## HCF RESEARCH FOUNDATION CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

## **HEALTH SERVICE RESEARCH GRANTS 2021**

Celebrating 20 years of contributions to healthcare research, the HCF Research Foundation was established to drive research, enquiry and innovation in the delivery of healthcare for the benefit of all Australians.

Through the work of the HCF Research Foundation, we continue to drive positive change via the reduction of low-value care procedures, ensuring Australians get the right treatment, at the right time, in the right setting.

Our 11th annual call for research projects will deliver funding to the research community from **1 March 2022**.

We invite you to apply if your project contributes to one of the following areas:

- 1. Improving the transition from hospital to community care for better alignment, communication, metrics and patient health outcomes.
- 2. Demonstrating safe, effective and cost-effective alternatives to hospital care
- 3. Educating and engaging patients in chronic disease and associated health-seeking behaviour.

Applications will be assessed on scientific merit and their ability to drive meaningful change to health services.

We welcome applications that demonstrate strong potential and a considered approach for translation of research outcomes into practice.

The closing date for applications is 5pm on **Friday 27 August 2021 (AEST)**.





For more information and to apply visit

