

PROJECTS FUNDED UNDER CANCER AUSTRALIA'S BUILDING CANCER SUPPORT NETWORKS GRANTS PROGRAM - THIRD GRANTS ROUND

Organisation	Project name	Project description	Population coverage
Cancer Council NT	Supportive Care Outreach Program	Funding to expand the outreach program of providing supportive care to people affected by cancer living in regional and remote areas of N.T.	NT Rural and Remote
Cancer Council QLD	Surviving and Thriving: Moving on after treatment	Funding to develop, trial and implement a range of support initiatives to address the needs of people who are survivors of cancer in Queensland.	QLD
Cancer Council SA	Cancer Support and Information for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	Funding for the development of cancer support and information resources that will be utilised by aboriginal health workers in S.A. to assist them to provide culturally appropriate supportive care and information to aboriginal people affected by cancer in S.A.	SA
Cancer Council WA	Cancer Survivors Network: Wellness Package	This project will utilise consumer empowerment, self management and health promotion methods to plan, implement and evaluate a wellness package of information and support for cancer survivors in W.A.	WA
Cancer Council VIC	The Family Connect Program	This project will adopt a multifaceted approach to improving the support of carers of people affected by cancer in Victoria.	VIC
Cancer Council ACT	Carers of Cancer Patients: Understanding their support service needs	This project will look at the support needs of informal carers of people with cancer.	ACT
Cancer Council TAS	Extended Support Services Project	This project will strengthen and extend cancer support programs to smaller communities in rural and regional areas of Tasmania through a mobile support and information service.	TAS

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Cancer Council NSW	National telephone support group pilot project	This project will run a fortnightly telephone support group for people diagnosed with myeloma nationally.	NSW
Aboriginal Health and Medical Research Council of NSW	Aboriginal Stories and Cancer Journeys	The project will develop a book of stories about Aboriginal cancer journeys and develop a number of information sheets about cancer.	NSW
Geraldton Regional Aboriginal Medical Service	Midwest Indigenous Women's Cancer Support Group	This project will consolidate a newly established cancer support group for Aboriginal women affected by cancer. A special focus will be providing education to women about the early detection and treatment of women with Gynaecological cancers	Rural WA
Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre	Patients with Lung Cancer and their carers: Supporting through novel information models	This project will develop a package of resources for the implementation and dissemination of an innovative model of support for people affected by lung cancer.	VIC
WA Cancer and Palliative Care Network	Adolescent and Young Adult (AYA) Community Support Worker	This project will use funding to employ and evaluate the effectiveness of a senior youth worker whose remit will be the support of adolescents and young adults (up to the age of 25) with cancer.	WA
Royal Flying Doctor Service of Australia	Cancer Outback: Cancer Support in Remote Australia	This project will use funding to determine the support and information needs of people diagnosed with cancer in remote locations of Australia	National NSW
Australian Lung Foundation	LOTE for Lung Cancer	This project will provide support to a selection of culturally and linguistically diverse groups affected by lung cancer through the translation of quality educational and support material.	National QLD
Women's Health Victoria	Reaching out to women with gynaecological cancers: Innovations in supportive care	This project will develop support initiatives targeted at women with gynaecological cancers in North East metropolitan Melbourne	VIC

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Upper Hume Community Health Service	Border Wellness Clinic	Funding will support a project worker to develop, pilot and evaluate a Border Wellness Clinic for women diagnosed with a gynaecological cancer in the Albury/Wodonga region.	Rural VIC
onTrac@PeterMac – Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre	Using emerging technologies to improve supportive care for young adults living with cancer	Funding will contribute towards a pilot project aimed at developing innovative strategies for the supportive care of adolescents and young adults affected by cancer.	VIC