

About St Vincent's Health Australia

St Vincent's Hospital Melbourne (SVHM) is part of St Vincent's Health Australia (SVHA), a \$2 billion not-for-profit health and aged care provider. SVHA is the 12th largest private company in the country, and the second largest healthcare provider with more than 30 facilities spanning public, private and aged care.

SVHA's 20,000 staff deliver more than one million episodes of care and 18,000 surgical procedures each year. SVHM is a member of the Public Hospitals Division, and is the largest entity within SVHA.



Research at St Vincent's Hospital Melbourne

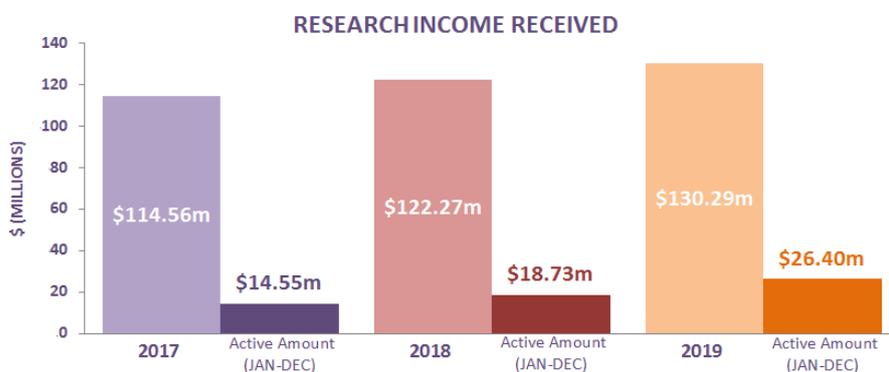


SVHM is one of five tertiary teaching hospitals in Victoria with respected clinical education and research programs. Our clinical care is supported by an inspiring and very active translational research program, with a unique focus on biomedical engineering.

The Aikenhead Centre of Medical Discovery (ACMD) will be Australia's first hospital-based biomedical engineering facility. Located at SVHM, the centre will be a hub fusing medicine, engineering, science and industry to yield a powerful economic, patient and healthcare outcomes.

For more information visit www.acmd.org.au.

Research at a glance



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Areas of strength

Oncology – breast cancer, lung cancer, sarcoma

Haematology – lymphoma, leukaemia, multiple myeloma, anaemia

Gastroenterology – viral hepatitis, NASH, hepatocellular carcinoma
inflammatory bowel disease

Neurosciences – epilepsy, Parkinson's disease, MS

Cardiology – interventional devices, cardiac failure, ischaemic heart
disease

Endocrinology – diabetes devices, complications, islet cell
transplantation

Orthopaedics – sarcoma, limb reconstruction

Respiratory – α 1 anti-trypsin deficiency

Rheumatology – systemic sclerosis, SLE, arthritis

Renal disease - chronic kidney failure

Infectious diseases / sepsis / inflammation

Psychiatry / mental health / addiction medicine

Additionally, we have the capacity to conduct all clinical trial phases
and specific expertise with medical devices.

Key Opinion Leaders

Associate Professor Sue-Anne McLachlan – Director of Oncology &
Cancer Services

Associate Professor Hang Quach – Director of Clinical Haematology

Professor Alex Thompson – Director of Gastroenterology

Professor Michael Kamm – Gastroenterologist

Professor Mark Cook – Director of Neurology

Professor Richard MacIsaac – Director of Endocrinology & Diabetes

Professor David O'Neal – Endocrinology & Diabetes Research Lead

Professor Peter Choong – Director of Orthopaedics

Professor Kumar Visvanathan – Co-Director of Immunology Research
Center

Professor Robert Whitbourn – Director of Interventional Cardiology

Research Support

Research Valet® Service: a lead site solution that provides a full HREC
submission preparation and liaison throughout the submission and
preparation process and on-going project management option.
Provides researchers a smooth start up with a highly competitive
timeline, with ethics outcome within 30 days (excluding Phase 1 trials).

Research Ethics and Governance:

NHMRC certified HREC(IRB), AEC and IBC

Credentialed to review early phase trials

Specific expertise in medical devices, drug/device, regenerative
medicine

CCRM Attract Australia: specialising in facilitating regenerative medicine research in Australia.

Research Industry

SVHM is an alliance site with **IQVIA** and **PAREXEL** and **Syneos Health** Catalyst site. SVHM is also a
preferred HREC service provider for numerous CROs, sponsors, and collaborative trial groups.

