

NMRC Awarded Projects Talent Development - January 2024 Grant Calls

Singapore Translational Research Investigator Award (STaR) 24 January Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
STaR24jan-0004	MOH-001633	T cell receptor mediated immune therapy in chronic	Antonio Bertoletti	Duke-NUS Medical School
		hepatitis B and hepatocellularcarcinoma		
STaR24jan-0005	MOH-001634	Elucidating the pathogenic mechanism and evaluate	Gemmy Cheung	Singapore Eye Research Institute
		management strategies of 'Pachychoroid disease		
		spectrum'		

Clinician Scientist Award - Senior Investigator (CSASI) 24 January Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
CSASI24jan-0003	MOH-001629	Insights into the Pathobiology of Cerebral White	Nagaendran Kandiah	Nanyang Technological University
		Matter Disease in Mild Cognitive Impairment and		
		Prevention Strategies with Pharmacological and		
		Digital-Artificial Intelligence		
CSASI24jan-0007	MOH-001630	Antenatal Myo-inositol supplementation in pre-	Chan Shiao Yng	National University of Singapore
		existing diabetes to promote healthy neonatal		
		outcomes (AMulet study)		
CSASI24jan-0008	MOH-001568	Elucidating the evolutionary drivers of resistance to	Daniel Tan Shao Weng	National Cancer Centre Singapore
		kinase inhibitors		

Clinician Scientist Award - Investigator (CSAINV) 24 January Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
CSAINV24jan-0001	MOH-001632	Risk Factors for Structural and Functional Losses	Rachel Chong Shujuan	Singapore Eye Research Institute
		Associated with Myopia-Associated Optic Neuropathy	,	
CSAINV24jan-0002	MOH-001631	Dissecting the role of immune-endothelial	Mark Dhinesh Muthiah	National University Hospital
•		interactions and portal hypertension in driving		, .
		patients with metabolic dysfunction-associated		
		steatohepatitis (MASH) advanced fibrosis to		
		decompensated cirrhosis		
CSAINV24jan-0005	MOH-001569	Heart-Brain Connection for Vascular and Cognitive	Dong Yanhong	National University of Singapore
		Health		



HPHSR Clinician Scientist Award - Senior Investigator (HCSASI) 24 January Grant Call

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HPHSR Clinician Scientist Award - Investigator (HCSAINV) 24 January Grant Call

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HCSAINV24jan-0001	-	Direct Admission from Primary Care to Hospital-at-	Stephanie Ko Qianwen	National University Hospital
		Home: An Implementation Evaluation		
HCSAINV24jan-0003	-	Dose-response Effect of Community Dance	Wu Xi Vivien	National University of Singapore
		Programme on the Physical, Cognitive, Psychosocial		
		Health of Pre-frail Older Adults: A Cluster Randomised		
		Trial with Co-design Approach and Process Evaluation		
HCSAINV24jan-0005	-	Bringing about Optimal weight loss Outcomes	Sabrina Wong Kay Wye	National Healthcare Group Polyclinics
		through dietary and weight management Support		
		driven by generative artificial intelligence Technology		
		(BOOST-AI): A pragmatic randomised controlled study		
		in type 2 diabetes		

Clinician Innovator Award - Senior Investigator (CIASI) 24 January Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
CIACIZATION 0001		Longitudinal exploration of Extracardiac Adipose	tracardiac Adipose	National Heart Contro Singanoro
CIASI24jan-0001	-	tissue and coronary Plaque (LEAP)	Zhong Liang	National Heart Centre Singapore

Clinician Innovator Award - Investigator (CIAINV) 24 January Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
CIAINV24jan-0001		A Novel Device to Regulate Drainage of Cerebrospinal Fluid (CSF) from External Ventricular Drain	Ling Ji Min	National Neuroscience Institute
CIAINV24jan-0003		Optimising and assessing electrical stimulation of the Optic nerve in comparison with visual stimulation for diagnostic and monitoring of ocular disease – the AESON Study	Lim Pin Miao Fiona	Singapore National Eye Centre
CIAINV24jan-0004		Developing a renal detection system for early and accurate detection of silent kidney injury in obesity using shear wave elastography (ReELASTO study)	Clara Ngoh Lee Ying	National University Hospital



Transition Award (TA) 24 January Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
TA24jan-0008	MOH-001513	INdividualized proFiling Of Recurrence risk using	Saw Pei Li Stephanie	National Cancer Centre Singapore
		Multiomics for EGFR-mutated non-small cell lung		
		cancer (INFORM-EGFR)		
TA24jan-0007	MOH-001579	Evaluating a screening instrument for the early	Aishworiya Ramkumar	National University Hospital
		identification of autism spectrum disorder among		
		young children in Singapore		
TA24jan-0006	MOH-001527	Defining innate immune drivers of T cell responses to	Zhong Youjia	National University of Singapore
		mRNA vaccination in children		
TA24jan-0010	MOH-001566	From Nonalcoholic Steatohepatitis to Hepatocellular	Huang Qing Yao Daniel	National University Hospital
		Carcinoma: Investigating the Molecular Mechanisms		
		for Biomarker Development and Therapeutic Insights		
TA24jan-0009	MOH-001541	IMMUNe-mediated diseases: Epigenetic PRediction,	Tay Sen Hee Frank	National University Hospital
		biomarker Identification and Novel Therapeutics		
		(IMMUNEPRINT)		
TA24jan-0002	MOH-001537	Associations of metabolic indicators and circadian	Loy See Ling	KK Women's and Children's Hospital
		behaviour changes with reproductive outcomes in		
		overweight and obese women who are trying to		
		conceive		



NMRC Research Training Fellowship (Fellowship) 24 January Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
RTF24jan-0005	-	Advancing precision neuromodulation through	Mervyn Lim Jun Rui	National University Hospital
		individualised brain maps using functional		
		connectivity and in-vivo electrophysiology		
RTF24jan-0012	-	HArnessing the MicrObiome to improve therapeutic	Joycelyn Lee Jie Xin	National Cancer Centre Singapore
		outcomes in caNcer patients receiving		
		immunotherapY (HARMONY)		
RTF24jan-0002	-	A Comprehensive Assessment of Lipoprotein(a)	Loh Wann Jia	Changi General Hospital
		[Lp(a)] in Cardiovascular Risk Prediction,		
		Management, and Detection – to facilitate the		
		formulation of a model of care for Lp(a).		
RTF24jan-0008	-	Application of Artificial Intelligence to Improve Patient	Li Weiling Sarah	National University Hospital
		Care and Resource Allocation in Obstetric Medicine		
RTF24jan-0022	-	Optimizing Preoperative Screening and Intervention	Roderica Ng	Singapore General Hospital
		Strategies for Glycemic Control in Surgical Patients: A		
		Comprehensive Analysis for Enhanced Population		
		Health		
RTF24jan-0007	-	Utilising Electronic Health Records Data to Determine	Tay Rong Hao John	National Dental Centre Singapore
		Periodontitis Treatment Trajectories in People		
		Suffering from Severe Periodontitis and Its		
		Association with Systemic Multimorbidity Clustering		
RTF24jan-0003	-	Developing methods to reduce functional loss in	Azizah Binte Mohamed Afif	Singapore General Hospital
		Transplant kidney: using non-invasive Shear Wave		
		Elastography as a predictive tool		
RTF24jan-0006	-	Evaluating the clinical applicability of flow-mediated	Chee Ying Jie	Tan Tock Seng Hospital
		dilation of the brachial artery as a marker of		
		endothelial function		
RTF24jan-0010	-	Identifying laboratory biomarkers and microbiological	Lim Sheng Jie Christen	National Neuroscience Institute
		correlates that prognosticate and monitor the clinical		
		course of Guillain-Barré Syndrome		
RTF24jan-0013	-	Longitudinal analysis of non-motor symptoms in	Hoe Hui Min Rebecca	National Neuroscience Institute
		Parkinson's disease		
RTF24jan-0020	-	Utility of DNA Methylation Markers in Biliary Brush	Lim Kim Wei	Singapore General Hospital
		Cytology and Bile Sample in Malignant Biliary Stricture		
RTF24jan-0017	-	SB: Singapore Biodesign Innovation Fellowship	Fan Bingwen Eugene	Tan Tock Seng Hospital
		Training Programme		
RTF24jan-0023	-	SB: Singapore Biodesign Innovation Fellowship	Lim Shi Zhong Nigel	Ng Teng Fong General Hospital
		Training Programme		
RTF24jan-0024	-	SB: Singapore Biodesign Innovation Fellowship	Clement Chia Luck Khng	Khoo Teck Puat Hospital
		Training Programme		