New projects commencing

On behalf of my fellow Directors, Professor Johanna Westbrook and Professor Enrico Coiera, I am pleased to announce AIHI recently received more than $5.8 million in new funding from the National Health and Medical Research Council for innovative health system improvement projects. We also received a further $1.5 million Medical Research Future Fund grant.

Links to these exciting new projects are included in this newsletter.

Warm regards

Jeffrey Braithwaite
Professor Braithwaite's new project will improve care for children and adolescents with rare cancers or kidney disease by developing a unique learning system designed to quickly and precisely match the best available treatments and approaches with the individual child's health and wellbeing needs. Read more.

New funding to improve patient safety

This innovative new program of research by Professor Westbrook will generate the new evidence, policy and practice urgently needed to optimise electronic medication management systems to ensure they save lives and improve health outcomes, now and in future. Read more.

New funding for aged care reform
Professor Westbrook will lead this project to mobilise technology to develop an innovative digital dashboard of integrated data, which will provide residents of aged care facilities, families and care providers with actionable information to monitor and improve wellbeing and outcomes. Read more.

Keeping Australians healthier and out of hospital

AIHI, alongside partners from the New South Wales Agency for Clinical Innovation, NSW Bureau of Health Information and Macquarie University Centre for the Health Economy with NSW Health, has been awarded $1.5 million funding from the Australian Medical Research Future Fund for an ambitious three-year program to support best practice care across the New South Wales health system. Read more.

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