Congratulations to 2023 Killam Awardees:

Drs. Nicole Culos-Reed, Melanie Noel, Shelly Russell-Mayhew, Perri Tutelman, Meaghan Perdue and Ms. Lana Wells. Read more

NATIONAL AWARD WINNER
Congratulations to Greta Heathcote, Child Health and Wellness collaborator and family research partner, who recently won the best oral talk at the Kids Brain Health Network in Ottawa! She presented with Dr. Sarah MacEachern about the Family Engagement in Research Course that was funded partly by the Azrieli Foundation. The course guide team included Stephanie Howe (PhD student supervised by Dr. Carly McMorris) and Seonghwi Bang (Research Manager for Dr. David Nicholas).

NEW MEMBERS AND COLLABORATORS

We are pleased to welcome our newest Child Health and Wellness members and collaborators:

**Katherine Bright**, Maternal & Child Health Program; Adjunct Clinical Professor, Faculty of Nursing

**Leah Foster**, Child Brain & Mental Health Program; Adjunct - Clinical Associate, Faculty of Nursing

**Mea Wang**, Child Health Data Science Program; Professor, Department of Computer Science

**Diwakar Krishnamurthy**, Child Health Data Science Program; Professor, Schulich School of Engineering

**Anshul Jadli**, Precision Medicine & Disease Mechanisms Program; Research Associate, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

**Dori-Ann Martin**, Care Transformation for Children Program; Clinical Research Coordinator, Alberta Children’s Hospital

**Nikki Stephenson**, Maternal & Child Health Program; Epidemiologist, Department of Obstetrics & Gynaecology

**Anna-Maria Ciorogariu-Ivan**, Maternal & Child Health Program; Clinical Research Assistant, Department of Paediatrics

**Ashton Chugh**, Care Transformation for Children Program, Research Support Specialist, Department of Pediatrics
We are thrilled to announce that **Dr. Susa Benseler** and **Dr. Jennifer Zwicker** made Canada's 100 Most Powerful Women list. **Congratulations!**

**RECOGNITIONS**

One of the One Child Every Child investigators **Michelle Asbury** (Dr. Marie-Claire Arietta’s lab) was recognized in **Elle Canada**.

Congratulations to International Society for Quality of Life Research President's Award Recipient: **Dr. Maria Santana**. **Read more**

Sending congratulations to **Dr. Katie Birnie** who has been selected as the finalist for the 34th ASTech Awards have been selected. **Read more**

2023 Killam Postdoctoral Scholars awarded **prestigious fellowships** to pursue novel research programs that focus on health of pre-term babies and childhood cancer survivors.

**NEW STAFF**
We are pleased to welcome Vanessa Bélanger-Marceau who has recently joined the ACHRI team as an Awards Advisor, and will be supporting Julia Klenin-MacLock. Vanessa has several years of experience in academic advising. She recently moved from Montreal, and used to be an international short track speed skating athlete. She enjoys travelling and cooking. Welcome to the team, Vanessa!

ETHICS AGREEMENT

The Office of the Vice-President (Research) is excited to announce the official Reciprocity Agreement for Research Ethics Review. This agreement is shared between the following institutions, for both health and non-health multi-site studies: University of Alberta, University of British Columbia, University of Calgary and University of Saskatchewan.

This inter-provincial agreement for western Canada will support the common goals of protecting human participants in research, promoting the excellent conduct of research, facilitating inter-party research through collaboration, and accelerating research by reducing barriers to its implementation. Learn more

THE ART OF THE NUDGE

A team of researchers led by Associate Professor Lana Wells in the University of Calgary's Faculty of Social Work is drawing on principles of nudge theory to enhance gender equity in male-dominated workplaces, including a collaborative pilot with the Calgary Police Service. Read more

PUBLICATIONS

Relationship Between Neonatal Brain Injury and Objective Measures of Head Trauma: A Case-Control Study
Mary Dunbar, Abbey Norris, Brandon T Craig, Kathleen Chaput, Khorshid Mohammad, Lauran Cole, Michael J. Esser, Aaron Caughey, Helen Carlson, Adam Kirton

We Aren’t Meant to Go Through the Hardest Parts of Our Lives Alone*: Family Experience With Restricted PICU Presence During the COVID-19 Pandemic
Laurie A. Lee, Jennifer R. Foster, Dejana Nikitovic, Daniel Garros, Molly J. Ryan, et al.

ONE CHILD EVERY CHILD NEWS
On October 27, 2023 in Ottawa, our One Child Every Child partner - Inspiring Healthy Futures (IHF) – convened over 100 participants in person and online to have meaningful conversations and truly galvanize ideas for a better future for children and youth in Canada.

A special thanks to the youth representatives from the Cumming School of Medicine and the UCalgary Patient and Community Engagement Research (PaCER) program who attended: Blessing Adeagbo, Olejuru Anozie, Katelyn Greer, Morgan Harris and Alejandra Van Dusen. Their voices, experiences and expertise helped shape the dialogue around key opportunities for change, advocacy, and action in child health.

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL

One Child Every Child is on Instagram and LinkedIn! You can learn more about what our researchers, themes and accelerators are up to by staying in the loop on social. If a post resonates with you, please consider sharing it with your broader audience so that we can grow our platform and bring awareness to the fantastic work our teams are doing.
BASECAMP REGISTRATION

Want to get updates on all things One Child Every Child? Filling in this webform allows you to join the network through Basecamp, our online collaboration platform. Building something this big takes time, and we are grateful for your input.

Please note: If you identify as an Indigenous researcher, please also reach out to Dr. Michael Hart at michael.hart@ucalgary.ca.

ACHRI TRAINEES & POSTDOCS

EVENTS

Want to increase your (research) impact through research leadership and volunteering? Want to engage more with patients and the public but are not sure where to start? Hear stories from postdocs on how they engage with research, patient, or public community.

**Friday, November 24, 2023, 1:30 - 3 pm (sign up required)**

Health Science Building (Foothills Campus)

ACHRITA JOURNAL CLUB & RIP SEMINARS

ACHRI Trainees and Postdocs are invited:

**Journal clubs** are engaging platforms where trainees come together to explore and discuss the latest research and developments in the various areas of child and maternal health and development. For detailed information and to sign up for journal club sessions, please visit our website [here](#).

**Research-In-Progress** seminars are scheduled for the first Tuesday of each month. The venue alternates between the Health Sciences Center and Alberta Children's Hospital. Showcase your research, [sign up here](#).

Questions? Contact ACHRITA@ucalgary.ca or visit [webpage](#).

TRAINEE REGISTRATION

**ACHRI supervisors**: Please encourage your trainees to [register](#) to the ACHRI Trainee Registration in order to receive the newsletter, updates and access to funding and workshops.

[View trainee awards and competitions](#)

Questions? Email Julia Klenin-MacLock (jklenin@ucalgary.ca)

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
Society of Rural Physicians of Canada: National Advanced Skills and Training Program for Rural Practice
The Goal of the program is to increase opportunities for access to training by providing support/funding for practicing rural physicians, including international medical graduates and those in their first year of practice, to increase their skill sets based on the needs of rural, remote, and Indigenous communities.
Deadline: Training must be completed by Friday, March 15, 2024
Details

EVENTS AND SEMINARS

Candy Cane Gala is the family-friendly, black-tie party of the year. Join this holiday celebration filled with dining, dancing and boundless entertainment for all ages.
Friday, December 1, 2023
Reserve your table

Hybrid Paediatric Grand Rounds
Workplace Based Assessment: EPAs are good for everyone!
Wednesday, November 22, 2023
8:30 - 9:30 am
Register

Calgary Adapted Hub Seminar Series: In Memory of Eli Wolff
Promoting Physical Activity and Health in Children with Disabilities Through Schools: The Inclusion Spectrum Framework
Tuesday, November 28, 2023
12 - 1 pm
Register

Children's Healthcare Canada
Flip the Script: High Performing Health Systems for Kids!
Sunday, December 3 - Tuesday, December 5, 2023
Vancouver, BC
Details

Child Health and Wellness Seminar: Novel immune cell-based therapy for leukemia treatment
Dr. Lee will discuss his on-going efforts to utilize a rare subpopulation of immune cells, termed double-negative T cells, to develop an immune cell-based therapy for leukemia patients that is safe, effective and accessible.
Monday, December 4, 2023
8:30 - 9:30 am
Register for Zoom access
Owerko Centre Neurodevelopmental Clinical Rounds: Detangling Obsessive Compulsive Disorder and Autism Spectrum Disorder
Dr. Iliana Ortega, MD, FRCPC
Wednesday, December 6, 2023
12 - 1 pm
Attend online or in person: Child Development Centre, main floor boardroom.
Refreshments will be available.
Register

2023 ACHRI Research Retreat: One Child Every Child
Thursday, December 7 - Friday, December 8
Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity
View Program

Postdoc Coffee Afternoon
Join us for a great opportunity to connect with fellow postdocs and enjoy a casual coffee conversation. Feel free to drop in and stay for as little or as long as your schedule allows.
Wednesday, November 22, 2023
ACH Conference Room 13
See attached poster for details and register here.

Postdoc Holiday Social
Join us for hot chocolate, cookies, and great conversations. Additionally, postdocs will share some of their research leadership and volunteering experiences.
November 24, 2023
HSC O1500, Foothills Campus
Register to attend here.

Mark your calendars!

Join the Alberta Children's Hospital Foundation for radio’s most heartwarming three days of the year. From February 7 - 9, 2024 the Country 105 Caring for Kids Radiothon will take place.
Encourage your friends and family to tune in!

For all events visit the ACHRI calendar.

SEND US YOUR NEWS!