

Research Translation Projects 2018 (Round 12)

'Evidence for a Sustainable Health System'

Call for Research Project Applications

Closing Date: 1:00 pm, Monday 18 June 2018

Applications are invited for the twelfth round of the Research Translation Projects (RTP) program.

The RTP grant program seeks to support high-quality research projects that have the potential to improve policy and/or practice in the WA health system and that aim to investigate efficiencies that can be delivered whilst maintaining or improving patient outcomes. The program was introduced by the former State Health Research Advisory Council (SHRAC) of the Department of Health in 2007.

In order to qualify, proposals must address relevant contemporary challenges faced by the WA public health system, include a solid economic analysis of the predicted benefits and demonstrate a commitment to the translation and implementation of research findings into healthcare policy and practice improvements in WA.

Applications for projects that may be used as a basis for subsequent grant applications to externally funded programs such as the National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) are encouraged, as are applications from persons in the clinical service delivery environment with suitable multidisciplinary and cross-institution collaborations.

Projects may be awarded up to \$270,000 and must be completed within 24 months. Project selection will be based on competitive merit.

Further Information:

The 2018 (Round 12) **Guidelines for Applicants** and **Application Form** are available online at the [Research Development](#) website.

Please note, unlike last year, a two-stage application process will not apply, and only one application is required in 2018. For advice on submitting applications and accessing health economic expertise contact the [Research Development Unit](#).

Information relating to potential collaborations with policy partners to assist with the translation of research findings can be obtained through the Department of Health's [Health Networks](#) website.