

MARC on the Record

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MARC

Melbourne
Ageing Research
Collaboration

A unique collaboration of health, research, aged care and advocacy organisations working together to improve the lives of older people.

OUR AIM

To provide innovative and practical solutions to the most urgent issues affecting older people, their carers, health professionals and the broader community and to use evidence to inform policy and program development in government, health services, aged care services and industry stakeholders.

OUR VISION

That older people receive the best possible care and support through services, programs and policies which support health and an optimal quality of life.

OUR MISSION

To improve the lives of older people by rapidly translating research evidence into policy and practice and to ensure an evidence base for existing practice.

OUR KEY THEMES

1. Dementia
2. End-of-Life
3. Falls
4. Mental Health



COLLABORATION AND ENGAGEMENT

- 20 Partners
- 8 Members on our Community Advisory Group (CAG)
- 40+ Steering Group meetings
- Partnership with the Western Alliance Academic Health Science Centre



RESEARCH PROGRAM

- 7 Completed projects (Dementia-3, Falls-1, Technology-1, End-of-Life-2, Healthy Ageing -1)
- 9 Ongoing projects (Dementia-1, Falls-1, Technology-2, End-of-Life-1, Mental Health-1, Residential Aged Care-1, COVID19-1, Guidelines-1)



CAPACITY BUILDING

- 4 PhD Scholarships awarded
- \$100,000 Awarded in seed funding for ageing related projects
- 30+ Frontline staff engaged in research project implementation



DISSEMINATION AND INFLUENCE

- 7 Peer-reviewed publications
- 15 Peer-review presentations
- 41 Organisational Presentations
- 13 Newsletters, over 2000 recipients



KNOWLEDGE CAPTURE AND TRANSFER

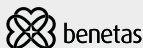
- 40+ Research project in the Ideas Bank
- Information Exchange at steering group meetings and through project collaborations



EDUCATION AND SEMINARS

- 6 Annual Symposiums
- 7 Masterclasses
- 11 Project Forums
- 3000+ Attendees from our partner organisations

OUR 20 PARTNER ORGANISATIONS



Northern Health



Affiliates:



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