

NMRC Awarded Projects Talent Development - July 2022 Grant Calls

Singapore Translational Research Investigator Award (STaR) 22 July Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
STaR22jul-0001	MOH-001271	Defining how dengue virus "makes haste slowly" to	Ooi Eng Eong	Duke-NUS Medical School
		enable a rational approach for engineering new live		
		attenuated vaccine candidates		
STaR22jul-0004	MOH-001266	Preclinical Intrauterine Nanoparticle-based Gene	Chan Kok Yen Jerry	KK Women's & Children's Hospital
		Editing for Genetic Diseases		

Clinician Scientist Award - Senior Investigator (CSASI) 22 July Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
CSASI22jul-0002	MOH-001283	Transforming Population Eye Health Research (Transformer) Program: From Data and Algorithms to Precision Health	Cheng Ching-Yu	Singapore Eye Research Institute
CSASI22jul-0003	MOH-001284	Characterizing the immune microenvironment to inform stratified immunotherapeutic approaches in MSS metastatic Colorectal cancer (MSS-mCRC)	lain Tan Bee Huat	National Cancer Centre Singapore
CSASI22jul-0005	MOH-001270	The SenseHealth Research Programme: Untangling the complex relationship between the severity/laterality of age-related sensory decline, and frailty in elderly Singaporeans through novel risk factors, non-invasive biomarkers, patient-centred impact, and potential intervention targets to improve frailty outcomes.		Singapore Eye Research Institute

Clinician Scientist Award - Investigator (CSAINV) 22 July Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
CSAINV22jul-0007	MOH-001285	Paracrine factors and their inhibitors: A novel		National Cancer Centre Singapore
		therapeutic strategy for peritoneal carcinomatosis	Ong Chin-Ann Johnny	
CSAINV22jul-0014	MOH-001286	Eradicating minimal residual disease using "off the		Singapore General Hospital
		shelf" Natural Killer (NK) cells for advanced	Lim Chwee Ming	
		nasopharyngeal cancer		
CSAINV22jul-0013	MOH-001287	Developing Individualised Bacteriophage-Antibiotic		Singapore General Hospital
		Combinations for Difficult-to-treat Bacterial	Andrea Kwa Lay Hoon	
		Infections		
CSAINV22jul-0003	MOH-001288	Explainable Artificial Intelligence for Glaucoma	Jacqueline Chua	Singapore Eye Research Institute
		Detection		
CSAINV22jul-0004	MOH-001289	Programme for Ocular Inflammation & Infection	Rupesh Agrawal	Tan Tock Seng Hospital
		Translational Research (PROTON)		



CSAINV22jul-0015	MOH-001290	The Singapore Platform for Controlled Human	Barnaby Edward Young	Tan Tock Seng Hospital
		Infections with SARS-CoV-2 ('Sing-CoV')		
CSAINV22jul-0008	MOH-001291	High-Dimensional Approach to Understanding	Yeo Joo Guan	KK Women's & Children's Hospital
		Immune Dysregulation in Lupus Towards Novel		
		Therapy		
CSAINV22jul-0009	MOH-001293	Evidence-based lifestyle interventions for the delay o	Lei Feng	National University of Singapore
		cognitive decline among older Singaporeans: cohort		
		study and randomized controlled trial		
CSAINV22jul-0016	MOH-001292	Precision Medicine PDOX (Patient-derived orthotopic	Teo Wan-Yee	KK Women's & Children's Hospital
		xenograft) Modelling of Brain Tumor		
		Microenvironment in Craniospinal-Metastasizing		
		Brain Germinoma Phenotypes for Preclinical Testing		
		(PreClsionMOdELS 1.0)		
CSAINV22jul-0010	MOH-001301	Different strokes for different folks - Leveraging on	Angela Chow	Tan Tock Seng Hospital
		community social networks for public health		
		education on antibiotic use and antimicrobial		
		resistance		
CSAINV22jul-0002	MOH-001233	Singapore Primary Angle Closure Evaluation and	Monisha Esther Nongpiur	Singapore Eye Research Institute
		Diagnostics (SPACED) study		

HPHSR Clinician Scientist Award - Senior Investigator (HCSASI) 22 July Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
HCSASI22jul-0001	MOH-001261	Supporting at-risk Mothers across perinatal period: A	Shefaly Shorey	National University of Singapore
		Randomized controlled Trial (SMART)		
HCSASI22jul-0004	MOH-001204	23hr laparoscopic colectomy: From dream to reality?	Tan Ker Kan	National University of Singapore
		A step wise approach.		

HPHSR Clinician Scientist Award - Investigator (HCSAINV) 22 July Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
HCSAINV22jul-0001	MOH-001276	Evaluating the REal-World PAtient-ReporteD and	Ryan Man	Singapore Eye Research Institute
		Economic Impact of Combined PHACO-MIGS Surgery		
		(REWARD)		
HCSAINV22jul-0002	MOH-001308	Impact of Machine Learning-based Clinician Decision	Hairil Rizal bin Abdullah	Singapore General Hospital
		Support Algorithms in Perioperative Care - A		
		Randomized Control Trial (IMAGINATIVE Trial)		
HCSAINV22jul-0004	MOH-001303	Giving the right treatment for the right patient. To	Melissa Ooi Gaik Ming	National University Hospital
		define frailty in elderly cancer patients and to		
		understand their preferences for care		
HCSAINV22jul-0005	MOH-001304	Urban care farming on living well and productive	Chen Huijun Cynthia	National University of Singapore
		engagement of older adults		



Clinician Innovator Award (CIA) 22 July Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
CIAINV22jul-0003	MOH-001278	First-In-Human Feasibility Study For A Colonic Endoscopic Intraluminal Support Structure (CEISS) In Colonic Polypectomy	Kaan Hung Leng	National University Hospital
CIAINV22jul-0002	МОН-001279	Point-of-care Nocturia Evaluation - Improving the diagnosis and treatment of nocturia	Yong Jin	Singapore General Hospital

Transition Award (TA) 22 July Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
TA22jul-0001	MOH-001275	Fungal sensitization as a potential contributing factor	Tiew Pei Yee	Singapore General Hospital
		to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)		
		deterioration		
TA22jul-0002	MOH-001274	The Role of Novel Auto-Antibodies in Idiopathic Small	Amanda Chee Yun Chan	National University of Singapore
		Fiber Neuropathy		
TA22jul-0003	MOH-001272	Nanoparticle-assisted antisense oligonucleotide	Bin Xiao	National Neuroscience Institute
		targeting Parkin as potential therapeutics for		
		Parkinson's disease		
TA22jul-0005	MOH-001273	Precision BRAin COnnectivity Profiling of Learning	Ai Peng Tan	National University of Singapore
		Difficulties (BRACO-LD)		
TA22jul-0012	MOH-001297	Using sensors to detect mild cognitive impairment,	Iris Rawtaer	Sengkang General Hospital
		early dementia and frailty among older adults living		
		in the community: A proactive approach for healthy		
		ageing		

NMRC Research Training Fellowship (Fellowship) 22 July Grant Call

Application ID	Project ID	Project Title	PI name	Host institution
RTF22jul-0001	MOH-001295	Prefrontal cortical activity, impulsivity, and executive	Teh Wen Lin	Institute of Mental Health
		function in bipolar disorder: a functional near-		
		infrared spectroscopy (fnirs) study		
RTF22jul-0003	MOH-001294	Developing molecular biomarkers for dementia	Fong Sheng	Singapore General Hospital
		staging in a Singapore cohort of geriatric patients		
RTF22jul-0006	MOH-001313	Evaluating the Role of Tumor-Associated	Widanalage Sanjay Prasad de Mel	National University Hospital
		Macrophages in the Response to Anti-CD38		
		Monoclonal Antibody Therapy in Multiple Myeloma		
RTF22jul-0008	MOH-001300	A study of epidemiological trends, transcriptomic and	Chen Hui Lionel Raphael	Singapore General Hospital
		immunological profiles of early-onset colorectal		
		cancer in Singapore		
RTF22jul-0009	MOH-001307	Engineered extracellular vesicles for enhanced bone	Kumaran Rasappan	National University Hospital
		regeneration		



RTF22jul-0010	-	Immunosenescence and mechanisms of attenuated	Vanda Ho	National University Hospital
		vaccine response to SARS-CoV-2 in older adults		
RTF22jul-0013	-	Evaluating a novel locoregional immune-modulator	Chia Kai Ann, Daryl	National University Hospital
		in an immune-resistant mouse model of peritoneal		
		metastasis		
RTF22jul-0014	MOH-001298	Sequencing for pathogens in patients with suspected	Goh Yihui	National University Hospital
		central nervous system infections		
RTF22jul-0019	MOH-001299	Decoding ischemic stroke mechanisms through a	JING MINGXUE	National University Hospital
		detailed analysis of the microstructure and		
		composition of retrieved blood clots		
RTF22jul-0020	MOH-001305	Inflammation, metabolism and body composition as	Justin Chew	Tan Tock Seng Hospital
		physiological markers of homeostatic capacity in a		
		'vitality index' of ageing: a study of the vitality		
		domain of intrinsic capacity and its impact on frailty,		
		activity levels and life-space mobility		
RTF22jul-0021	MOH-001310	A pilot study on feasibility and efficacy of modified	Tan Chin Kimg	Changi General Hospital
		Crohn's disease exclusion diet in Asian adults with		
		Crohn's disease		
RTF22jul-0022	MOH-001302	Duke-NUS Medical School Master of International	Mark Koh Jean Aan	KK Women's & Children's Hospital
		Translational Medicine Degree		