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2026 ACHRI Catalyst Competition

Please be advised of the deadlines and submit your application accordingly.

Application name

General Information for the 2026 ACHRI Catalyst Competition:

Value:

- Seedling Projects may request up to $75,000
- Branch Projects may request up to $150,000
- Duration: 2 years maximum

Funds available:

- A minimum of $600,000 is available for this competition
  - at least one award is reserved for Nursing and/or Allied Health-driven research

LOI Deadline: June 8, 12:00 pm MT

Please review the full guidelines on the ACHRI website.

Eligibility

Nominated Principal Applicants must be ACHRI members with an academic appointment; priority will be given to early- or mid-career researchers (i.e. Assistant or Associate Professor or equivalent, inclusive of Adjunct faculty members). Proposals must include a minimum of 2 applicants who are independent researchers.

Full applications will be by invitation only.

☐ I confirm that I meet the eligibility criteria for this grant.

Name of Nominated Principal Applicant

Email Address of Nominated Principal Applicant

Nominated Principal Applicant CV *(short format preferred)*

Principal Applicant Career Stage

○ ECR (Assistant Professor or equivalent)

○ Mid-Career Researcher (Associate Professor or equivalent)

ACHRI Program Affiliation:

- ☐ Care Transformation for Children
- ☐ Child Brain & Mental Health
- ☐ Child Health Data Science
- ☐ Childhood Cancer & Blood Disorders
- ☐ Healthy Children, Families & Communities
- ☐ Maternal & Child Health
- ☐ Precision Medicine & Disease Mechanisms

Name of Co-Applicant

Co-Applicant Career Stage

- ○ ECR (Assistant Professor or equivalent)
- ○ Mid-Career Researcher (Associate Professor or equivalent)

Additional Team Members (optional)

	Name of Proposed Team Member	Affiliation/ Role	Confirmed or Tentative
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Project Information: *Please address the questions below in the word limits provided. Refer to the review criteria listed in the terms of reference to ensure responses provide the required detail.*

Project Title

Purpose Statement and Rationale 500 words

Project Objectives 500 words

Anticipated Impact 500 words

Please select the Funding Stream you are applying for:

- ○ Branch ($150K max)
- ○ Seedling ($75K max)

Keywords

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Provide up to 5 keywords to describe the topic are and/or disciplines that will be covered in your proposal.

Does this project involve Nursing and/or Allied Health-driven research?

◯ Yes

◯ No

Suggested Reviewers (optional)

	Reviewer Name	Affiliation	Email Address
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Questions?

Please email achri.awards@ucalgary.ca under the subject heading "ACHRI Catalyst Competition"

ATTESTATION

☐ The applicant certifies that all information provided in this form is true and complete. By submitting this form, the applicant acknowledges and agrees to abide by the rules and regulations outlined in the applicable grant guidelines.

☐ The applicant will click "Submit application" at the bottom of this page before leaving the platform. Clicking "Save and close" will not finalize the application and it will remain "in progress".