

# Teams Funded

# In the PHC Practice-Based Research Challenge

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**Providence Health Care** How you want to be treated.

# Research Challenge 2011 — Funded Team List

| Project Title  | Funded<br>Amount | Leader                    | Members  | Mentor  |
|--|------------------|---------------------------|--|---|
| The effect of pre-induction<br>orthopedic operating room noise: a<br>qualitative study using<br>interpretative description   | 2,500            | Coleen Newland<br>(RN)    | Jacek Murawski (RN)<br>Brett Augustine (RN)<br>Karen Aguana (RN)<br>Deb Protz (RN)<br>Gerd Maisey (RN) | AnneMarie Kaan (RN)<br>(Dec 2012 -); Tarnia<br>Taverner (RN - UBC<br>SON) (thru Dec 2012) |
| Would bariatric obstetrical patients<br>benefit from an interdisciplinary<br>practice standard?  | 2,500            | Jenna Baumgartner<br>(RN) | Amy Cronmiller (RN)<br>Sephanie Gee (RN)<br>Janice Donoghue (RN)                                       | Helen Brown (RN -<br>UBC SON)   |
| Exploration of staff's perception of<br>the use of bed alarms on the Aspen<br>Unit at St Vincent's Langara<br>Residential Care   | 2,500            | Bina Randhawa<br>(RN)     | Karima Kurji (RN)<br>Jane Wong (RN)  | Jo-Ann Tait (RN)  |
| An exploratory study of the factors<br>influencing individuals' decisions to<br>be assessed for transaortic valve<br>implantation  | 5,000            | Leslie Achtem (RN)        | Jackie Forman (RN)   | Sandra Lauck (RN)   |
| Issues, barriers and or themes<br>associated with implementation of<br>the induced hypothermia protocol<br>in the ICU  | 2,500            | Sarah Shepherd<br>(RN)    | Kevin Carriere (RN)  | Michelle Jones (RN)   |
| How does indirect<br>calorimetry/measured energy<br>expenditure compare to 25-30<br>kcalorie/per kg which is commonly<br>used in the ICU setting?  | 2,500            | Laurel Aeberhardt<br>(RD) | Andree Richardson<br>(RD)<br>Jacqui Thornhill (RD)   | Holly van Heukelom<br>(RD)  |
| Does an ADL re-activation program<br>improve patient functioning at the<br>time of discharge?  | 2,500            | Heather Burrett<br>(OT)   | Gagan Toor (OT)<br>Erline Wong-Sing (OT)<br>Christine Schiller (OT)<br>Tara Witham (OT)                | Sandy Leznoff (OT)  |
| Use of patient questionnaire to<br>obtain patient feedback for<br>evaluation of interdisciplinary<br>outpatient rehab program for<br>people with Parkinson's Disease   | 2,500            | Amanda Arione<br>(PT)     | Barbara Lang (SLP)<br>Jeanne Harborne (OT)   | Alison Hoens (PT)   |
| Does the use of cannabis have a<br>place in the symptom management<br>of cystic fibrosis?  | 2,500            | Kathleen Lee (RD)         | Pat MacDiarmid (SW)<br>P Wilcox (MD)   | Steve Shalansky<br>(Pharmacist)   |
| Does the use of cannabis have a<br>place in the symptom management<br>of cystic fibrosis?  | 2,500            | Kathleen Lee (RD)         | Pat MacDiarmid (SW)<br>P Wilcox (MD)   | Steve Shalansky<br>(Pharmacist)   |
| Differences at baseline and at six<br>months post-discharge in the<br>characteristics of patients who<br>choose to decline versus those who<br>choose to participate in one of three<br>multidisciplinary geriatric programs | 2,000            | Julie Cheng (PT)          | Brenda McKnight (PT)<br>Alys Pinto (OT)<br>Eve Lyon (SW)<br>Kathy Petts (PT)<br>Carol Horii (PT)       | Pat Camp (PT)<br>(mentor was Janet<br>McElhaney March<br>2011-June 2012)                  |

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| Identify and deal with the oxygen<br>needs of patients needing home<br>oxygen   | 1,280            | Celina Fernandes<br>(PT)                | Nora McKellin (SW)<br>Michelle Liu (RN)                         | Lillian Hung (RN)<br>(mentor was Janet<br>McElhaney March<br>2011-June 2012)               |
| Qualitative exploration of St.<br>Vincent's Hospitals, Langara<br>Residential Interdisciplinary Team<br>Admission ("Moving-In") Process | 2,500            | Paramjit Kalkat<br>(OT)                 | Karima Kurji (RN)<br>Vashti Timmermans<br>(RD)<br>Kit Chan (RD) | Maura MacPhee (RN -<br>UBC SON)  |
| Validating the screening tool for<br>psycho-social distress (STOP-D) in<br>an inpatient cardiac population                              | 5,000            | Quincy-Robyn<br>Young<br>(Psychologist) | Susan Roth (RN)<br>Ann Broadberry (RN)<br>Michelle Nguyen (RN)  | Martha Mackay (RN)   |
| A standardized assessment of the<br>Chinese renal nutrition patient<br>education materials at Providence<br>Health Care                 | 2,500            | Jiak Chin Koh (RD)                      | Winphia Koo (RD)  | Ann Vanderbijl (thru<br>June 2012); team<br>completed their<br>project without a<br>mentor |

# Research Challenge 2012 – Funded Team List

| Project Title  | Funded<br>Amount | Leader   | Members   | Mentor                                       |
|--|------------------|--|---|--|
| Can a Nurse Initiated Pain<br>Protocol (NIPP) improve pain<br>management in the Emergency<br>Department?   | 4,000            | Janice Muir (RN) /<br>Pat Munro (RN)                   | Eric Grafstein (MD)<br>Angus Kinkade<br>(Pharmacist)<br>Julian Marsden (MD)<br>Beena Parappilly (RN)<br>Gisha Ashly (RN)  | Anne Dewar (RN)                              |
| Patient perspectives on<br>frequenting the Emergency<br>Department   | 4,000            | Katherine MacPhee<br>(SW)                              | Alison Rowe (SW)<br>Allison Palubiski (SW)  | Harvey Bosma (SW)                            |
| "To bleed or not to bleed" - Does<br>individualized treatment<br>decrease non-traumatic bleeds,<br>increase physical activity and<br>increase quality of life in adults<br>with severe hemophilia? | 4,000            | Kami McIntosh (RN<br>educator) / Sandra<br>Squire (PT) | Claude Bartholomew<br>(SW)  | Pat Camp (PT) and<br>Shannon Jackson<br>(MD) |
| Evaluation of an intervention to<br>enhancing in-centre<br>hemodialysis patients' self-care<br>ability   | 4,000            | Michelle Trask (RN)                                    | Mercedeh Kiaii (MD)<br>Camille Rozon<br>(Change specialist)<br>Fong Huynh<br>(Pharmacist)<br>Dave Morrison (RN)<br>Gillan Carter (RN)<br>Huinfang (Afia) Min<br>(RN)<br>Stan Marchuk (NP) | Martha MacKay (RN)                           |
| Preoperative nutrition screening<br>in colorectal surgery patients in<br>Providence Health   | 4,000            | Tanya Leung (RD)                                       | Lona Cunningham<br>(RN)<br>Jaki Thornhill (RD)  | Stephen Parker (RN)                          |
| Overweight and obesity status in<br>a Canadian HIV outpatient<br>population  | 2,000            | Jenn Messina (RD)                                      | Alena Barron (RD)<br>Jane McCall (RN<br>educator)   | Jiak Chin Koh (RD)                           |
| Intensive dietician follow-up to a<br>carbohydrate counting class to<br>improve diabetic patients' ability<br>to carbohydrate count  | 3,000            | Maureen Berner<br>(RD)                                 | Dora Ng (RD)  | Kristin Westland                             |
| A qualitative study of the new<br>graduate experience within an<br>acute cardiac specialty area  | 3,000            | Marie McCoy (RN) /<br>Ruhina Rana (RN)                 | Alexia Gillespie (RN)   | Maura MacPhee (RN)                           |
| Computer-based cognitive<br>training for Chinese patients with<br>mild cognitive impairment and<br>mild dementia: a preliminary pre-<br>post design study  | 4,000            | Josephine Poon (OT)                                    | Tineke Saul (SW)<br>Joy Liao (MD)<br>Alys Pinto (OT)<br>Mary Gallop<br>(Volunteer Coor.)<br>Lillian Hung (RN)   | Sandy Leznoff (OT)                           |

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| The Physical Environment on a<br>geriatric psychiatric unit: how it<br>plays a Role of Support or<br>Obstructs person and family<br>centred care Needs (PERSON) | 4,000            | Lillian Hung (RN) /<br>Elizabeth Loewen<br>(RN) | Debra McLaren (RPN)<br>Buffy Bindley (RN)<br>Travis Feist (RN) | Alison Phinney (RN)             |
| Anxiety in the elderly: a treatable condition that is being missed?   | 4,000            | Karin Christensen<br>(Psychologist)             | Karen Pott (OT)<br>Aiko Yamamoto<br>(Psychologist)             | Sherri Hayden<br>(Psychologist) |

# Research Challenge 2013 — Funded Team List

| Project Title   | Funded<br>Amount | Leader                            | Members  | Mentor                            |
|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| Development of a <i>Clostridium</i><br><i>difficile</i> infection clinical risk<br>prediction tool in medical in-<br>patients   | 6,000            | Winnie Ma,<br>(Pharmacist)        | Josh Batterink<br>(Pharmacist)<br>Victoria Su<br>(Pharmacist)<br>Anca Jelescu-Bodos<br>(Pharmacist)  | Steve Shalansky<br>(Pharmacist)   |
| Hypovitaminosis D and chronic<br>musculoskeletal pain in cystic<br>fibrosis: a pilot study  | 6,000            | Brigette Wilkins<br>(PT)          | Kathleen Lee (RD)  | Jennifer Kendrick<br>(Pharmacist) |
| What are the most relevant<br>demographic, clinical, physical,<br>mental and social factors<br>associated with the readmission of<br>adult medical patients at St Paul's<br>Hospital? | 4,000            | Beena Parappilly<br>(RN)          | Marco Catalano (RN)<br>Jessica Mak (RN)<br>Aiza Yap (RN)<br>Cheryl McColl (RN)   | Rick Sawatzky (RN)                |
| Patient and caregiver experience<br>with tracheostomies at PHC and<br>implications for patient- and<br>family-centred care  | 4,000            | Maria Li (RRT)                    | Catherine Sanders<br>(RRT)<br>Emily Chiu (RRT)   | Jordan Guenette (PT)              |
| Experiences of educators who have<br>participated in the Educator<br>Pathway Program: a qualitative<br>descriptive study  | 4,000            | Shelley Fraser (RN)               | Susan Roth (RN)<br>Kara Vogt (RD)  | Marion Clauson (RN)               |
| Blood sampling practices in critical care: how critical are they?   | 4,000            | Janie Venis (RN)                  | Martina O'Regan (RN)<br>Mia Marles (RN)  | Martha Mackay (RN)                |
| Across the bridge: building a<br>seamless transition for pediatric<br>kidney transplant recipients to<br>adult care   | 4,000            | Clare Bannon (RN)                 | Rhonda Federici (RN)<br>Ben Cesar (SW)<br>Nancy Szeto (RN)<br>Sally Kwan (RN)<br>Jane Kerr (RN)<br>Linnea Young (RN)<br>Janelle Gehring (SW) | Annemarie Kaan (RN)               |
| A prevalence study of childhood<br>trauma among HIV-positive<br>women admitted to the HIV<br>Service at St Paul's Hospital  | 3,000            | Patricia Lauridsen-<br>Hoegh (RN) | Jane McCall (RN)<br>Dave Unger (MD)  | Julie Kille (RN)                  |

# Research Challenge 2014 — Funded Team List

| Project Title  | Funded<br>Amount | Leader   | Members  | Mentor                         |
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| Is food insecurity a risk factor for<br>overweight and obesity in an<br>urban, outpatient HIV-positive<br>population?  | 4,000            | Jenn Messina (RD)                                  | Alena Spears (RD)  | Jane McCall (RN)               |
| Examining the impact of blood flow<br>rate on hemodialysis urea<br>clearance   | 4,000            | Keira St. George<br>(LPN)<br>Lynda Whitlum<br>(RN) |  | John Duncan (MD)               |
| Citrate versus high flow for<br>continuous renal replacement<br>therapy (CRRT) in critically ill<br>patients: what method best suits<br>our ICU?   | 4,000            | Kevin Carriere (RN)                                | Sarah Carriere (RN)  | Najib Ayas (MD)                |
| From revolving door to continuity<br>of care: improving health<br>outcomes for clients admitted<br>repeatedly in acute psychiatric<br>settings   | 4,000            | Julie Campbell<br>(RN)                             | Kofi Bonnie (RN)   | Colleen Varcoe (RN)            |
| Improving health outcomes for<br>clients with dual diagnosis in adult<br>psychiatric settings  | 3,000            | Colin McWilliams<br>(RN)                           | Kofi Bonnie (RN)<br>Kelly Kompelien (RN)   | Vicky Bungay (RN)              |
| Psychological distress in young<br>adults with congenital heart<br>disease and implantable<br>cardioverter defibrillator: a<br>feasibility study   | 4,000            | Sarah Cockell<br>(Psychologist)                    | Emma Iacoe (RN)<br>Alexia Gillespie (RN)<br>Santabhanu<br>Chakrabarti (advisor,<br>MD)       | Quincy Young<br>(Psychologist) |
| Exploring optimal bedrest times in<br>stable patients undergoing<br>Transcatheter Aortic Valve<br>Implantation (TAVI)  | 4,000            | Jenny Knoll (RN)                                   | Stephanie Ahuja (RN)<br>Trish Grespan (RN)   | Sandra Lauck (RN)              |
| What are the factors associated<br>with time to extubation in patients<br>that have successfully completed a<br>Spontaneous Breathing Trial: A<br>prospective observational study                    | 4,000            | Lena Farina (RRT)                                  | Julie Rugayan (RRT)<br>Jennifer Ladouceur<br>(RRT)   | Jason Nickerson<br>(RRT)       |
| Addressing the gap in adult eating<br>disorder nutritional recovery:<br>transitioning patients from<br>intensive treatment to home   | 4,000            | Ali Eberhardt (RD)                                 | Tanya Friesen (RD)<br>Nicole O'Byrne (RD)<br>Kosa Matic-Smyrnis<br>(RD)<br>Kim Williams (RD) | Josie Geller<br>(Psychologist) |
| Implementation of a pilot<br>protected mealtime for patients on<br>the Surgical Reactivation Unit<br>(SRU) at St. Paul's Hospital and its<br>effect on mealtime experience and<br>nutritional intake | 4,000            | Vanessa Lewis<br>(RD)                              | Maude Henri-<br>Bhargava (RD)  | Holly van Heukelom<br>(RD)     |

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| The Gentle Persuasive Approaches<br>(GPA): evaluation of a person-<br>centred approach to dementia care                          | 4,000            | Elizabeth Loewen<br>(RN) | Lillian Hung (RN)<br>Elisabeth Drance (MD)<br>Bernardina Deato (RN)<br>Amy Zwicker<br>(Psychologist) | Susan Dahinton (RN)  |
| Evaluation of young people's<br>experiences with Inner City Youth's<br>implementation of BCCDC's Take<br>Home Naloxone Kit (THN) | 4,000            | Elise Durante (SW)       | Keren Mitchell (RN)<br>Chantell Dunlop (NP)  | Jane Buxton<br>(Epidemiologist)<br>Ashraf Amlani<br>(Epidemiologist) |

# Research Challenge 2015 – Funded Team List

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|--|------------------|--------------------------------|---|--|
| USE IT! Examining use of lower<br>limb prosthesis in older adults with<br>amputations following inpatient<br>prosthesis training at Holy Family<br>Hospital  | 4,000            | Colleen Budzinski<br>(PT)      | Ashley Plough (PT)<br>Rachel Tutte (PT)<br>Leah Swantje (OT)<br>Stacey Prodaniuk (PT)<br>Brittany Pousett<br>(advisor)<br>Elliott Weiss (advisor) | Alison Hoens (PT)<br>William Miller (MD) |
| Caring for long-term care residents<br>throughout the dying process: an<br>exploratory study to understand<br>related interdisciplinary care team<br>stress  | 4,000            | Anne Leclerc (PT)              | Kit Chan (RD)<br>Karen Pott (OT)<br>Annes Song (RN)   | Paddy Rodney (RN)                        |
| The earlier, the better. (How<br>effective is a mobility tool in<br>implementing early mobilization of<br>ICU patients and what are the<br>challenges encountered in<br>implementing the plan of care in<br>early mobilization?) | 4,000            | Catherine<br>Rodriguez (RN)    | Sherly Mathew (RN)<br>Esperanza Malubay<br>(RN)<br>Ellen Woo (PT)   | Pat Camp (PT)                            |
| Chartering change: exploring the<br>complexity of implementing a<br>charter to support open visitation<br>among Cardiac Surgery Intensive<br>Care Unit nurses  | 4,000            | Rhandall Tydd-<br>Whiting (RN) | Andrea Tolentino (RN)<br>Nick Zap (Pt Partner)  | Annemarie Kaan (RN)                      |
| Determining the feasibility of<br>following the Mediterranean/<br>Predimed Diet in Vancouver, BC, in<br>primary prevention patients<br>attending the Healthy Heart<br>Program at St. Paul's Hospital                             | 4,000            | Kay McQueen (RD)               | Karen Mornin (RD)<br>Shauna Ratner (RD)   | Scott Lear (PhD)                         |
| Evaluation of the effect of an online<br>dialysis decision aid in a predialysis<br>kidney care Clinic in a quaternary<br>care hospital: a feasibility study  | 4,000            | Sarah Thomas<br>(RN)           | Mary Lewis (RN)<br>Emmie Tse (RN)   | Martha Mackay (RN)                       |
| Understanding SDM's experience<br>in making health care decisions for<br>elders with dementia living in<br>residential care  | 4,000            | Ellen Guo (RN)                 | Bernadeth Yu-Alvarez<br>(RN)<br>Rita Lo (RN)<br>Nadra Ali (RN)  | Tilly Schalkwyk (RN)                     |
| Exploring patients' experiences<br>living with subcutaneous<br>implantable cardioverter-<br>defibrillator: a qualitative study   | 4,000            | Jacqueline Forman<br>(RN)      | Alyssa Shook (RN)<br>Jen Lindenberg (RN)  | Heather Jackson<br>(PhD)                 |

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| Evaluating the effectiveness of a<br>volunteer-based falls prevention<br>strategy in residential care: Fall-<br>unteers  | 4,000            | Juan Murillo (RN)         | Nadra Ali (RN)<br>Sandy Wong (PT)<br>Charito Panganiban<br>(RN)<br>Carrie-Ann Robertson<br>(RN)<br>Jasmine Parbhu (SW)<br>Francisco Velazquez<br>(Change Spec, advisor)<br>Rae Johnson (advisor) | Sonia Hardern                      |
| Determination of protein intake in<br>stable, active infection and<br>hospitalized HIV patients  | 4,000            | Russell Friesen<br>(RD)   | Kathy Ho (RD)<br>Jenn Messina (RD)<br>Alena Spears (RD)<br>Marianne Harris (MD,<br>advisor)  | Rajavel Elango (MD,<br>PhD)        |
| Reasons for visits to St. Paul's<br>Hospital Emergency Department<br>(SPH ED) by patients affiliated with<br>Strathcona and West End Mental<br>Health Teams (MHTs) | 4,000            | Joanne Schwartz<br>(SW)   | Alison Rowe (SW)<br>Alison Barrett (SW)<br>Linda Wu (advisor)  | Jenny Young<br>(Ethicist)          |
| The feasibility of implementing an<br>intradialyic pedal exercise program<br>for hemodialysis patients at East<br>Vancouver Community Dialysis<br>Unit             | 4,000            | Michiyo Upton<br>(RD)     | Deborah Ong-Lum<br>(SW)  | Jiak Chin Koh (RD)                 |
| Identifying interdisciplinary<br>discharge planning interventions<br>for frail older adults at Mount St.<br>Joseph's Hospital                                      | 4,000            | Teresa Robitaille<br>(SW) | Stephanie Lam (SW)<br>Julia Peirce (SW)<br>Christine Lipus (RN)<br>Mary Lau (OT)   | Harvey Bosma (SW)<br>Joy Liao (MD) |
| Overcoming barriers for new<br>patient orientation in our<br>hemodialysis unit   | 4,000            | Valerie Wai (RN)          | Michele Trask (RN)<br>Leilani Ocampo (RN)<br>Rick Luscombe (RN)<br>Clare Bannon (RN)<br>Leila Chinybayeva<br>(RN)<br>Sunny Chou (RN)<br>Stacey Zheng (RN)  | Maura MacPhee (RN)                 |

#### Research Challenge 2016 – Funded Team List

| Project Title  | Funded<br>Amount | Leader               | Members   | Mentor                          |
|--|------------------|----------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Validation of an exit monitoring<br>tool for hemodialysis central<br>venous catheters  | 5,000            | Wynnie Lau (Pharm)   | Stan Marchuk (NP)<br>Rick Luscombe (RN)<br>Mercedeh Kiaii<br>(advisor)  | Steve Shalansky                 |
| Patient self testing in<br>anticoagulation monitoring for<br>adults with congenital heart<br>disease: a feasibility study  | 5,000            | Karen Lecomte (RN)   | Emma Iacoe (RN)<br>Beverley McCarthy<br>(RN)<br>Alexia Gillespie (RN)   | Amy Salmon                      |
| Exploring the delays and<br>characteristics of patients with<br>recommended enteral nutrition<br>support on the medicine units of<br>St. Paul's Hospital   | 5,000            | Winnie Lee (RD)      | Gia Jie Zheng (RD)  | Beth Snow                       |
| Development of an ICU palliative<br>screening tool integrated into<br>daily care: a feasibility study  | 5,000            | Janie Venis (RN)     | Cara Connaughton<br>(RN)<br>Sarah Ho (SW)<br>Vininder Bains (RN)<br>Sim Sunner (RN)<br>Anne Tuppurainen<br>(SC)<br>Kimberly<br>Cockburn(RN) | Peter Dodek<br>Paddy Rodney     |
| What are the characteristics of<br>patients with a primary diagnosis<br>of heart failure who have signs of<br>worsening congestion within 24<br>hours of the first weight following<br>admission?                                    | 5,000            | Janice Palmer        | Rachel Milligan (RN)<br>Doson Chua (Pharm)<br>Mustafa Toma<br>(advisor)   | Annemarie Kaan<br>Martha Mackay |
| Implementation of a Med-Pass<br>nutritional supplement program<br>for Enhanced Recovery After<br>Surgery pathway for bowel<br>surgery patients at St. Paul's<br>Hospital and its effect on intake of<br>oral nutritional supplements | 5,000            | Vanessa Lewis (RD)   | Nicole O'Byrne (RD)<br>Marina Puddell (RN)  | Jaki Thornhill                  |
| Effects of a 10 week yoga<br>workshop on perceived stress in<br>cardiac rehabilitation participants<br>— a randomized control trial  | 5,000            | Clarissa Gavino (OT) | Wendy Lam (OT)  | Sandy Leznoff                   |
| Youth's perceived impact of a<br>trauma-sensitive yoga program on<br>their mental health   | 5,000            | Sarah Cochrane (NP)  | Davey Hamada (RN)<br>Alex Palacol (RN)<br>Sara Siddiqui (SW)<br>Sarah Irving (peer<br>support)<br>Amy H (peer support)                      | Katelyn Merritt<br>Skye Barbic  |

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| St. Paul's Hospital Emergency<br>Department patient journey<br>mapping – a mixed method<br>research study proposal  | 5,000            | Christine Yoneda<br>(RN)       | Alison Jordan (RN)<br>Pat Munro (RN)   | Lawrence Cheng |
| Determining the utility of the<br>cachexia score (CASCO) staging<br>tool for cardiac cachexia in<br>patients attending the pre-<br>transplant and heart function<br>clinic at St. Paul's Hospital   | 5,000            | Sinead Feeney (RD)             | Kay McQueen (RD)<br>Mustafa Toma<br>(advisor)  | Margot Davis   |
| Nurse shortages in the operating room   | 5,000            | Azar<br>Khodabandehloo<br>(RN) | Shannon Liu (RN)<br>Rupinder Khotar (RN)<br>Heather Pottery (RN)<br>Nadia Vrtacic (RN) | Paul Whitehead |
| Measuring frailty: more than<br>meets the eye (Examine the<br>relationship between frailty<br>assessment of prospective TAVI<br>patients based on photos versus<br>clinical assessments; examine a<br>decision-making process based on<br>assessment of photos and<br>eligibility data) | 5,000            | Leslie Achtem (RN)             | Thomas Ma (RN)<br>Jennifer Gibson (RN)   | Sandra Lauck   |

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| Understanding the impact of patient<br>engagement on personal recovery for<br>youth with lived experience of mental<br>illness  | 5,000            | Melissa Bergen    | Sarah Irving  | Skye Barbic                   |
| Assessment of HeALth Literacy on<br>Medication AdheRence and graft<br>outcomes in Kidney transplant<br>recipients (HALLMARK)  | 5,000            | Clare Bannon      | Linnea Young<br>Sally Kwan<br>Marie Shibata<br>Anita Zienkiewicz<br>Nancy Szeto<br>Nicole Wood<br>Rebecca Hartshorn | Marianna Leung                |
| What are the effects of Nordic<br>walking exercise on quality of life and<br>fitness in renal transplant patients?  | 5,000            | Leonora Chao      | Vicky Ngo<br>Susie Neufeld  | Sandra Squire                 |
| The impact of a Serious Illness<br>Conversation Guide training<br>workshop for nurses in the Intensive<br>Care Unit: a randomized control trial<br>feasibility study    | 5,000            | Mia Marles        | Janie Venis<br>Vininder Bains   | Jennifer<br>Kryworuchko       |
| An observational study to examine<br>the effectiveness, incidence and<br>characteristics of adverse events of<br>the nasal bridle system in high risk<br>ICU patients   | 5,000            | Laurel Aeberhardt | Roger Esau  | Vininder Bains                |
| Expanding the scope of contingency<br>management: feasibility and efficacy<br>for stimulant use reduction in hospital<br>settings                                       | 5,000            | Emma Garrod       | Melissa Nicholson<br>Elizabeth Vick<br>Bridget Simpson<br>Kaye Robinson   | Nadia Fairbairn               |
| Exploring the experience of inpatients<br>with severe alcohol use disorder on a<br>managed alcohol program (MAP) at<br>St. Paul's Hospital                              | 5,000            | Eric Eligh        | Beena Parappilly<br>Elyse Magee<br>Ryan Longoz<br>Holly van Heukelom  | Bernie Pauly                  |
| How do highly sensitized patients<br>describe their experience with being<br>on the heart transplant wait list?   | 5,000            | Wynne Chiu        | Kim Brownjohn<br>Erica Johansson  | Annemarie Kaan                |
| Assessing the knowledge, attitudes,<br>and beliefs of Kidney Care Clinic staff<br>about kidney transplantation before<br>and after a multi-pronged education<br>program | 5,000            | Ruth McCarrell    | Erin Waters<br>Clare Bannon<br>David Grenkov<br>Jody Max<br>Hazel Harper  | Wayne Fritz                   |
| Investigating the influence of nurse<br>personality factors in arteriovenous<br>fistula cannulation   | 5,000            | Jessica Donnan    | Lisa Holowaty<br>Rie Yoneda   | Rick Luscombe<br>Stan Marchuk |
| Examining the impact of a ROTEM-<br>based transfusion algorithm in cardiac<br>surgery at St. Paul's Hospital  | 5,000            | Justine Hope      | Keegan Rowe<br>Luke Harris<br>Marina Kovacevic  | Raja Rajamohan<br>Bobby Lee   |
| Malnutrition in hospitalized adults   | 5,000            | Jaki Thornhill    | Vanessa Lewis<br>Kathy Ho<br>Maude Henri-Bhargava<br>Nicole O'Byrne   | Jiak Chin Koh                 |
| Depression screening for cardiac inpatients   | 5,000            | Quincy Young      | Holly Andrews<br>Carrie Bancroft<br>Stephanie Wong  | Martha Mackay                 |

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|--|------------------|--------------------------------------|--|----------------|
| Impact of nitrogen-bisphosphonate<br>(N-BP) on vitamin E status in cystic<br>fibrosis patients   | 5,000            | Victoria Su                          | Kathleen Lee   | Sabrina Gill   |
| Speech-language pathology in residential care  | 5,000            | Tara Chen                            | Vicki Tsui<br>Indershini Pillay  | Stacey Skoretz |
| The "Surprise Question" in<br>Interdisciplinary Team Rounds to<br>promote early serious illness<br>conversations on an acute medical<br>unit   | 5,000            | Kathy Le                             | Jenny Lee<br>Lillian Vera<br>Holly van Heukelom<br>Padraig Reynolds                        | Anita Ho       |
| A pilot study to assess the feasibility<br>of an alternative model of care to<br>Reduce Emergency visits for patients<br>who have Substance Use disorder<br>and/or MEntal health needs and are<br>unable to access Heart Function Clinic<br>- "RESUME-HFC" | 5,000            | Annemarie Kaan<br>Cindy Nordquist    | Catherine Clark<br>Jennifer Knoll<br>Stephanie Ahuja<br>Marcey Norman<br>Michaela Hanakova | Martha Mackay  |
| Understanding nurses' experiences of<br>reporting workplace violence in acute<br>psychiatry  | 5,000            | Michelle Carter<br>Angela Russolillo | Rachel Walker<br>Aaron Leung<br>Leah Guzzo<br>Glen Kynaston                                | Emily Jenkins  |
| Patient, caregiver and clinician<br>perspectives on dysphagia following<br>mechanical ventilation/artificial<br>airway use.  | 5,000            | Holly Fong                           | Vicki Tsui<br>Kevin Frew   | Stacey Skoretz |
| Assessment of vitamin D [25(OH)D]<br>status of renal patients post-<br>transplant  | 5,000            | Christine Adair<br>Erin Waters       | Simran Dukhia<br>Chelsea Bruce<br>Clare Bannon<br>Anja Webster<br>Katrina Hsu              | Vanessa Lewis  |
| Identifying the experiences of surgical<br>cardiac registered nurses in caring for<br>patients with postoperative delirium<br>after open heart surgery   | 5,000            | Cayli Hunt                           | Margaux Delattre<br>Samantha Borgstrom<br>Melissa Malley<br>Jennifer Mutch<br>Kristi Gill  | Sandra Lauck   |
| Promoting self-management:<br>addressing the educational needs of<br>new hemodialysis patients at St.<br>Paul's Hospital   | 5,000            | Jill Hidalgo                         | Christine Zamora<br>Leilani Borja<br>Rozelle Callangan                                     | Rick Sawatzky  |
| Understanding patients' experiences<br>following mitral plication  | 5,000            | Mihaela Rozor                        | Naureen Nathoo<br>Melanie Mulder<br>Leslie Achtem  | Sandra Lauck   |

# Research Challenge 2019 – Funded Team List

| Project Title  | Funded<br>Amount | Leader                            | Members  | Mentor                      |
|--|------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| Exploring factors that influence post-<br>procedure bleeding in cardiac ablation<br>patients   | 5,000            | Stephanie Gilroy                  | Danielle Wilting<br>Jeff Vopni   | Jackie Forman               |
| Evaluation of micronutrient status of<br>patients on a Canadian Home<br>Parenteral Nutrition Program   | 5,000            | Andree Richardson                 | Vanessa Lewis<br>Yoon Heo  | George Ou                   |
| Assessing the impact of a new CVAD<br>lock solution in patients at high risk<br>for catheter-related complications   | 5,000            | Vanessa Lewis<br>Elizabeth Martin | Jocelyn Hill<br>Andree Richardson  | Victor Leung                |
| Exploring the effect and experience of<br>in-patients with a left ventricular<br>assist device (LVAD) after<br>implementing breathing exercises to<br>reduce anxiety at St. Paul's Hospital                      | 5,000            | Pardeep Sangha                    | Lynn Cabano<br>Kristi Gill<br>Quincy Young<br>Grace Ocampo<br>Shelly Prytula   | Beena Parappilly            |
| The practice of injecting non-<br>prescribed substances into<br>intravenous lines: An exploratory<br>study   | 5,000            | Melissa Nicholson                 | Emma Garrod<br>Jocelyn Hill<br>Nancy Chow<br>Carlin Patterson<br>Danielle Chuang<br>Jackie Rhodes<br>Hannah Beckingham | William Connors             |
| A retrospective, descriptive study of<br>admitting diet order compared to diet<br>order prescribed by dietitians at first<br>nutrition assessment on acute<br>inpatient medicine units at St. Paul's<br>Hospital | 5,000            | Naomi Oh                          | Yeiji Jang<br>Emily Zamora   | Brenda Sawatzky-<br>Girling |
| Implementation of a nurse-led 4-hour<br>mobilization after transcatheter<br>aortic valve implementation (TAVI)   | 5,000            | Carrie Bancroft                   | Leslie Achtem<br>Holly Andrews<br>Pardeep Sangha<br>Rachel Milligan<br>Jopie Polderman<br>Jackie Forman                | Sandra Lauck                |

#### Research Challenge 2021 – Funded Team List

| Project Title   | Funded<br>Amount | Leader                      | Members  | Mentor                           |
|---|------------------|-----------------------------|--|----------------------------------|
| Pilot study to evaluate virtual visits in heart function clinics  | 5,000            | Wynne Chiu<br>Suzanne Nixon | Lance Bascug<br>Andrea Fong<br>Lisa Gomes  | Martha Mackay                    |
| The impact of eviction on highly<br>vulnerable patients admitted to the<br>Mental Health Unit at St Paul's<br>Hospital  | 5,000            | Sarah Eisler                | Robin Destun<br>Cassandra Mah<br>Cindy Nguyen  | Kaye Robinson                    |
| Assessing the feasibility of nurse-led<br>post-ablation education following<br>same-day discharge after atrial<br>fibrillation ablation   | 5,000            | Stephanie Ahuja             | Belinda Furlan<br>Stefanie MacLeod<br>Emily Murtagh<br>Carolyn Wilson                                | Jackie Forman                    |
| Evaluation of the "Live Donation<br>Patient and Family Group"   | 5,000            | Christina<br>Schellenberg   | Jodi Max   | Monica Beaulieu                  |
| A pilot project evaluating patient<br>satisfaction with an online diabetes<br>self-management education program   | 5,000            | Tanya Sloan                 | Melodee Dayrit   | Greg Bondy                       |
| The prevalence of wheelchair and<br>mattress changes within three<br>months of moving from acute care to<br>a long term care home   | 5,000            | Sarah Thompson              | Lena Khoshbin<br>Danica Jayme<br>Anna Nguyen   | Heather Burrett<br>Jay Macdonald |
| Exploring the experiences of pet<br>owners within the homeless<br>population in accessing medical care:<br>A One Health Perspective   | 5,000            | Kelsie Jessamine            | Wesley Killen<br>Natasha Smyrnis   | Doris Leung<br>Michelle Lem      |
| Patient reported experiences of<br>anxiety and depression screenings in<br>a Canadian Adult Cystic Fibrosis Clinic  | 5,000            | Pat MacDiarmid              | April Tanzler<br>Waqar Younas  | Bradley Quon                     |
| Step-down of inhaled corticosteroid<br>dose in adults with Cystic Fibrosis or<br>CFTR-related disorder: A prospective<br>cohort study   | 5,000            | Renee Dagenais              | Jane Kerr<br>Victoria Su   | Bradley Quon                     |
| Opioid withdrawal management in<br>the Emergency Department: nurses'<br>perspectives  | 5,000            | Leyla Khosrovpour           | Stephanie Callagan   | Sunny Jiao                       |
| Virtual frailty assessment  | 5,000            | Priscilla Sahota            | Leslie Achtem<br>Kylie Morgan<br>Jopie Polderman<br>Kulvinder Sihota<br>Anna Stephenson<br>Maggie Yu | Sandra Lauck                     |
| Promoting oral care on an Acute Care for Elders unit  | 5,000            | Kathy Le                    | Andrea Lau   | Julie Carleton                   |
| Ensuring culturally inclusive End-Of-<br>Life Care in a critical care setting: An<br>interpretive description of how<br>cultural factors impact patient and<br>families experience during the<br>Wishing Well Project | 5,000            | Jennifer Hamera             | Wynne Chiu<br>Ann Gibb<br>Trixie Kao<br>Julie Lai<br>Kathy Le<br>Ron Shiu                            | Vininder Bains                   |
| Exploring the experience of bereaved<br>family members visiting Long Term<br>Care (LTC) residents during the<br>COVID-19 pandemic   | 5,000            | Nadine Dennis               | Jenica Burns<br>Rana Garenalbi<br>Caitlin Leahy  | Harvey Bosma                     |

# Research Challenge 2022 — Funded Team List

| Project Title   | Funded<br>Amount | Leader                         | Members   | Mentor                          |
|---|------------------|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Responding to challenging patient<br>behaviours on inpatient medicine<br>units: Interdisciplinary staffs'<br>experience using Behaviour Support<br>Plans  | 5,000            | Zoe Esseiva                    | Avery Rossi   | Chantelle Recsky                |
| Does Physiotherapy navigation to<br>community resources improve arm<br>function post-mastectomy? A pilot<br>study   | 5,000            | Karen Tugwell<br>Gwyn Narayan  |   | Rob Paquin<br>Kristin Campbell  |
| Exploring the appropriateness of<br>peripheral parental nutrition (PPN) in<br>St. Paul's Hospital: A retrospective<br>chart review  | 5,000            | Paige Courtice                 | Yoon Heo<br>Jonathan Leung  | George Ou                       |
| What are the barriers to the SPH<br>Overdose Prevention Site (OPS)?<br>Exploring the perspective of<br>inpatients.  | 5,000            | Naomi Watt                     | Danielle Chuang<br>Karen Scott<br>Minji Yun                                 | Liz Dogherty/<br>Marilou Gagnon |
| Exploring tools, resources and<br>training approaches with PHC REB<br>members: towards creating an<br>inclusive, safe, and empowering<br>environment for meaningful research<br>collaborations with local sovereign<br>First Nations, Indigenous<br>organizations, and Indigenous<br>scholars, and patients | 5,000            | Lindsay Beck<br>Josephine Jung |   | Namaste Marsden                 |
| Patient mentorship program in the<br>Heart Transplant Clinic  | 5,000            | Josie Mackey<br>Laura Carroll  | Kim Brownjohn<br>Erica Johansson<br>Katriene Moore<br>Kerry Ahn Uy          | Wynne Chiu                      |
| Evaluation of transitional care from<br>complex cardiac surgery discharge to<br>community   | 5,000            | Megan Patapoff<br>Tracy Gwozd  |   | Jackie Forman                   |
| Dietitians' perceptions and practices<br>towards cultural safety and anti-<br>racism  | 5,000            | Iris Lopez Ramirez             | Dani Renouf<br>Ariel Seah<br>Katherine Sohm<br>Alena Spears<br>Emily Zamora | Jennifer Brady                  |
| Improving access to diabetes care:<br>evaluation of a new clinic model to<br>maximize the competencies of<br>certified diabetes educators<br>(IMPACT-DC)  | 5,000            | Lisa Maks                      | Melodee Dayrit  | Sandra Lauck                    |
| The safety and efficacy of sotrovimab<br>in kidney post-transplant patients<br>with COVID-19: a single centre<br>experience   | 5,000            | Erin Waters                    | Bita Betani<br>Odette Bodman<br>Alexis Mackay-Dunn                          | Wayne Fritz                     |
| Examining cultural safety in clinical practice: a retrospective chart review  | 5,000            | Hannah Tighe                   | Neil Fowler<br>Angela Lee<br>Fancy Poitras                                  | Harmony Johnson                 |
| Learning from the perspectives of<br>older adults with heart valve disease:<br>insights of the use of virtual health  | 5,000            | Leslie Achtem                  | Simone Prince<br>Angela Steininger<br>Erin Tang                             | Sandra Lauck                    |

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|---|------------------|-----------------|--|---------------|
| Characterization of bisphosphonate<br>prescribing post-hip fracture surgery<br>in older adults  | 5,000            | Ishan Chaudhari | Felisha Haak<br>Geoffry Martinson              | Ricky Turgeon |
| Experiences of Indigenous youth<br>accessing mental health care through<br>primary care and psychiatry at two<br>inner-city integrative community<br>health centres | 5,000            | Janae Dunlop    | Sarah Cochrane<br>Lyn Heinemann<br>Emily Leake | Skye Barbic   |
| Experience of Foundry clients<br>transitioning from specialized youth<br>services to adult primary care   |                  | Farzana Rayani  | Ken Harper<br>Ingrid Meyer<br>Chelsea Stratton | Karen Lecomte |

# Research Challenge 2023 – Funded Team List

| Project Title   | Funded<br>Amount | Leader                            | Members  | Mentor          |
|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------|
| Vaccination rates and barriers at St.<br>Paul's Hospital in-patient Internal<br>Medicine units  | 5,000            | Jenny Hong                        | Colin Lee<br>Leanne Leung                                      | Steve Shalansky |
| What is the experience of moderate<br>and high risk cardiac obstetrical<br>patients in the period of time<br>between hospital discharge and their<br>first postpartum cardiac<br>appointment? | 5,000            | Amy Graham                        | Jenna Rider<br>Pearl van Dijk<br>Preseedha Menon               | Karen LeComte   |
| Antenatal colostrum collection for use during the initial postpartum period   | 5,000            | Andrea Firmani                    | Charlotte Grant<br>Leeza Gellvear<br>Aneet Dhaliwal            | Sarah Coutts    |
| NurSIng Leadership of Vascular<br>Access management after invasive<br>cardiac procedures (SILVA Study)  | 5,000            | Carrie Bancroft/<br>Holly Andrews | Nahid Farjad<br>Mikaela Barker<br>Andrea Fong<br>Erin Tang     | Sandra Lauck    |
| Assessing patients' knowledge and<br>satisfaction after viewing a kidney<br>transplant educational video as part<br>of their kidney pre-transplant clinic<br>appointment                      | 5,000            | Bita Bateni<br>Erin Waters        | Linnea Young<br>Zarmeena Rajani<br>Corinne Hume                | Wayne Fritz     |
| Exploring the experiences of new<br>graduate allied health professionals<br>who participate in an interdisciplinary<br>new graduate program   | 5,000            | Meryn Sim                         | Nav Grewal<br>Angela Nierop                                    | Riley Louie     |
| Assessing the feasibility and efficacy<br>of early enrolment and education of<br>remote monitoring after implantable<br>cardioverter defibrillator implantation                               | 5,000            | Emily Murtagh                     | Sabrina Chow<br>Jessica Le<br>Jamie Cheung<br>Stephanie Gilroy | Jackie Forman   |
| The difference 4 hours makes:<br>evaluating palliative education for<br>Medicine nurses in acute care   | 5,000            | Manpreet Singh                    | Katharina Kosinski<br>Theresa Khosrovi<br>Gisella Panduri      | Rachel Carter   |
| How do perceptions and experiences<br>influence nurses' decision making<br>when encountering aggressive and/or<br>violent behaviours on medical and<br>intensive care units?                  | 5,000            | Julia Santucci                    | Zoe Mulvenna<br>Sarah Sutanto<br>Vini Bains<br>Fancy Poitras   | Harroop Sharda  |