

The SCITCS Craig Simpson Quality of Life Research Grants

SCITCS motive is to help people with a spinal cord injury in ways that will maintain or/and increase their independence.

Funding is awarded to research programs that include; technology, health promotion, accessibility and education.

Application Guidelines for Funding:

Applications are encouraged from persons developing specific:

- Research investigations
- Service and/or programs
- for persons with spinal cord injury

We will consider applications from the following domains:

- Nursing/Community Health
- Medicine
- Rehabilitation Medicine
- Kinesiology and Exercise Physiology
- Psychology

Research/Service/Program applications should comprise of the following:

- Introduction and rationale
- Purpose/description of the project/investigation
- Objectives/goals
 - Long term
 - Short term
- Relevant supporting literature (recent and no longer than 3 - 5 pages)
- Participant/Subject profiles:
 - including method of participant selection
 - rationale to determine sample size
- Research design, e.g. factorial, single subject, etc.
- Methods, detailed overview of all procedures including subject selection, randomization
- Details of statistical or other analysis
- Dissemination of results
- Detailed budget (including timelines, if applicable)
- Sustainability plans, details of plans to sustain the new research/service/program once it has been developed
- Other avenues of funding
- Regular updates/progress reports
- Final report deadline

Application Criteria:

Submit four copies. Number should allow perusal by all committee members. Electronic submission is permissible.

Applications will be reviewed on an ongoing basis. Please allow six (6) weeks for a response.

Applications will not be reviewed during July or August.

The Spinal Cord Injury Treatment Centre Society (SCITCS)

Research investigations that maintain the health of people with a
Spinal Cord Injury and Awareness / Education

Application Form

(please type and attach schedules if space is not sufficient)

Name of association: _____

Name of applicant: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: (home) _____ (work) _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Title of Project:

Amount Requested: _____

- Category: Research investigation that maintains health of persons with a spinal cord injury
- Awareness / Education

Start Date: _____

Completion Date: _____

Purpose and justification of project:

Objectives of Project:

Desired outcomes: (the differences this project will make in the community or lives of Albertans and their families affected by spinal cord injury).

A. Short Term:

B. Long Term:

Sources of future funding and support of project:

Describe how collaboration will occur with community partners:

Grant payment payable to:

Send cheque to:

Signing Authority: (signature) _____

(Print Name) _____

(Position) _____

Date: _____

Please attach and enclose the following documentation:

- 1. Complete and detailed budget of the project including cash flow requirements and payment schedules.**
- 2. List of references, including supporting partners.**
- 3. List of other sources that you have applied to for funding this project.**
- 4. Entire proposal in detail.**

Please enclose 4 COMPLETE COPIES of above documentation.

A 3-month INTERIM PROGRESS REPORT must be submitted.

A DETAILED REPORT MUST BE COMPLETED AND SENT TO SCITCS NO LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS FOLLOWING THE COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT.

MAIL APPLICATIONS TO:

**Spinal Cord Injury Treatment Centre (Northern Alberta) Society
P.O. Box 76007, Southgate
Edmonton, AB
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