

APPENDICES

Appendix 4: Grants and Sponsorships

| Organisation | Future commitment* | 2011/12 \$ | 2010/11 \$ |
|---|--------------------|------------|------------|
| Centre of National Research on Disability and Rehabilitation Medicine (CONROD) (2010-2013) | 2,286,204 | 2,181,898 | 1,703,320 |
| Centre for Accident Research and Road Safety Queensland (CARRS-Q) (2011-2014) | 4,938,966 | 2,011,141 | 1,800,000 |
| Department of Transport and Main Roads – Road Safety Initiatives | 0 | 0 | 525,000 |
| Queensland Health – Queensland Trauma Registry | 0 | 1,096,795 | 1,358,507 |
| University of Queensland ARC Linkage Grant – Financing and management of lifetime care and support in a mixed economy of care: a study of working age people with acquired disabilities and high support needs | 0 | 0 | 18,100 |
| University of Queensland ARC Linkage Grant – To investigate whether self-management increases the effectiveness of Vocational Rehabilitation for chronic compensated disorders. | 0 | 0 | 50,000 |
| University of Queensland – Investigate effectiveness of dry needling for chronic whiplash | 0 | 80,000 | 80,000 |
| University of Queensland – Randomised controlled trial to investigate effectiveness of a new exercise based treatment for chronic whiplash | 0 | 28,062 | 28,062 |
| University of Queensland – To undertake stage two of study on the use of stimulants in children with Traumatic Brain Injury | 0 | 101,069 | 101,069 |
| University of Queensland – To undertake a pilot project looking at the development of resources and trial of a Transition Coordinator position to facilitate the transition from child to adult based services for those with acquired brain injury. | 149,288 | 0 | 159,288 |
| Department of Transport and Main Roads – Funding to support Academic Strategic Transport Alliance (ASTRA) | 154,410 | 48,501 | 47,089 |
| Paediatric Rehabilitation Chair** – a collaborative funding initiative to establish a research and clinical Professorship within the Department of Paediatric Rehabilitation | 998,087 | 0 | 0 |
| Transitional Rehabilitation – service model development – investigating brain injury | Under discussion | 22,376 | 0 |
| Total funding allocated | 8,526,955 | 5,569,842 | 5,870,435 |
| Less refunds of residual grant funding | | | |
| Total Funding Returned | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GRANT TOTAL (Allocated less returned) | 8,526,955 | 5,569,842 | 5,870,435 |

* Estimate of grant funding committed for expenditure from 1 Jul 2012

** Co-funding over five years pending final funding confirmation from other funding partners

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Appendix 4: Grants and Sponsorships – continued

Ongoing projects funded in previous years

In the majority of cases, the following projects were previously funded by MAIC through the provision of a one-off payment. This payment is held in trust with the interest used to fund the ongoing operations of each project. The progress of these projects is monitored through regular activity reporting.

- Royal Australian College of General Practitioners Research Fellowship
- Royal Australasian College of Physicians Research Fellowship
- Royal Australasian College of Surgeons Research Fellowship
- University of Queensland
 - School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences Research Fellowship
 - Teaching and Community Services Rehabilitation Research Fellowship

Research centres

The two MAIC funded research centres (CONROD and CARRS-Q) produce six monthly activity and financial reports covering the research conducted within the centres and providing details on projects funded through other competitive grant processes.

Further information on CARRS-Q and CONROD's research and activities is available by visiting www.carrsq.qut.edu and www.uq.edu.au/conrod.

Sponsorship Program

In the 2011-12 financial year MAIC provided \$62,954.54 in sponsorship funding for events and activities that promote either improved outcomes for persons injured in motor vehicle accidents or research and education about road safety and injury prevention. Notably, MAIC continued its sponsorship of the Spinal Education Awareness Team, which educates school children about spinal injuries and disability, and the Physiotherapy Evidence Database (PEDro) that provides physiotherapists with free access to over 19,000 randomised trials, systematic reviews and clinical practice guidelines. Both of these initiatives received \$25,000 to subsidise their operations.