teachers of Elementary School- Aged Children with ADHD	Health Research Project Grant	\$149,900.00	3 Years
<b>Team Members:</b> Patrick McGrath, Stanley Kutcher, Hadi Hadj Karim Kharrazi, Annie Baert, Rachel Linley, Joan Westol, and Cindy Giffen-Johnson				
<b>Tamara A. Franz-Odendaal</b> Biology Department Mount Saint Vincent University <b>Team Members:</b> Brian Hall, and Shannon Fisher	Skeletal Development in Zebrafish: Tracking Cell Migration and Cell Condensations	Health Research Project Grant	\$150,000.00	3 Years
<b>Camille Hancock Friesen</b> Department of Surgery Dalhousie University <b>Team Members:</b> Sara Kirk, Heather McPeake, and Elaine Shelton	H2K: The Role of Peer Mentors in Enhancing Elementary School- Based Physical Activity	Collaborative Health Research Project Grant	\$149,998.00	3 Years
<b>Ruth Martin-Misener</b> School of Nursing Dalhousie University <b>Teri Crawford</b> Professional Practice and Policy Services College of Registered Nurses of Nova Scotia <b>Team Members:</b> Barbara Downe-Wamboldt, Alba DiCenso, Faith Donald, Elaine Rankin, Paula Prendergast, Andrea Murphy, Kimberley Lamarche, Judy Chisholm, Geralynn (Geri) Hirsch, Pamela Baxter, and Ken Bucholtz	Models of Collaborative Practice Involving Nurse Practitioners and Family Physicians in Primary Health Care	Collaborative Health Research Project Grant	\$113,074.46	3 Years
<b>Mary McNally</b> Faculty of Dentistry Dalhousie University <b>Team Members:</b> Sheila Martin, Paige Moorhouse, Ruth Martin-Misener, Christopher Wyatt, Michael Leiter, Paul Allison, Joanne Clovis, Debora Matthews, Sandra Crowell, and Sandi Berwick	Oral Care in Continuing Care Settings: Collaborating to Improve Policies and Practices	Collaborative Health Research Project Grant	\$49,969.00	1 Year
<b>Simon B. Sherry</b> Department of Psychology Dalhousie University <b>Team Members:</b> Martin Antony, Sherry Stewart, and Dayna Sherry	Perfectionism, Conflict, Stress, and Depression: Testing an Integrative Biopsychosocial Model in a High Risk Sample	Health Research Project Grant	\$150,000.00	3 Years

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<b>Audrey Steenbeek</b> School of Nursing Dalhousie University <b>Team Members:</b> Donald Langille, Gordon Flowerdew, Derrick Enslow, Kate Krug, Cathy MacDonald, Peter McLeod, Glenn Andrea and Lisa Price	Sexual Health Services & Sexual Health Promotion Among Undergraduate Students in Nova Scotia	Health Research Project Grant	\$32,171.00	1 Year
<b>David Waisman</b> Biochemistry, Molecular & Biology Departments Dalhousie University	Oncolytic Properties of Truncated Diphtheria Toxin	Health Research Project Grant	\$150,000.00	3 Years
<b>Jun Wang</b> Department of Microbiology and Immunology Dalhousie University <b>Team Member:</b> Scott Halperin	Development of an Adjuvanted-Chlamydia Vaccine by Modulating Intracellular Signalling	Health Research Project Grant	\$150,000.00	3 Years
<b>Natalie L. Yanchar</b> Department of Surgery IWK Health Centre <b>Julian Young</b> Injury Prevention and Control Nova Scotia Department of Health Promotion and Protection <b>Team Members:</b> Donald Langille, Pamela Fuselli, Sandra Newton, and Marie Adele Davies	Knowledge and Practice of Childhood Motor Vehicle Restraint Use In Nova Scotia: Phase II	Collaborative Health Research Project Grant	\$ 37,100.00	1 Year
<b>***Eleanor Fitzpatrick</b> Emergency Department IWK Health Centre <b>Peter Zed</b> Emergency Medicine and Pharmacy Dalhousie University <b>Team Members:</b> Stacy Ackroyd-Stolarz, Karen Black, Janet Curren, Neil MacKinnon, Nancy Murphy, and Douglas Sinclair	Medication-Related Emergency Department Visits in Pediatrics: A Prospective Observational Study	Health Research Project Grant	\$99,510.00	2 Years

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