



CATALYST RESEARCH GRANTS

In support of the College of Rehabilitation Sciences' (CoRS) desire to advance the research mission of the College and foster collaboration, the Rady Faculty of Health Sciences has provided support for research projects led by CoRS researchers. Applications are adjudicated through a peer-review process and on a competitive basis. Funds are intended to support research studies that lead to the ability of the applicant(s) to apply for external funding at the conclusion of the grant. To be eligible to apply for a CoRS Catalyst Research Grant, the principal investigator must be a full-time faculty member of the College of Rehabilitation Sciences. Collaborators may be CoRS faculty members, or individuals from other areas or disciplines.

Three grants were awarded in 2016

Investigators: Ruth Barclay* (PI), Sandra Webber* and Leanne Leclair*

Project: Seasonal Participation of Community Dwelling People with Stroke

Investigators: Gayle Restall* (PI), Kerstin Roger, Emily Etcheverry* and Pumolo Roddy

Project: A Decision and Communication Aid for Workplace Disclosure by People Living with HIV

Investigators: Barbara Shay* and Marshall Pitz

Project: Electro Acupuncture for Chemotherapy Induced Peripheral Neuropathy

Two grants were awarded in 2017

Investigators: Sandra Webber* (PI), Pam Wener*, Juliette Cooper*, Shaelyn Strachan, Laura MacDonald, and Joanne Parsons*

Project: Stress and Physical Activity in Physical Therapy (MPT) and Occupational Therapy (MOT) Students as Compared to that of Students Applying to MPT and MOT Programs at the University of Manitoba

Investigators: Tony Szturm* (PI), Gina Rempel, Sanjay Parmar, and Anuprita Kanitkar

Project: Evaluation of a computer-aided, game based telerehabilitation platform for in-home therapy of hand-arm function in children with cerebral palsy

*indicates CoRS faculty researcher

