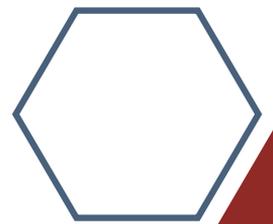




# Cardiovascular Health Mission

Medical Research Future Fund  
Snapshot 2019–20 to 2020–21



Theme  
**Research missions**



## Goal

To make transformative improvements in heart health, vascular health and stroke for all Australians



## Budget

Total Budget allocation  
(as at Budget 2019–20)

## \$200 million

over 10 years

\$20 million budgeted in  
2028–29, bringing the total to  
\$220 million

Total committed = Nil  
Grant rounds in progress = Nil  
Not yet allocated = \$200 million

	2019–20 (\$m)	2020–21 (\$m)	2021–22 (\$m)	2022–23 (\$m)
Budget	23.0	24.0	24.0	24.0
Committed	–	–	–	–
Grant rounds in progress	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Not yet allocated	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0

## Funding timeline



See [GrantConnect](#) for specific grant dates

Grant process: Open and competitive

## Early funding priorities

- Improving outcomes in women with coronary artery disease and heart attack
- Improving access and effectiveness of cardiac rehabilitation for all Australians

## Current or completed activity

- \$20 million from 2019–20 to 2023–24 for research focusing on congenital heart disease



## Delivery horizons

### Establish 2018–19 to 2019–20

- Established expert advisory panel
- Develop roadmap to inform funding priorities

### Expand 2020–21 to 2023–24

- Increase scale and maturity of research sector
- Improve industry engagement and investment
- Strengthen economic activity in biomedical sector
- Improve access for all Australians to best preventive management or treatment

### Embed 2024–25 to 2027–28

- Develop innovative methods to detect disease early and develop targeted therapies
- Develop a cardiovascular research commercialisation hub
- Better predict recovery outcomes after a cardiac event or stroke
- Develop state-of-the-art technology and platforms for collaborative research
- Translate new discoveries and innovations to the clinic through drugs, biomarkers and devices

## Measures of success

Precision medicine is embedded in clinical practice

The community accepts and adopts new technologies and treatments

Clinicians adopt best practices more quickly

Increased focus of research on areas of unmet need

New health technologies and treatments are developed and trialled

Increased commercialisation of health research outcomes

More Australians access clinical trials

Research community has greater capacity and capability to undertake translational research