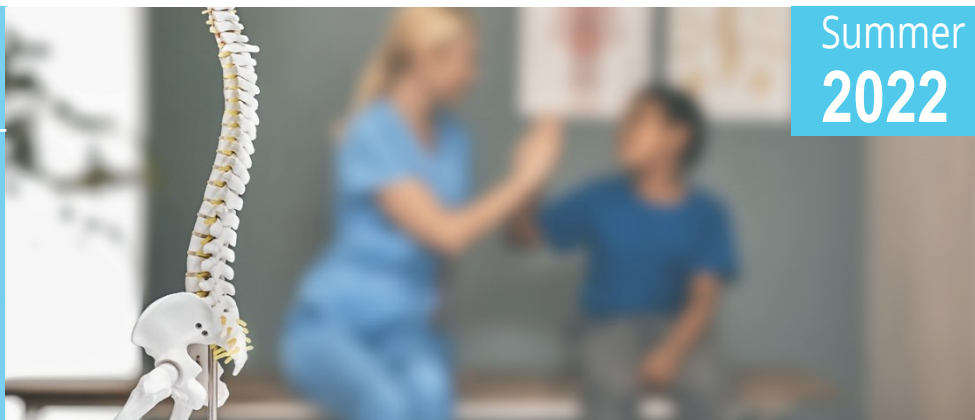


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Impact Update

Why Research Matters >>>

Your time is valuable, so thanks for sharing the next few minutes with us. If you'd prefer not to receive future updates just send us an **email** with UNSUBSCRIBE in the subject line.

- **Patient-care** – to enhance safety, aid pain alleviation and improve care
- **Payers** (like insurance companies) – to reveal cost saving options, explain chiropractic for patient education and provide shared data for analysis
- **Public Policy** – evidence to improve patient access, establish chiropractic value in health systems and solutions to social and health challenges
- **Partnerships** – to create opportunities for new initiatives and bolster interdisciplinary collaboration as it sparks innovation and thought-leadership
- **Professional Practise** – to enrich practice management, progress clinical decision-making and deliver reliable evidence for claims defense

Now it's your turn – as valued supporters – to tell us why research matters, to you. What do you think about the 5Ps? What study, or other research has had the greatest impact on you or on our profession? Email us at info@chiroresearch.ca to have your say.

Fall 2022 RFP Dedicated to Sport Sciences



Grant News >>>

CCRF invests in scientifically sound projects with local, national & global impact through semi-annual Requests for Proposals (RFPs).

Fall 2021: Early Career Researchers (ECRs)

"It's about investing in the next generation," says Chad Kulak, CCRF chair. "In dedicating this grant cycle to ECRs we support the future of research by providing a reliable source of funding for the incredible people dedicated to this crucial work."

CCRF congratulates these 5 teams:

- Dr. Aleisha Adeboyejo/Dr. Pierre Côté, UOIT
- Dr. Felipe Duarte, CMCC
- Dr. Peter Stilwell, McGill University
- Dr. Nora Bakaa/Luciana Macedo, McMaster University
- Dr. Isabelle Pagé/Dr. Chantale Doucet, UQTR

"The CCRF's dedication to supporting early career researchers has been instrumental in helping launch the careers of new researchers like me." Dr. Peter Stilwell, ECR



Spring 2022: Open RFP

In April, CCRF launched a new RFP with up to \$240,000 in funding for Canadian-based research teams.

"Researchers, clinicians and stakeholders want to make a positive impact on people's lives," says Dr. Richard McIlmoyle, CCRF Research Committee chair. "That's what this RFP is all about."

Approved grants will be announced this fall.

Canadian Chiropractic Research Tops \$1,000,000 with New Grant Awards



CCRF Celebrates Million Dollar Milestone >>>

The award of its Fall 2021 grants to Early Career Researchers brings CCRF's total project funding for chiropractic research to over \$1,000,000.

This is a tremendous milestone for CCRF and the chiropractic profession. MSK pain and disability intersects with Canada's most critical healthcare priorities – decreased opioid use, improved healthcare accessibility, better return-to-work protocols & reduced ER/diagnostic wait times. CCRF fills a critical gap in providing dedicated, nation-wide funding for seasoned & emerging researchers.

Research Round Up >>>

We're pleased to announce the completion of these CCRF funded projects:

Title: *Operationalizing 'whole person' pain care*

Impact: To develop evidence-based resources for clinicians to use with patients experiencing pain

PI: Dr. Peter Stilwell, Dalhousie University

Title: *Tracking the impact of clinical care among patients with chronic lower back pain*

Impact: To determine whether patient assessments can be improved by adding functional tests to questionnaires. International collaboration

PI: Dr. Sheilah Hogg-Johnson, CMCC

Title: *Is there a correlation between NMSK disorders and breast pain among breast feeding mothers?*

Impact: Provides much needed data for chiropractors by addressing an issue beyond MSK and lays critical groundwork for future studies

PI: Dr. Chantale Doucet, UQTR

Title: *Advancing the conceptualization and assessment of pain-related suffering*

Impact: Improve the patient experience by identifying literature gaps and developing a research supported understanding of the suffering associated with MSK conditions

PI: Dr. Peter Stilwell, McGill University

New Faces >>>

Every organization needs a superpower. CCRF's is the passion & drive of our volunteer leaders.



Join us in welcoming these fantastic folks to CCRF's Board of Directors and committees:

- Dr. Debbie Wright (BC) serves on CCRF's board as CCA liaison and adds her expertise to the Fundraising Committee (FC)
- Dr. Andrew Sulatycki (ON) now serves on CCRF's Partnership Committee (PC)
- Dr. Kristen Sutherland (NS) adds her experience to our Governance and Management Committee (GMRC)
- Dr. Shannon Dodson (BC) takes on the role of Impact Specialist on our Fundraising Committee

Shout out to Dr. Vince Adams for his service on CCRF's board as CCA Liaison, expert fundraiser and research ambassador.

CCRF is always on the lookout for people passionate about the profession. If you're ready to expand your network, learn about governance and make an impact on chiropractic research drop us a line at info@chiroresearch.ca

New Partnerships >>>

CCRF funds Canadian chiropractic research – but that's just the beginning. We also engage with allied organizations to fund collaborative research initiatives. This increases the number of projects we can do and generates funding from new sources. CCRF is proud to welcome the Federation de Chiropratique Quebec (FCQ) and the Foundation of the Royal College of Chiropractic Sports Sciences (Canada) to our growing list of key partners, which includes:

- Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College (CMCC)
- Temerty Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto
- Canadian Chiropractic Guideline Initiative (CCGI)
- Chronic Pain Centre of Excellence (CPCoE)
- Canadian Chiropractic Association (CCA)

AMM 2022 >>>

On June 9th, CCRF hosted its Annual Member Meeting. Thank you to CCA Chair Judy Forrester and CEO Alison Dantas for their leadership and support, as we shared our progress with more than 20 stakeholders and guests. Among the highlights was Dr. Steven Passmore's presentation about CCRF's essential role as a collaborative funding partner which was very well received.



CCRF @ NCT >>>

Are you attending the '22 National Convention & Trade Show (NCT)?

So are we! CCRF is the Gold Sponsor of Research Day.

Can't make it? No problem. Check out our LinkedIn page for updates!

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Be a Research Super Hero >>>

Are you passionate about research & ready to put your superpowers to work? Here are 4 great ways to put your superpowers to work with CCRF!

Volunteer: Increase your professional profile, learn new skills, give back to the profession and expand your network

Donate: Create your legacy, strengthen community ties, grow research capacity and support innovation

Partner: Achieve priorities, support planning, new approaches & knowledge exchange

Apply for a Grant: Fund studies, improve your professional standing, support your team and explore new areas

Find out more – email us at info@chiroresearch.ca



CCRF Can Improve Your Memory >>>

Ok, maybe we can't help you find your car keys, but contributing to CCRF's new *FutureForward* Endowment Fund can have a lasting impact on patients and the chiropractic profession.

Find out more this fall!

In Our Next Issue >>>

- ✓ Spring 2022 Grant Awards
- ✓ *FutureForward* Launch
- ✓ Research Works for You discussion paper
- ✓ Research Day at NCT
- ✓ Stakeholder Choice Survey
- ✓ CCRF's 1st Joint Request for Proposals
- ✓ CCRF's Annual Gratitude List – *will you be on it?*

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About CCRF >>>

For over 45 years, CCRF has worked with researchers & partners to improve the health of Canadians living with MSK pain & disability. As a registered Canadian charity, we invest in evidence-informed research and build research capacity through grant awards, networking & collaboration.

Legal Stuff >>>

CCRF is a registered Canadian charity: #118853613RR0001

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