

About St Vincent's Health Australia

St Vincent's Hospital Melbourne (SVHM) is part of the 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 along the eastern seaboard.

SVHA's 17,000 staff deliver more than one million occasions of care each year. SVHM is a member of the Public Hospitals Division, and is the largest entity within SVHA.



**ST VINCENT'S
HEALTH AUSTRALIA**

UNDER THE STEWARDSHIP OF MARY AIKENHEAD MINISTRIES

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



BOOKS
PUBLISHED

5



OTHER HIGHER
DEGREE RESEARCH

67



NHMRC AND ARC GRANTS
(JAN-DEC 2015)

\$5.78M



NUMBER OF
PHD STUDENTS

106



RESEARCH ENDOWMENT
FUNDING (REF)

\$760,000



FUNDING ACTIVE
(JAN-DEC 2015)

\$10.65M



CONFERRED
HDR

36



NUMBER OF
PUBLICATIONS

773



RESEARCH
INCOME RECEIVED

\$115.25M



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Areas of strength

Oncology / haematology – including lung cancer

Gastroenterology – hepatitis B and C, inflammatory bowel disease

Neurosciences – epilepsy, Parkinson's disease, neurosurgery

Cardiology – interventional, devices, clinical management

Endocrinology – diabetes devices, complications, islet cell transplantation

Orthopaedics – sarcoma, limb reconstruction

Respiratory – α 1 anti-trypsin deficiency

Rheumatology – systemic sclerosis, SLE, arthritis

Psychiatry / mental health / addiction medicine

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



Key Opinion Leaders

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

Associate Professor Constantine Tam – Director of Haematology

Professor Alex Thompson – Director of Gastroenterology

Professor Mark Cook – Director of Neurology

Professor Richard Maclsaac – Director of Endocrinology & Diabetes

Professor Peter Choong – Director of Orthopaedics



Research Support

Research Ethics and Governance: NHMRC certified HREC(IRB), AEC and IBC

SVHM is proud to be part of the **NHRMC's Good Practice Program**

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.



Research Industry

SVHM is an alliance site with **QuintilesIMS** and **PAREXEL** and and **INC Research** Catalyst site. SVHM is also a preferred HREC service provider for numerous CROs.