# IC-IMPACTS, RHI, and ISIC: Canada India SCI Innovation Award -Call for Proposals

### Sponsor

IC-IMPACTS, the Rick Hansen Institute (RHI), and the India Spinal Injuries Centre (ISIC)

### Program

IC-IMPACTS, RHI, and ISIC: Canada India SCI Innovation Award – Getting Solutions to Market? [1]

# Description

IC-IMPACTS is soliciting proposals aimed at addressing the treatment and care of people living with Spinal Cord Injury (SCI) and secondary complications. This competition seeks to attract innovators, medical practitioners and researchers in Indian and Canadian universities/institutes to work collaboratively across borders, develop and commercialize innovative technologies in the treatment and care of people who are living with SCI and associated secondary complications.

During the February 2018 visit of the Honourable Kirsty Duncan to New Delhi, an agreement was signed by IC-IMPACTS, the Rick Hansen Institute (RHI), and the India Spinal Injuries Centre (ISIC) to develop this grant competition that will bring about innovative solutions in the treatment and care of millions of people in India and Canada. As a result, IC-IMPACTS (Canada), RHI (Canada), and ISIC (India) have now partnered to launch this grant competition.

Applicants are not required to have pre-existing partnerships with counterparts in India and Canada. RHI, IC-IMPACTS, and ISIC will help identify partners for promising applicants in their respective countries.

# Eligibility

#### For Canadian applicants:

All Canadian researchers normally eligible to apply for DST/ICMR funding opportunities are eligible to apply as Principal Investigators from Canada.

Subject to the program guidelines, proposals from NGOs, graduate students, medical practitioners, entrepreneurs, and for-profit corporate entities who have a proven track record in

the care and treatment of Spinal Cord Injuries and secondary complications are welcome to apply.

# **Funding Availability**

Up to CAD \$50,000 will be granted to the successful proposal(s) for research and development. This amount may be supplemented by cash or in-kind support by host institutes or other agencies associated with the researchers.

## **Indirect Costs**

0%

## **Project Duration**

Up to 24 months

## **Special Notes**

**Webinar:** For more information, researchers, entrepreneurs, innovators and medical practitioners are invited to join a webinar. Register by emailing <u>viviang@ic-impacts.com</u> [2]

#### Deadlines

If College-level review is required, your College will communicate its earlier internal deadlines.		
Type	Date	Notes
Internal Deadline	Monday, September 17, 2018 - 12:00pm	Please submit complete LOI package and OR5 to <u>research.services@uoguelph.c</u> <u>a</u> [3].
External Deadline	Sunday, September 30, 2018 - 7:30pm	Letter of Intent with budget outline is submitted online by 4:30 pm PST. All documents and forms required are available on the IC-IMPACTS website under <u>Section 7.8</u> Apply, Complete and Submit <u>These Documents</u> [4].

For Questions, please contact **?For Canadian participants:** 

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#### Links

[1] https://ic-impacts.com/call-for-proposal/ic-impacts-rhi-and-isic-canada-india-sci-innovation-award-getting-solutions-to-market/

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