

Strategic Research Plan—Executive Summary

Critical Care Strategic Clinical Network

VISION



Provincial
excellence and
leadership in
research

MISSION



To provide the best
care for critically ill
patients through
research and
innovation

VALUES



Excellence, Integrity,
Diversity,
Collaboration and
Innovation

Goal 1:
Build capacity for
research

OUR GOALS

Goal 2:
Create new
knowledge

Goal 3:
Translate
knowledge into
better patient
care

Goal 1: Build capacity for research

Examples of what we do:

1. Quarterly province-wide interdisciplinary critical care medicine research meetings
2. New Investigator Seed Grants (**12 were awarded between 2014-2017; \$233,000**)
3. CCSCN-CCCTG Fellowship Competition (**1 awarded in 2014; \$50,000**)
4. CCSCN-ASICP Trainee Competition (**33 trainees; 5 awards between 2014-2017; \$2,500**)

Goal 2: Create new knowledge

Examples of what we do:

Facilitate and conduct research in all 4 pillars of health research.

- * **17 partnered research projects**, which represents **11 different PIs** (new and established investigators) and over **\$5.2 million in funds**, since 2014.
- * **55** Peer reviewed publications and another **20** manuscripts are under review or have been accepted for publication in the 2015-2017 period.

Goal 3: Translate knowledge into better patient care

Examples of what we do:

1. Engage frontline providers and stakeholders across SCNs in the translation of science into patient care.
2. Facilitate implementation and evaluation of best practices in Critical Care Medicine in Alberta.

FEEDBACK

We are seeking feedback on the development of our strategic goals. We'd like to:

- Confirm these are our goals;
- Define how these goals should be implemented/how they should be used to guide our work; and
- Identify ways to both improve (if necessary) and measure (evaluate) these goals.