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**Dear Members,**

Congratulations to this year's outstanding research award winners, many of whom are longstanding and well-known members of the College and the Section of Researchers.

This year's CFPC award for the **Family Medicine Researcher of the Year** is **Dr. Rick Birtwhistle**, Director of the Centre for Studies in Primary Care at Queen's University. Dr. Birtwhistle has dedicated much of his long and illustrious career to developing and bringing to fruition many primary care research initiatives that have significantly influenced Canadian family practice. Most recently, Dr. Birtwhistle has been instrumental in the development of the Canadian Primary Care Sentinel Surveillance Network (CPCSSN), shepherding it through proposal development through the initial 2-year pilot feasibility phase. Chair and PI of this groundbreaking pan-Canadian initiative, Dr. Birtwhistle is credited with providing a unifying vision for the project, which recently obtained funding for 5 years, through an agreement between the College of Family Physicians of Canada and the Public Health Association of Canada.

Winner of the award for the CFPC Outstanding Family Medicine Research Article for an article published in 2004, Dr. Birtwhistle is also the Vice-Chair of the Canadian Task Force on Preventive Healthcare, and Consultant to Queen's University Family Medicine Department's program in Bosnia-Herzegovina.

The **CFPC Outstanding Family Medicine Research Article** recognizes the best research article published in a national or international journal during the preceding year, which was based upon family medicine research carried out by a CFPC member. This year's recipient is **Dr. Marshall Godwin** for the article: *A primary care pragmatic cluster randomized trial of the use of home blood pressure monitoring on blood pressure levels in hypertensive patients with above target blood pressure*, which reports on the results of a study to determine if home blood pressure monitoring improves blood pressure.

Supported by *Canadian Family Physician* and the CFPC Research & Education Foundation, the **Canadian Family Physician Best Original Research Article** recognizes the best article published in *Canadian Family Physician* during the preceding year, which was based upon original research carried out by a CFPC member. The year's award goes to

**Dr. Karen Tu** for the article *Comparison of primary care physician payment models in the management of hypertension*, which reports on a study carried out to determine the primary care physician screening, treatment, and control rates for hypertension, and to examine whether the type of physician payment model affected these rates.

Two **Research Awards for Family Medicine Residents** are given annually to family medicine residents in recognition of outstanding resident research projects as chosen by the chairs and research directors of each university's Department of Family Medicine. The awards are supported by the Professional Association of Internes and Residents of Ontario (PAIRO) Trust Fund and the CFPC Research and Education Foundation. This year's awards go to: **Geneviève Desbiens, MD**; Michel Labrecque, MD, PhD, CCFP, FCFP; **Marie-Ève Bergeron, MD**; **Marie-Ève Larivière, MD**, **Juan Carlos Ochoa, MD**, Merlin Njoya, MSc for their project entitled *Do Family Physicians Correctly Estimate the Benefits and Risks of Common Therapeutic and Preventive Interventions?* **Amanda Flanagan, BSCH, MDCM, CCFP**, Grant Russell, MBBS, FRACGP, MFM, PhD, and Meltem Tuna, PhD, received the award for their study *Patient Knowledge and Attitudes Correlate with Increased PSA screening in a Canadian Community Family Practice*.

**Lifetime Achievement Awards in Family Medicine Research** recognize the vision, leadership and significant career contributions of senior researchers to the development of family medicine research in Canada. This year, the recipients of the Lifetime Achievement Awards in Family Medicine Research are: **Dr. William Falk**, **Dr. Brian Dixon-Warren**, **Dr. Michael Klein**, and **Dr. John Hilditch**, all from British Columbia.

The College, along with the American Association of Family Medicine Residency Directors (AFMRD) and the North American Primary Care Research Group, also recognizes the best scholarly work of senior family medicine residents (2nd or 3rd year) through the **Family Medicine Resident Awards for Scholarship**. One recipient from each University Department of Family Medicine in Canada and the United States is selected for this award.

Look for highlights and photos of all of this year's recipients, which will be posted on the Section of Researchers' pages of the CFPC website.

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## Research News

**Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)  
International Review 2011: Have your say!**

As the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) reaches its tenth anniversary, and in keeping with its legislated responsibility, the CIHR Governing Council is coordinating an International Review. The purpose of the external review, the second since CIHR was established in 2000, is to ensure that the CIHR has been effective in fulfilling its mandate. The review will address the following overarching question(s):

- Has CIHR been effective in fulfilling its mandate as outlined in the CIHR Act?
- How can CIHR improve at achieving its mandate?

The [International Review Panel](#) will be chaired by Dr. Elias Zerhouni, former Director of the United States' National Institutes of Health. In addition to conducting reviews of the individual institutes, the panel will conduct interviews with Canadian research leaders, partners and senior officials.

Dr. Bill Hogg, Chair of the Section of Researchers, has been invited to provide his comments to the panel during an interview that will take place in March 2011. We invite members of the Section of Researchers to contribute to this important and potentially significant discussion. Please send your comments to Kaleidoscope or directly to Bill at [whogg@uottawa.ca](mailto:whogg@uottawa.ca).

The final report will be made public after the panel's findings have been presented to the CIHR Governing Council in June 2011.

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### **New Editor for the Hypothesis Page**

Dr. Michelle Howard, Assistant Professor in the Department of Family Medicine, and Associate Member of the Department of Clinical Epidemiology & Biostatistics at McMaster University, has been appointed as Associate Editor of the Canadian Family Physicians' research feature page Hypothesis. If you have an article idea you would like to discuss, or would like to submit an article to Hypothesis, please contact Dr. Howard at [mhoward@mcmaster.ca](mailto:mhoward@mcmaster.ca).

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### **Submissions invited for CFP feature: Hypothesis Page**

*Canadian Family Physician (CFP)* invites submissions from researchers and non-researchers for their quarterly feature entitled the Hypothesis Page. Intended to educate and translate knowledge from the research to the clinical domain, the Hypothesis Page is aimed at general CFP audiences. As such, CFP seeks submissions that are clinically relevant while dealing with basic research concepts. Please contact Michelle Howard at [mhoward@mcmaster.ca](mailto:mhoward@mcmaster.ca) for more information.

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**\* North American Primary Care Research Group:  
Involving Community Residency Programs in Research:  
The Residency Research Network of Texas**

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For years, family medicine leaders have been urging members to increase research productivity and promote a strong research culture. Still, research inhabits a tiny corner of the family medicine world, concentrated in academic centers.

Most residents (84%) graduate from community residency programs, and most of these programs lack the resources to promote research among faculty and residents. How can we expect our graduates to appreciate, support, and participate in research when the great majority has little exposure?

This [article](#) describes the Residency Research Network of Texas, which works, as part of its mission, to increase community program faculty and residents involvement in research.

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## Conference Opportunities



### **Family Medicine Forum 2010**

October 14 - 16, 2010 Vancouver, British Columbia

**Research Day will once again be held on the Pre-conference day October 13, 2010.**

### **The 6th Annual Family Medicine Research Day**

*Wednesday 13 October, 2010 Vancouver, BC*

Research Day 2010 will feature simultaneous freestanding papers as well as the opportunity to view scientific posters. Special sessions will feature presentations by the winners of the 2010 Research Award for Family Medicine Researcher of the Year, CFPC Outstanding Family Medicine Research Article, the *Canadian Family Physician* Best Original Research Article, and Research Awards for Family Medicine Residents. The Section of Researchers Annual General Meeting (AGM) and

lunch will take place from 12:00 to 13:30. Check out the [Research Day](#) program here!

[Family Medicine Forum \(FMF\)](#) 2010 combines the annual scientific assemblies of the College of Family Physicians of Canada (CFPC), the British Columbia College of Family Physicians (BCCFP) and the annual workshops of the CFPC's Sections of Teachers and Researchers. Family Medicine Forum (FMF) is attended by over 2000 family physicians, family medicine teachers, researchers, residents, medical students, nurses, nurse practitioners and many other health care professionals every year. FMF is the premier family medicine conference in Canada - our delegates come not only for the great variety of CME offered, but for the opportunity to network with their colleagues and friends from across the country.

### **6th Annual Walk for the Docs of Tomorrow!**



### **Support Canada's medical students - our future family doctors!**

Lace up your sneakers and join us for the 6th Annual Walk for the Docs of Tomorrow at the Family Medicine Forum in Vancouver, British Columbia! The annual walk raises funds for the Research and Education Foundation's Medical Student Scholarship Program.

Help us reach our goal of \$30,000 by [signing up](#) now and encouraging your colleagues and friends to participate in this 5km walk or 10km run.

*See you at the finish line!*

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### **The Canadian Task Force on Preventive Health Care: Putting Prevention into Practice**

**At the Family Medicine Forum 2010 Saturday, October 16**

**Time: 10:50 am - 11:50 am**

**Vancouver Convention Centre Rooms 116-117**

The Canadian Task Force on Preventive Health Care invites all who are interested to participate in a one-hour workshop, entitled "The Canadian Task Force on Preventive Health Care: Putting prevention into practice", at the Family Medicine Forum in Vancouver, B.C. The goal for the workshop is to connect directly with you, our primary audience, to most effectively incorporate your needs and preferences into future clinical guidelines and tools. Your participation in our interactive workshop will greatly assist the Task Force in setting guideline priorities and delivering the most effective tools for your practice.

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**\* 38th North American Primary Care Research Group (NAPCRG) Annual Meeting**  
November 13 - 17, 2010 Seattle, WA

Share your best, learn the latest, at the [2010 NAPCRG Annual Meeting](#) in Seattle, Washington.

*Attention students, residents and fellows:*

Students, residents and fellows are also eligible to join NAPCRG **for free**. Click here to get your **free** [Researcher-in-Training e-Membership](#).

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**OCTOBER 2010**

**\* Joint Colloquium of the Cochrane & Campbell Collaborations - Bringing Evidence-Based Decision-Making to New Heights**  
18 - 22 October Keystone Resort, Colorado

In 2010 the [Joint Colloquium](#) of the [Cochrane](#) & [Campbell Collaborations](#) will be held at the Keystone Resort in Colorado, USA. This will be the first time for these two groups to hold a joint colloquium. This colloquium will focus on raising evidence-based decision-making to new heights. In this region, known for its towering mountain peaks and natural beauty, we will come together for multidisciplinary learning and sharing at its best.

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**\* 2010 Canadian Diabetes Association/Canadian Society of Endocrinology and Metabolism (CSEM) Conference - Joining Forces: From Theory to Action**  
20 - 23 October Edmonton, AB

The [Canadian Diabetes Association \(CDA\)/Canadian Society of Endocrinology and Metabolism \(CSEM\) Professional Conference and Annual Meetings](#) bring together educators, clinicians and scientists to share their expertise, ideas and experiences in diabetes and other endocrine disorders. Program highlights include nationally and internationally renowned speakers addressing current diagnosis and treatment issues, interactive workshops, opportunities to meet the professionals, oral abstract sessions, poster presentations, a trade show and sponsored social activities.

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**Canadian Society for International Health - Canadian Conference on Global Health 2010: Global Health: A Humanitarian Crisis?**  
31 October - 3 November Ottawa, ON

The [2010 Canadian Conference on Global Health](#) will provide the venue and the opportunity for the global health community to come together with other sectors which also

may have an impact on global health. This conference will provide the opportunity for the critical interface with other emerging crises and the need to ensure that health is placed front and centre as a priority issue that needs to be addressed. The following issues will be discussed: the economic crisis, the movement of people (forced migration and refugees), armed combat, climate change, pandemics and transparency and governance. These issues will be highlighted in terms of their relationship to the global health crises and the need to integrate health into these various sector responses.

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## **NOVEMBER 2010**

### **Canadian Health Services Research Foundation (CHSRF) - 2010 Picking Up the Pace: How to Accelerate Change in Primary Healthcare**

**1 - 2 November Montreal, QC**

[Picking up the Pace](#) is Canada's showcase premiere event showcasing how to implement change in primary healthcare by presenting real-life examples selected by an expert committee from across Canada. Picking Up the Pace will highlight primary healthcare innovations, with a focus on sharing the successes and challenges of implementation. Participants - from across disciplines and across the country - will consider strategies for adapting successful and promising initiatives to other parts of Canada.

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### **\* American Public Health Association (APHA) 138th Annual Meeting & Exposition - Social Justice**

**6 - 10 November Denver, CO**

The [American Public Health Association Annual Meeting & Exposition](#) is the oldest and largest gathering of public health professionals in the world, attracting more than 13,000 national and international physicians, administrators, nurses, educators, researchers, epidemiologists, and related health specialists. APHA's meeting program addresses current and emerging health science, policy, and practice issues in an effort to prevent disease and promote health.

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### **\* American Medical Informatics Association (AMIA) 2010 Annual Symposium**

**13 - 17 November Washington, DC**

[AMIA's Annual Symposium](#) flourishes as the premier educational forum in clinical informatics, clinical research informatics, public health informatics, and translational bioinformatics. It attracts an impressive network of informatics experts spanning the spectrum of informatics foundations and applications, and is comprised of professionals and students from an array of occupational

settings-academic institutions, community-based organizations, government agencies, the military, health care and research facilities, industry, international health, and private practice.

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**\* First Global Symposium on Health Systems Research - Science to Accelerate Universal Health Coverage**  
16 - 19 November Montreux, Switzerland

World Health Organization (WHO) and partners are pleased to announce the First Global Symposium on Health Systems Research (HSR) - [Science to Accelerate Universal Health Coverage](#). Researchers, policy-makers, funders, and other stakeholders representing diverse constituencies will gather in Montreux, Switzerland to share evidence, identify significant knowledge gaps, and set a research agenda that reflects the needs of low and middle-income countries.

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**\* Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 63rd Annual Scientific Meeting - Transitions of Care Across the Aging Continuum**  
19 - 23 November New Orleans, LA

Jointly sponsored by the Colorado Foundation for Medical Care, Office of Continuing Education and the Gerontological Society of America.

GSA's [Annual Scientific Meeting](#) brings together more than 3,500 of the brightest minds in the field of aging. This meeting is the premier gathering of gerontologists from both the United States and around the world. They participate in over 400 scientific sessions including symposia, paper, and poster presentations.

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**\* Health Research Transfer Network of Alberta (RTNA) 2010 Conference: Innovate, Influence, Integrate**  
21 - 23 November Edmonton, AB

Knowledge transfer (KT) is about wanting to make a difference and do things better by ensuring that research is relevant, accessible and used to support decisions. That process describes how new knowledge (innovate) moves between the producers and potential users (influence) and ultimately results in changes in policy and practice (integrate). The [2010 RTNA conference](#) will incorporate leading practices in KT and will bring together researchers, practitioners, policy makers, and KT specialists. It will be interactive and will encourage relationship building across disciplines; it will acknowledge the complexity of decision making; it will use storytelling and other effective means of moving knowledge; and it will provide an opportunity to learn about KT from experts and from each other.

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**Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) National conference on gender, sex and health research**



22 - 23 November Toronto, ON

CIHR's Institute of Gender and Health (IGH) celebrates its 10th anniversary in 2010. In honour of this landmark anniversary, IGH will host a [national conference on gender, sex and health research](#). It will bring together a multidisciplinary group of researchers with a shared interest in gender, sex and health.

Innovations in Gender, Sex, and Health Research will showcase excellence and innovations across all domains of gender, sex, and health research, including but not limited to biomedical, clinical, health services and policy, population and public health, and social science research. The conference will highlight how accounting for gender and sex leads to improvements in health interventions, policies, and outcomes. It will explore advances and challenges related to ethics and knowledge translation in gender, sex, and health research.

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## DECEMBER 2010

### **Canadian Association on Gerontology (CAG) 39th Annual Scientific and Educational Meeting - Spotlight on integration of knowledge and practice**

2 - 4 December Montreal, QC

The proposed theme of the [Canadian Association of Gerontology's 39th Annual Scientific and Educational Meeting](#) reflects the challenges faced in research on aging by both researchers and professionals working with older persons. Substantial efforts must be made to ensure that our research and practice work in synergy with the common goal of helping Canadian older persons remain active and in good health to continue enriching our society.

*Attention students and presenters:*

CAG has applied for funds from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada's [Program of Attendance Grants to Scholarly Associations](#). *This grant is to assist students and presenters traveling to Montréal, Québec to attend the CAG 39th Annual Scientific and Educational Meeting (ASEM).*

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### **\* Institute for Healthcare Improvement - 22nd Annual National Forum on Quality Improvement in Health Care**

5 - 8 December Orlando, FL

For health care professionals who are passionate about improving care, IHI's [National Forum on Quality Improvement in Health Care](#) is the most powerful conference of the year. This uniquely energizing event draws approximately 5,500 health care professionals from around the world, and thousands join via satellite broadcast.

## Funding Opportunities

### CANADIAN INSTITUTES OF HEALTH RESEARCH FUNDING

#### Catalyst Grants

[HIV/AIDS \(Community-Based Research\) \(2010-2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-18

[HIV/AIDS and co-morbidities](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Prevention and Treatment of Illicit Substance Use \(2010\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2011-01-10

#### Chair

[Hypertension Prevention and Control](#)

Letter of Intent Deadline: 2010-11-01

#### Doctoral Research Award

[Doctoral Research Award 2010-2011](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Fall 2010 Priority Announcement \(Specific Research Areas\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Focus on Stroke \(2010-2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-11-01

[HIV/AIDS \(Community-Based Research\) \(2010-2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-11-01

[Vanier Canada Graduate Scholarships \(2010-2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-20

#### Fellowship

[Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships Program \(2010-2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-11-03

[Focus on Stroke \(2010-2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-11-01

#### Knowledge Synthesis Grant

[Prevention and Treatment of Illicit Substance Use \(2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2011-01-10

#### Master's Award

[Master's Award: 2010-2011](#) (Frederick Banting and

Charles Best Canada Graduate Scholarships - Master's Award)

Application Deadline: 2011-02-01

[Winter 2011 Priority Announcement](#) (Specific Research Areas)

Application Deadline: 2011-02-01

### **Meetings, Planning and Dissemination Grant**

[Aging \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Cancer Research \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Circulatory and Respiratory Health \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Dissemination Events \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Dissemination Events - Fall 2010 Priority Announcement \(Specific Research Areas\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Genetics \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Knowledge Translation Supplement \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-29

[Musculoskeletal Health and Arthritis \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Neurosciences, Mental Health and Addiction \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Planning Grants \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Planning Grants - Fall 2010 Priority Announcement \(Specific Research Areas\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Reproductive and Child Health \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

### **Operating Grant**

[Gastroenterology / Nutrition \(2010\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-11-01

[HIV/AIDS \(Community-Based Research\) \(Fall 2010 Competition\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-18

**Other**

[Advancing Technology Innovation through Discovery](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-10-15

[Health Professional Student \(2010-2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-11-02

[Institute Community Support Grants and Awards \(2010-2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-12-31

[Network Catalyst](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-11-15

[Research Scholarship - Focus on Stroke \(2010-2011\)](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-11-01

**Partnerships for Health System Improvement**

[Partnerships for Health System Improvement: 2010-2011](#)

Application Deadline: 2010-11-01

**Team Grant**

[Childhood Cancer - Late Effects of Treatment](#)

Letter of Intent: 2010-12-01

[HIV/AIDS Vaccine Discovery and Social Research](#)

Letter of Intent: 2010-10-22

[Violence, gender, and health](#)

Letter of Intent: 2010-10-15

**Additional CIHR Opportunities**

**Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships Program**

Electronic application due: November 3, 2010

The objective of the [Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships Program](#) is to attract and retain top-tier postdoctoral talent, both nationally and internationally, to develop their leadership potential and to position them for success as research leaders of tomorrow, positively contributing to Canada's economic, social and research-based growth through a research-intensive career. The Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships Program will be distinguished from existing postdoctoral fellowships programs by its emphasis on the synergy between an applicant's individual merit and potential to launch a successful research-intensive career and the host institution's commitment to the research program and environment with which the applicant is to be affiliated. As

such, an applicant's application to the Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships Program must be completed in full collaboration with the proposed host institution.

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### **Age+ Prize**

**Applications Deadline: October 1, 2010; January 15, 2011**

The [Age+ Award](#) is aimed at graduate students, postdoctoral fellows and residents from all disciplines conducting research in aging.

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### **Travel Awards**

**Applications Deadline: October 15, 2010**

Through the [Travel Awards](#) for trainees the CIHR-IA seeks to encourage networking and exchange of ideas among emerging scholars working within the CIHR-IA [priority research topics](#). To meet these ends, CIHR-IA provides travel awards for Master's and Doctoral students, and Fellows to present their own research at a conference, workshop or symposium.

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### **Pre-Announcement - Rare Diseases Emerging Teams: Translating Basic Biology to Enhanced Patient Care**

**Deadline Letter of Intent: 2011-01-10**

This program is designed to support research teams that will enhance our understanding of the fundamental biology of rare diseases, foster the application of that knowledge to the clinic or to populations, and/or address major health services/policy/economic/ethical, legal or social issues.

Full program details will be available in October 2010. For questions about this strategic initiative and research objectives, please contact Stephanie Robertson, Assistant Director, Institute of Genetics, Canadian Institutes of Health Research (Telephone: 613-954-0533 Email: [stephanie.robertson@cihr-irsc.gc.ca](mailto:stephanie.robertson@cihr-irsc.gc.ca))

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### **\* University of Toronto Department of Family and Community Medicine - Family Medicine Resident Research Fellowship**

**Application Deadline: October 15, 2010**

The Department of Family and Community Medicine, University of Toronto is accepting applications for support of a current University of Toronto Family Medicine Resident who wishes to pursue a 1-2-year funded [Family Medicine Research Fellowship](#).

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### **Ontario Ministry of Research and Innovation - The Post-Doctoral Fellowship (PDF) Program**

The [Post-Doctoral Fellowship](#) (PDF) program provides outstanding scientists with two-year fellowships at Ontario's Universities. Applicants apply directly to the university of their choice. Round 4 of the PDF program is currently underway. Please contact the university of your choice to enquire about the application and selection process for MRI's PDF Program. All PDFs are to be hired by December 31, 2010.

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### **Barth Syndrome Foundation 2010 Request for Research Proposals**

**Deadline: October 31, 2010**

The [Barth Syndrome Foundation, Inc.](#) (BSF) and its international affiliates are pleased to announce the availability of funding for basic science and clinical research on the natural history, biochemical basis, and treatment of Barth syndrome. There are no geographical limitations of this funding.

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### **HEART AND STROKE FOUNDATION**

#### **Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada / Canadian Institutes for Health Research Chair in Hypertension Prevention and Control**

**Letters of Intent due: November 1, 2010**

The Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada and the CIHR Institute of Circulatory and Respiratory Health are partnering on this [Request for Applications](#) with the objective of supporting a Chair in the area of hypertension research who will focus on:

- improving awareness, prevention and control of hypertension;
- identifying gaps in Knowledge Transfer and Exchange/ Knowledge Translation from evidence to practice for hypertension prevention and control; and
- developing and evaluating new policies, programs and interventions aimed at reducing the burden and/or impact of hypertension.

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#### **Research Fellowship**

**Applications to the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada are due annually on November 1st to be tenable July 1st of the following year.**

A [Research Fellowship](#) is an "in-training" award to support young investigators with a professional degree (PhD, MD, BM, DVM or equivalent) in initiating and/or continuing in the scientific method and chosen area of the cardiovascular or cerebrovascular fields.

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### **Research Scholarship**

Applications to the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada are due annually on November 1st to become tenable July 1st of the following year.

The Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada [Research Scholarship](#) is a salary award intended for applicants with a masters and/or PhD and with credential(s) in a regulated accredited health discipline. The objective is to attract and foster cardiovascular or cerebrovascular investigators from a variety of health disciplines. Each application is considered to be a joint submission by the applicant and the identified mentor.

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### **CANADIAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION**

#### **New for 2011: Personnel Awards Competition**

Deadline for submission: Tuesday, February 1, 2011

[Personnel Awards Guide 2011 Competition TO BE POSTED AUTUMN 2010](#)

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#### **New for 2011: Operating Grant competition**

Registration form submitted by Wednesday, December 1, 2010

Full application must be completed and submitted to the Canadian Diabetes Association via courier (overnight/next day only) by Tuesday, February 1, 2011.

[Operating Grant Guide 2011 Competition TO BE POSTED AUTUMN 2010](#)

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### **\* US DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH**

#### **Advancing Novel Science in Women's Health Research (ANSWHR) (R21)**

A registration process is necessary before submission and applicants are highly encouraged to start the process at least four (4) weeks prior to the grant submission date. See [Section IV](#).

Application Due Date(s): October 16, 2010; October 16, 2011, October 16, 2012 for new applications; November 16, 2010; November 16, 2011; November 16, 2012 for resubmission applications

AIDS Application Due Date(s): January 7, 2011; January 7, 2012; January 7, 2013

#### **Program Announcement (PA) Number: PAS-10-226**

**NOTICE:** Applications submitted in response to this [Funding Opportunity Announcement](#) (FOA) for Federal assistance must

be submitted electronically through Grants.gov (<http://www.grants.gov>) using the SF424 Research and Related (R&R) forms and the SF424 (R&R) Application Guide.

**APPLICATIONS MAY NOT BE SUBMITTED IN PAPER FORMAT.**

This FOA must be read in conjunction with the application guidelines included with this announcement in [Grants.gov/Apply for Grants](#) (hereafter called Grants.gov/Apply).

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\* available in English only.

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