

RESEARCH FEST

OCTOBER 2022

Allied Health Research Award

AIM

The Allied Health Research award recognises excellence and rewards clinicians undertaking research.

The prize is to support the researcher to attend scientific meetings to present their work, or participate in training to further their research*.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- Allied Health professional working at Austin or Mercy Health
- Research relevant to Allied Health
- Quality of abstract and poster
- Finalists for the award are expected to present their work in a hosted poster session
- The researcher indicates interest in being considered for the award when submitting their abstract.

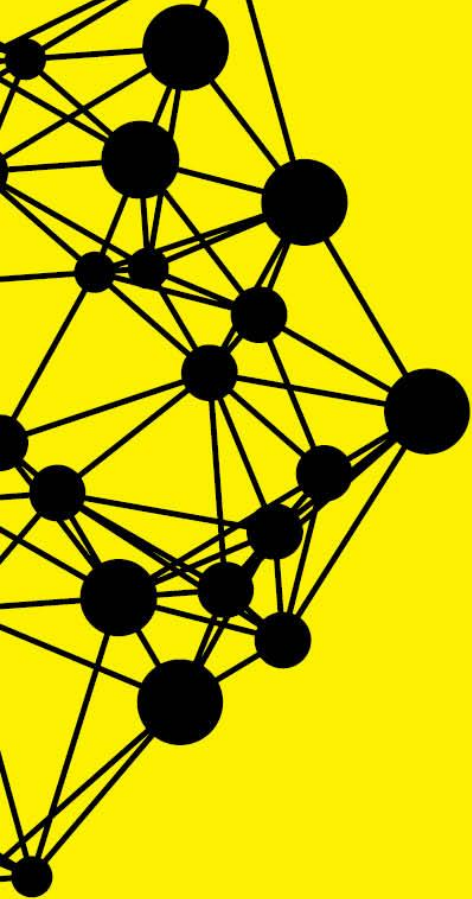
PRIZE

\$750 reimbursement of costs associated with attendance at a research meeting or training.*

The award is presented during the Plenary Lecture on Thursday 20 October 2022. Applicants are expected to attend.

The award should be redeemed before April 2024.

*Awards are paid as reimbursements for expenses deemed relevant to the research area, as approved by the Head of Department.



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ResearchFest uses the Department of Health's definition of Allied Health Professionals and includes the following professions:

- Art therapy
- Audiology
- Biomedical science
- Community Integration and Leisure Services
- Diagnostic imaging medical physics
- Dietetics
- Exercise Physiology
- Horticultural therapy
- Interpreters
- Medical Imaging
- Medical laboratory science
- Molecular and Nuclear medicine technology
- Music therapy
- Neuropsychology
- Occupational therapy
- Orthoptics
- Orthotics and Prosthetics
- Pharmacy
- Physiotherapy
- Podiatry
- Psychology
- Radiation oncology , medical physics
- Radiation therapy
- Radiography
- Sonography
- Social work
- Speech therapy
- Spiritual care