# **2024 Investigator Grants**

**Outcomes Snapshot** 



BUILDING A HEALTHY AUSTRALIA



1666
Applications received



250 Grants awarded



13.8% Funded rate



Provide Australia's highest-performing researchers at all career stages with a salary and a research support package.

To form collaborations and pursue important research directions as they arise.



Create opportunities for researchers at all career stages to establish their own research programs.

\$412,812,274

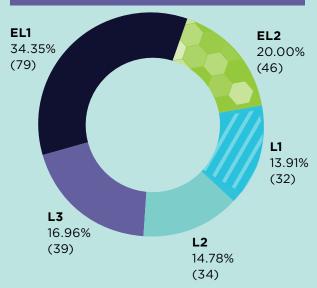
Total budget

**\$1,794,836**Mean budget

### **SUBMITTED APPLICATIONS**



### PROPORTION OF GRANTS AWARDED



#### **FUNDED APPLICATIONS BY GENDER\***



\*Excludes applicants who did not state their gender or select 'Non-binary', 'I use a different term' or 'Prefer not to answer'.



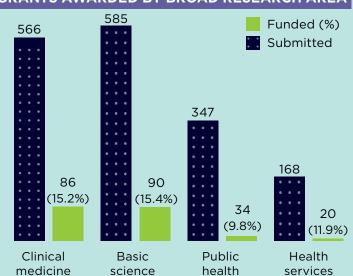
Women received:

**54.78**%

**52.34%** Investigator funding

and science

### **GRANTS AWARDED BY BROAD RESEARCH AREA**



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### ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER HEALTH RESEARCH

NHMRC remains committed to supporting the highest quality research that drives improvements in health outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and communities



90% Funded rate of researchers



**\$27.2m**Overall spending or focused research



21.9%
Funded rate of focused research applications

### TOP RESEARCH AREAS OF APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED\*

#### Clinical sciences

189

Health services and systems

139

Public health

136

Neurosciences

113

Biochemistry and cell biology

102

Epidemiology

89

### **TOP GRANTS AWARDED\***

Clinical sciences

27

Public health

20

Immunology

17

Biochemistry and cell biology

16

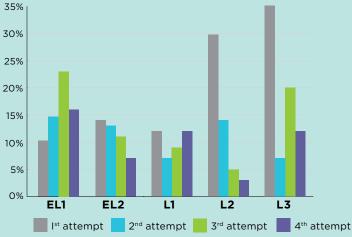
Genetics

15

Oncology and carcinogenesis

13

### APPLICATION ATTEMPTS BEFORE FUNDING\*



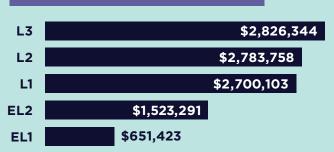
\*data includes applications from 2021-2024 only; earlier attempts are not shown

### SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS BY YEARS POST PHD EXPERIENCE



GRANTS AWARDED BY GENDER

#### **MEAN BUDGET ACROSS LEVELS**





<sup>\*</sup> data based on the Field of Research with the highest percentage provided by applicants in the 2024 Investigator Grant round application form