

CAIRE provides up to \$20,000 toward early career researchers to support immunization research and evaluation proposals at any stage, from vaccine discovery to implementation.

The early career researcher grants program provides important early career development support to immunization researchers and enhance their ability to compete for future research grants.

Please see the CAIRE [website](#) for more details.

Please note that:

- The application *cannot* exceed word counts specified within each section
- References can be included at end of the document and there is no limit on number of references
- Teams can provide a supplemental appendix with figures and/or tables (max 1 page)

Eligibility Requirements

I am a CAIRE member with current membership fees paid at the time of the deadline*

Yes

No

I meet the CIHR definition of an [early career researcher](#)*

Yes

No

***If you answered no to any of the above, you are not eligible for the award. Applications not fulfilling all of these criteria will not be put forward for review.**

Please note that in this application, the principal investigator (PI) must be listed as the main applicant and assumes the central role in the project. Up to five co-applicants and/or collaborators are allowed, each expected to actively contribute to project objectives.

Applicant Information

Applicant Title:	
Applicant Name:	
Applicant Email:	
Phone Number:	
Full mailing address:	
Institution/ University:	
Co-investigator(s) with affiliation (maximum five):	

Project Title (maximum 30 words):

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Project Details

Lay Summary (maximum 500 words):

How the project aligns with CAIRE's objectives (maximum 500 words):

Supporting Documentation

To include with application.

Project description

- Including background, aims and objectives, methods, timeline (including proposed start date), budget (in CAD), plans to secure future funding (if relevant to project), ethics, feasibility, expected outcome and impact, KT plan, EDI considerations.
- **Maximum three pages:** applications exceeding this limit will not be considered.

Letters of Support

You should include up to two letters of support (one page maximum per letter) – please note the relevant evaluation criteria for more guidance regarding content. The letters of support should include statements on (1) your record of accomplishment and potential for research excellence, and (2) the proposed project, highlighting its value, novelty, and significance.

Applicants should also submit an institutional letter (one page maximum) from their department head confirming their status as an ECR.

Curriculum Vitae

Please attach your CV ([CCV CIHR Biosketch](#)).

Applicant signature:
Date:

PLEASE EMAIL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS BY MAY 22, 2024 TO CAIRE@BCCHR.CA.