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The Priority-driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme 2007

Cancer Australia, Diagnostics and Technology Branch of the Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing, the National Breast Cancer Foundation, and the Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia, are pleased to announce that the following applicants were successful in the 2007 Round of the Priority-driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme:

Barton, M

University of New South Wales

Modelling multiple radiotherapy treatment episodes for benchmarking and service planning

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Davis, Ian

Ludwig Institute for Cancer Research

Evaluation and application of PET scanning in the treatment of localised prostate cancer

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Dobrovic, A

University of Melbourne

Rapid detection of carriers with BRCA1/2 mutations in breast, ovarian and prostate cancer using high resolution melting

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Ebert, M

Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital Perth

Enhanced development of generic digital tools for support of clinical trials and education in radiotherapy

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Fogarty, G

Mater and St Vincent Hospitals

WBRT: Whole Brain Radiotherapy following local treatment of intracranial metastases of melanoma – a randomised phase III trial

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Fox, S

Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre

Germline BRCA1 and BRCA2 mutations in the Australian Ovarian Cancer Study (AOCS)

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Harris, M

University of New South Wales

Referral pathways in colorectal cancer: general practitioners' patterns of referral and factors that influence referral

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Hawkes, A

Queensland Cancer Fund

Randomised controlled trial of a multidisciplinary cancer rehabilitation program for colorectal cancer survivors

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Hong, A

Royal Prince Alfred Hospital

Human papillomavirus in oropharyngeal carcinoma: prognostic significance and interaction with radiation therapy

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Hopper, J

University of Melbourne

Screening practices in women with and without a personal and family history of breast cancer: a population-based study

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Hopper, J

University of Melbourne

A candidate gene study of mammographic density, a strong and heritable risk factor for breast cancer

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Kilbreath, S

University of Sydney

Prevention of osteoporosis as a consequence of hormone treatment in postmenopausal women treated for breast cancer

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Lackmann, M

Monash University

Preclinical and clinical evaluation of an antibody therapeutic targeting prostate carcinoma

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Moffat, B

University of Melbourne

Functional diffusion mapping of brain tumour therapeutic efficacy

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Nelson, C

Queensland University of Technology

MicroRNAs in Prostate Cancer: Novel biomarkers and potential therapeutic targets

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Newman, B

Queensland University of Technology

Genetic polymorphisms and lymphoedema after breast cancer: a nested case-control study

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Obermair, A

University of Queensland

Prospective evaluation of lymphoedema among patients with gynaecological cancer

Funded by Cancer Australia

Price, T

University of Sydney

Preop chemoradiotherapy&postop chemo with capecitabine&oxaliplatin vs. capecitabine alone in locally advanced rectal cancer

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Russell, P

University of New South Wales

Preclinical evaluation of novel prostate-targeted nanoparticles for imaging primary and metastatic prostate cancer

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Southey, M

University of Melbourne

New gene for BRCA1-like early-onset breast cancer

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Trau, M

University of Queensland

Nanoscaled Biosensors: Reading Epigenetic Signatures to Improve Breast Cancer Diagnosis and Treatment

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Ward, R

University of New South Wales

Establishment of a Network to Evaluate New and Emerging Cancer Therapies

Funded by Cancer Australia

Youl, P

Queensland Cancer Fund

An examination of management strategies used in treating suspicious skin lesions in primary care

Funded by Cancer Australia

Young, C

Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, NSW

Improving the quality of life for people with incurable bowel obstruction: RCT of colonic stent insertion

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