

2009 CLINICAL TRIALS HONOUR ROLL

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INTRODUCTION

Medical research is widely recognised by the community as a valuable service. Clinical trials are a subset of medical research that provide the evidence to translate new discoveries and ideas into clinical practice. A variety of stakeholders, both volunteer and professional, must work together in partnership to make clinical trials happen. Without scientists, investigators, nurses, funding, infrastructure and equipment, regulatory and ethical oversight, collaboration, monitoring and human volunteers contributing time and resources to clinical trials, medicine would not advance as quickly or safely.

This Honour Roll publicly recognises and celebrates the individuals and organisations that have nominated themselves or others for their contribution to clinical trials in Australasia since Jan 2008, thereby helping to advance medical knowledge for the benefit of the entire community. We specifically congratulate Ms Stella Green and the Woolcock Institute of Medical Research for being the most nominated individual and organisation, respectively, on the 2009 Honour Roll.

AccessCR would like to thank the following organisations for their in-kind support in encouraging participation in this event, thereby showing their commitment to supporting and growing Australasian clinical research at a time when Australasia faces significant challenges in the clinical trials environment.



The importance of clinical trials to Australia and New Zealand cannot be understated. As evidenced by this list a large cross-section of individuals and organisations have contributed and benefitted by their involvement in trials as volunteers, professionals or organisations, because of access to the latest treatments in development, professional opportunities in research or from a culture of continuous improvement and excellence that research encourages. At just under 180 individuals and organisations, this is only a sample of those involved in Australasian research. On International Clinical Trials Day, we salute you, and all your colleagues helping advance medical knowledge and treatments for the benefit of us all.

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INDIVIDUALS

The following 133 individuals listed themselves or were nominated by peers for recognition of their contribution to clinical trials in the past year (in alphabetical order).

Name	Location	Type of Organisation	Contribution to Clinical Trials
Mr Aaron Conway	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for recruitment and clinical assessments of patients participating in the Young at Heart clinical trial.
Dr. Abhishek Joshi		Government, Hospital	I am a Consultant Medical Oncologist, and the only one in Far North Queensland. I have been principal investigator on 3 trials other and have experience in conducting more than 25 trials in oncology.
Miss Alice Lau	Brisbane, QLD	Medical research institute	I am a CTC for 3 oncology trials.
Miss Alicia Calderone	Melbourne, VIC	Medical research institute	Clinical Trials Project Coordinator for Preventative Health Clinical Trials including Nil-CHF, WHICH? and Young at Heart.
Ms Amanda Benvenuti	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for recruitment and clinical assessments of patients participating in the Young at Heart clinical trial.
Ms Amanda Brown	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Clinical Research Nurse conducting Home Based Intervention with patients from the St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital, Brisbane, for the Young at Heart clinical trial.
Amanda Lovell	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Clinical Support Specialist.
Dr Andrew John Weekes	Melbourne, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Investigator on a series of studies of primary care management of type 2 diabetes, osteoporosis, cardiovascular disk and depression.
Dr Andrew Lawrence	Essendon, VIC	Industry/Professional Organisation	Advisory Committee Member for a clinical trial.

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Mrs Ann Nadonza	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Data Manager, Disease Management and Preventative Programs at BakerIDI Heart and Diabetes Research Institute.
A/Prof Anna L Hawkes	Brisbane, QLD	Consumer/Charity organisation	I'm an investigator on three internationally collaborative trials investigating innovative methodologies to improve quality of life for people suffering from cancer or heart disease.
Mrs Annie Howard	Adelaide, SA	CRO	I have worked in Clinical Trials for 13 years in many different therapeutic areas and within many different countries particularly in Asia pacific.
Mrs Anny Tandyo	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Data Manager, Disease Management and Preventative Programs at BakerIDI Heart and Diabetes Research Institute.
Ms Arianne Elizabeth Lee	Sydney, NSW	Medical Devices Company running trials	I am a Clinical Research Specialist currently responsible for managing 7 Medical Device trials in Australia and New Zealand in the area of Implanatable Cardiac Devices.
Arthur "The Risktaker" Falls	Melbourne, VIC	NA	Die hard commitment to clinical trial volunteer work.
Dr Babora de Courten	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Investigator in Nil-CHF Clinical trial.
Mr Benjamin Cheah	Randwick, NSW	Medical research institute, Hospital, University	I am currently heavily involved in two clinical trials involving patients with motor neuron disease. I am also a member of the Biostatistics Collaboration of Australia.
Ms Bernadette Carroll	Lane Cove, NSW	Medical Devices Company running trials	CRA and former nurse study coordinator working on cardiovascular medical device trials.
Bernadette Jean-Francois	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Senior Clinical Research Scientist.
Dr Bruce Walker	Murdoch, WA	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.

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Name	Location	Type of Organisation	Contribution to Clinical Trials
Prof C. Raina MacIntyre	Sydney, NSW	University	Principal investigator on a range of different clinical trials which aim to improve the health outcomes of Australians. These trials include pharmaceutical and non-pharmaceutical studies.
Callum Bir	Singapore	Equipment/technology/CTMS/E DC provider	Work for a technology company supporting study initiation to submission including EDC, CTMS, regulatory analytics and reporting, and adverse event reporting system.
Carlo Maccarrone	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Associate Director, Clinical Research.
Dr Catherine Bourgeois	Sydney, NSW	Government	Catherine is the Director of the NSW Clinical Trials Business Development Centre encouraging and promoting clinical trials in NSW.
Dr Charles Flynn	Ballarat, VIC	Industry/Professional Organisation	Advisory Committee Member for a clinical trial.
Dr Chiew Wong	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Investigator in Nil-CHF Clinical trial.
Prof Chris Maher		Medical research institute	I publish 2-3 trials each year evaluating primary care management of back pain.
Dr Christine Read		Non Government reproductive health organisation	I am a principal investigator for a contraceptive trial and have been an investigator on a number of contraceptive trials, menopause therapies trials as well as an HPV genotyping trial.
A/Prof Christopher Reid	Melbourne, VIC	University	Associate Director of NHMRC Centre for Clinical Research Excellence in Therapeutics, Investigator in WHICH? Clinical trial.
Mrs Dana Mole	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Database administrator for Disease Management and Preventative Programs at BakerIDI Heart and Diabetes Research Institute.
Dr Danforn Lim	Sydney, NSW	University	Principal researcher of Acupuncture for PCOS trial at UNSW.
Ms Danielle Ryan		Hospital	Completed a RCT in cardiac care.

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Dr Darren Walters	Chermside, QLD	Hospital	Dr Walters (The Prince Charles Hospital) is a keen participant in clinical trials and investigator driven research. Since 2004 Dr Walters has been the principal investigator on 37 trials.
Darryl Carrington	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Senior Clinical Research Scientist.
Dr Deborah Bateson	Sydney, NSW	Research centre in an NGO	Investigator on a number of clinical trials in the area of sexual and reproductive health including new contraceptives and menopause therapies
Dr Denise O'Connor	Clayton, VIC	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Dr Dimitar Sajkov		Medical research institute, Hospital, University, Ethics Committee	Principal investigator on over 10 clinical trials, ranging from pulmonary hypertension, COPD, sleep apnoea to influenza vaccine trials. Senior clinical member of the FMC Research and Ethics Committee and have reviewed over 150 clinical trials since 2003. Also review trials submitted for publication or for funding.
Dr Chapman Marriane	Adelaide, SA	Hospital	Dr Chapman Marriane's site has recruited 7 subjects, and is the highest enrolling site in Australia for a sepsis study. Keep the recruitment going!
Dr Duncan Mortimer	Clayton, VIC	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Mr Edmund Barton	Perth, WA	Hospital, University, NA, Retired	At age 70, I have lead a remarkably enjoyable and healthy life. I have participated in a number of heart trials and am currently participating in a University/hospital trial on diabetes.
Eleanor Allan, Caledonian Clinical Training	Sydney, NSW	Independent Contractor	Eleanor provides insightful, dynamic, customised training that has been greatly appreciated by our workplace.
Dr Finfer Simon	NSW	Hospital	Dr Finfer Simon is the lead PI in Australia. Dr Finfer and his team successfully recruited 2 patients in a sepsis study.

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Ms Fiona Dickson	Clayton, VIC	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Dr Franziska Loehrer	Sydney, NSW	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Overall governance & leadership for more than 12 phase 1 clinical studies per year.
Garry Jennings	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Director of BakerIDI Heart and Diabetes Research Institute and Investigator in Nil-CHF clinical trial.
Ms Geraldine Lee	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for recruitment and clinical assessments of patients participating in the Nil-CHF clinical trial.
Ms Gillian Walsh	Port Macquarie, NSW	NA	I am a Registered Nurse clinical trial volunteer.
Prof Henry Krum	Melbourne, VIC	University	Director of NHMRC Centre for Clinical Research Excellence in Therapeutics, Investigator in WHICH? Clinical trial.
Dr Holly Seale	Sydney, NSW	University	Dr Holly Seale is the project manager on a number of clinical trials both here in Australia and in China. These trials include pharmaceutical and non-pharmaceutical studies.
Dr Ian Brandon	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Director of Medical Services, Investigator in Young at Heart Clinical Trial.
Mrs Ingrid Goldman	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	I am a Clinical Supplies Manager supporting global and local studies in Australia and New Zealand.
Ingrid Sand	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Senior Clinical Research Associate.
Ms J Nolan		Hospital	I am a Senior Physiotherapist working in an acute hospital, involved in clinical trials to improve services provided to patients.

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Mrs Jacqueline Robinson	QLD	Hospital, University, Ethics Committee, Research Governance Office, Training Provider	Mrs Jacqueline Robinson is West Moreton South Burnette Health Service District Queensland Human Research Ethics Committee Co-Chairman, Ethics Officer and Research Governance Officer, and teaches & coordinates the Masters of Community Mental Health.
Mr James Allan Douglas Shand	Auckland, NZ	NA	James was part of the Phase 1 Clinical Trial of NEXAGON and was the 6th person ever to receive the drug.
Dr Janelle Bowden	Sydney, NSW	Independent Contractor	Provision of information and support to the general public and professionals with respect to clinical trials.
Jason Russell	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Senior Clinical Research Associate.
Mr Jeff Cousins	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Administration for the Young at Heart clinical trial, at St Andrew's War Memorial Prevention and Rehabilitation Centre.
Jeffrey Lewis		NA	I would like to be included in some volunteer trials.
Ms Jennie Anderson	Australia	Equipment/technology/CTMS/E DC provider	My company developed Evado, a quick and simple trial management system for all types of studies.
Ms Jennifer Hunt		Hospital	I am a Registered Nurse with 15 years of clinical research experience in Anaesthesia and Perioperative Medicine focusing on quality of recovery.
Associate Professor Jennifer L Hudson		University	Chief Investigator on several trials of cognitive behavioural therapy for child and adolescent anxiety disorders.
Ms Jennifer Lake	Abbotsford, VIC	Industry/Professional Organisation	Advisory Committee Member for a clinical trial.
Dr Jennifer Whitty	Brisbane, QLD	University	Investigator in WHICH? Clinical trial.
Prof Jenny Keating	Frankston, VIC	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.

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Prof Jeremy Grimshaw	Ottawa, Canada	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Ms Jessica Wood	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for recruitment and clinical assessments of patients participating in the Nil-CHF clinical trial.
Dr Jill Francis	Scotland, UK	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Ms Joanne McKenzie	Clayton, VIC	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Prof John Horowitz	Adelaide, SA	University	Professor of Cardiology, Investigator in WHICH? Clinical trial.
Dr John Reggars	Melbourne, VIC	Industry/Professional Organisation	Advisory Committee Member for a clinical trial.
Dr Josh Dass	Townsville, QLD	Hospital	Principle Investigator for hospital trials and Principle Site Investigator for TROG trials. Overseer for Head and Neck Humidifier TROG trial.
Mrs Joy Le Lievre	Christchurch, NZ	NA	This person is a study Coordinator at Christchurch Hospital in New Zealand. She is extremely efficient and very good at her job.
Ms Julie Holliday	Brisbane, QLD	University	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for recruitment and clinical assessments of patients participating in the WHICH? clinical trial.
Ms Jyoti Sarna	Melbourne, VIC	Medical research institute	I work in a major Cancer hospital's Ethics Department. About 40 clinical trials are reviewed by our Ethics Department. Mainly our institution deals with different cancer trials.
Karen James	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Administrative Assistant in a Medical Research Institute.

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Ms Katherine Beringer	Clayton, VIC	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Katrina Campion	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Senior Clinical Research Manager.
Dr Kelly Atkinson	Auckland, NZ	Biotechnology Company running trials	I am a scientist who coordinates and runs trials for a Crown Research Institute.
Dr Kerry Murphy	Clayton, VIC	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Miss Leigh E. Wilson		Trial Volunteer Recruitment Services	As an individual diagnosed with gender dysphoria I am a willing participant in any research into genetic gender reconstruction.
Ms Leonie Joy Crampton RN		Training Provider	I am a trainer and Quality Assurance specialist and have working in the industry for twenty years. I have trained 100 people in GCP in the Asia Pacific region.
Mrs Leonila Tanyag	Melbourne, VIC	Medical research institute	Data administrator for Disease Management and Preventative Programs at BakerIDI Heart and Diabetes Research Institute.
Mr Lewis Donovan	Wollongong, NSW	NA	I participated as a healthy volunteer in a GSK clinical trial from April - September 2008 looking at the metabolism rate of a new drug to fight disorders of the nervous system. The trial required spending 10 days in hospital plus follow-up visits and lasted roughly 6 months.
Ms Lia Bailey	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for recruitment and clinical assessments of patients participating in the Nil-CHF clinical trial.
Ms Libby Birchmore	Adelaide, SA	Hospital	Nurse Practitioner and Clinical Research Nurse conducting Home Based Intervention with patients from the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Adelaide, for the WHICH? clinical trial.
Ms Linda Preston	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Clinical Research Nurse conducting Home Based Intervention with patients from the Wesley Hospital, Brisbane, for the Young at Heart clinical trial.

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Ms Lisa Cowen	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Manager Prevention and Rehabilitation Centre, administering the Young at Heart clinical trial.
Ms Lorraine Edney	Sydney, NSW	Medical research institute	I am a research coordinator working for the Sydney Centre for Reproductive Health Research within Family Planning NSW. I am currently working on three contraceptive studies investigating Australian women's experiences of new developments in contraception.
Dr Luis Prado	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Director of Medical Services, Investigator in Young at Heart Clinical Trial.
Lynn Hughes	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Clinical Research Manager.
Ms Margaret Eaton	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for recruitment and clinical assessments of patients participating in the Young at Heart clinical trial.
Ms Mary Boyde	Brisbane, QLD	University	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for recruitment and clinical assessments of patients participating in the WHICH? clinical trial.
Ms Mary Weglowski	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for clinical assessments of patients participating in the WHICH? clinical trial.
Associate Professor Matthew Kiernan		Medical research institute	We have enabled establishment of a consortium to undertake large scale clinical trials in Australia for the treatment of motor neurone disease.
Mr Matthew Page	Clayton, VIC	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Ms May Ngieng		Government, Hospital	I am a Clinical Trials Coordinator working on HIV and sexual health related trials.
Melinda Burnett		Hospital	I am a fellow working on one trial in Parkinson's disease.

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Dr Melinda Carrington	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	General Manager, Disease Management and Preventative Programs at Baker/DI Heart and Diabetes Research Institute.
Ms Melissa Hirth	Melbourne, VIC	Hospital	Study coordinator investigating the treatment of metacarpal fractures in the Occupational Therapy run hand therapy clinic at Austin Health.
Ms Melody Anderson	Lane Cove, NSW	Medical Devices Company running trials	Manager, Clinical Research ANZ, with more than 25 years experience working in clinical research.
Dr Michelle Bradney	Sydney, NSW	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	I am the Regional Area Manager of Allergan ANZ and have been involved in Clinical Research for over 13 years in both academic and pharmaceutical environments. Allergan Australia is currently participating in 14 globally run clinical trials, primarily within urology and ophthalmology.
Mrs Naomi Judith Arnaud	Melbourne, VIC	Trial network, Hospital	I volunteered as research (stroke - me! - aneurysm).
Prof Patricia Davidson	Sydney, NSW	University	St Vincent's Hospital Sydney, Investigator in WHICH? Clinical trial.
Mr Paul Coburn	Melbourne, VIC	Government	Advisory Committee Member for a clinical trial.
Prof Paul Scuffham	Brisbane, QLD	University	Professor/Chair of Health Economics, Investigator in WHICH? Clinical trial, St Vincent's Hospital, Sydney.
Dr Peter Bergin	Melbourne, VIC	Hospital	Alfred Heart Centre Cardiologist and Investigator in Nil-CHF Clinical trial.
Dr Peter Kent	Denmark, Copenhagen	Medical Research Institute	Advisory Committee Member for a clinical trial.
Prof Peter MacDonald	Sydney, NSW	Hospital	Investigator in WHICH? Clinical trial
Dr Phillip Newton	Sydney, NSW	University	Project Director for WHICH? Clinical trial, St Vincent's Hospital, Sydney.

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Mr. Pradeep Shirude		CRO	Pradeep Shirude is a Clinical Research Associate with Kendle, India since Jan, 2009. and has worked in Global Phase-III trials in Epilepsy & Diabetes.
Mrs Rebecca Perez	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Database administrator for Disease Management and Preventative Programs at BakerIDI Heart and Diabetes Research Institute.
Rebecca Tunstall	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Senior Clinical Research Associate.
Ms Robyn Peters	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Nurse Practitioner and Clinical Research Nurse conducting Home Based Intervention with patients from the Princess Alexandra Hospital, Woolloongabba, for the WHICH? clinical trial.
Rocio Pliego Rivera		NA	I had volunteered for the influenza research and I had recommended 5 people to do the same.
Mr Roger M Engel	Sydney, NSW	University	I am the principal investigator on 4 trials investigating the effects of spinal manipulation in the management of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease.
Dr Ruth Barrett		NA	I have volunteered for an allergy treatment trial, a safety and efficacy trial for a gel designed to help prevent transmission of HIV and genital herpes, and a flu vaccine efficacy trial.
Miss Sabrina Alnoor Virji	Brisbane, QLD	NA	Was a participant as a Trial Volunteer for a study held by QPHARM (March 2009).
Prof Sally Green	Clayton, VIC	University	Provided advice, information and assistance in the conduct of clinical trials.
Sally Nation	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Department Assistant/Clinical Support Specialist.
Sebastian DiNatale	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Clinical Research Manager.

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Dr Simon French	Clayton, VIC	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Prof Simon Stewart	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Professor and Head of Preventative Health Department at BakerIDI Heart and Diabetes Research Institute.
Ms Stella Green	Cairns, QLD	Hospital	I created the Renal Clinical Trial Co-ordinator position for the Cairns Base Hospital in 2003. Since then, we have enrolled over 150 patients in renal trials. Others also said "Stella developed our renal trials department and has made a significant contribution to pharmaceutically funded trials and also to academic research performed in our department," and "Stella has been working as a clinical trials and research coordinator since I have been working in dialysis over the last 5 years. In this time I have seen Stella tirelessly work to collect accurate data and assist with education and support to our patients."
Most nominated individual on the 2009 Honour Roll			
Prof Susan Michie	London, UK	University	Contributed to the conduct of clinical trials.
Ms Tanya Cole	Melbourne, VIC	Hospital	Study coordinator investigating the treatment of metacarpal fractures in the Occupational Therapy run hand therapy clinic at Austin Health.
Ms Terina Selkow	Adelaide, SA	Hospital	Clinical Research Nurse conducting Home Based Intervention with patients from the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Adelaide, for the WHICH? clinical trial.
Prof Thomas Marwick	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Professor of Medicine, Princess Alexandra Hospital, Brisbane. Investigator in WHICH? Clinical trial.
Ms Trischa Edwards	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Sonographer for the Nil-CHF clinical trial.
Mr Troy Longley	VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	I am a Global Study Manager, managing Phase II-IV Neurology studies across the globe.

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Ms Virginia Gehrke	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	Clinical Research Nurse responsible for recruitment and clinical assessments of patients participating in the Young at Heart trial.
Mr Wayne Dawson	Melbourne, VIC	Medical Research Institute	Clinical Research Nurse conducting Home Based Intervention with patients from the Alfred Hospital, for the Nil-CHF clinical trial.
Mrs Yvette Margaret Thomas	NSW	NA	I am a diabetic who would like to do trials to help myself and others.

ORGANISATIONS

The following 46 organisations listed themselves or were nominated for recognition of their contribution to Australasian clinical trials in the past year (in alphabetical order).

Name	Location	Type of Organisation	Contribution to Clinical Trials
AccessCR Pty Ltd	Sydney, NSW	Information and contract support	Resource for the community to learn about and find clinical trials; Information and support for clinical research professionals.
ARCS Australia Limited	Sydney, NSW	Training Provider	A Not for Profit, member based association that provides education, information and networking opportunities for all those involved in therapeutic goods development.
Australasian Leukaemia and Lymphoma Group	Australia	Sponsor, non for profit	The ALLG is Australia's foremost collaborative group conducting investigator initiated clinical trials in haematological cancers and membership includes virtually all of the key clinical researchers in the field of malignant haematology.
Bellberry Limited	Adelaide, SA	Ethics Committee	Bellberry HREC's provide high quality, rapid, multicentre and single centre clinical trial review. Over \$1m of surplus funds have been donated back to medical research.

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Centre for Complementary Medicine Research, University of Western Sydney	Sydney, NSW	University	University research centre conducting herbal medicine and acupuncture clinical research for IBS, metabolic syndrome, pre-diabetes, vascular dementia, women's reproductive health, muscle soreness, HSV.
CMAX	Adelaide, SA	Phase I Unit	CMAX is a Phase I unit specialising in running first-in-human studies to the highest quality standards. Established in 1993, CMAX is Australia's longest-running Phase I centre.
Cochrane Consumer Network	Melbourne, VIC	Consumer/Charity organisation	The Cochrane Consumer Network provides consumer, patient and carer input into development of systematic reviews of best evidence clinical trials. The better the trials, the better the evidence and people's health outcomes.
Daryl Alexander & Associates	Sydney, NSW	Recruitment Agent	DAA have supported clinical research professionals with career choices, from those keen to learn about the industry, taking initial steps, to individuals at management level.
Dataweave	Australia	Equipment/technology/CTMS/E DC provider	Technology company supporting with implementations of Oracle clinical trial applications in Australia.
Eisai Clinical Research Singapore Pte Ltd	Singapore	Pharmaceutical company running trials	Eisai is a Human Health Care Company, focusing on conducting clinical trials on products to fill the gaps of the world's current unmet medical needs.
Evado Clinical Trials Software	Australia	Equipment/technology/CTMS/E DC provider	Evado was developed to provide researchers with a quick and simple trial management system. It is being used in device and pharma studies, both big and small.
Faculty of Nursing and Midwifery	Sydney, NSW	University	At the Faculty of Nursing and Midwifery, University of Sydney, we are initiating a new postgraduate program in clinical trials from 2010. This will be an important step in addressing the educational needs of nurses working in this field.
GlaxoSmithKline	Boronia, VIC	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	Global pharmaceutical company involved in approximately 60 clinical trials in Australia in 2008-9.

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GSK Medicines Research Unit	Sydney, NSW	Pharmaceutical Company running trials	We run more than 12 phase 1 clinical studies per years in healthy volunteers and patients.
Haematology & Oncology Clinics of Australasia Research Centre	Brisbane & Gold Coast, QLD	Hospital	The Haematology & Oncology Clinics of Australasia (HOCA) Research Centre is a NFP organisation operating in Brisbane and the Gold Coast, providing treatment options to over 70% of QLD's privately treated patients. Conducts trials with pharmaceutical, biotechnology, and collaborative partners.
Hand Therapy and Plastic Surgery Teams. Austin Health,	Melbourne, VIC	Hospital	Commitment to ongoing research, including investigation into the conservative management of metacarpal fractures.
Institute for Eye Research ICTC	Sydney, NSW	Academic R&D clinical trials centre	Offering full service optometric device clinical research activities. Conducted 21 optometric device clinical trials in 2008 across Australia, India and China in contact lenses, solutions, eye drops and spectacles.
Integrative Health Research Unit - Deakin University	Burwood, VIC	University	A University research unit formed in 2007 and running large scale clinical trials examining chronic illnesses such as Fibromyalgia and Chronic Fatigue Syndrome.
Kids in Mind Research, Mater Child & Youth Mental Health Service	South Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	A clinical research centre, based within a children's hospital, that conducts clinical trials of treatments for aggressive behaviours in children and adolescents.
Lung and Heart Physiotherapy Research Team, University of Sydney	Sydney, NSW	University	A team of cardiac and pulmonary physiotherapists conducting clinical research.
Melbourne Renal Research Group/ Medical Research Victoria	Melbourne, VIC	Medical research institute	Melbourne Renal Research Group has been able to undertake over 15 research projects in 4 years and has been worlds largest recruiters in more than 80% of those studies.
Monash Oncology Research Institute	East Bentleigh, VIC	Medical research institute	20 active clinical trials at any one time covering most solid tumours and a range of disease stages. 3 Investigator led trials covering breast cancer and chemotherapy toxicity.

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MSRA Clinical Trials Network	Australia	Consumer/Charity organisation	Keeps the MS community involved with and informed of new trials.
National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC)	Australia	Government	Provided over \$40million of funding for clinical research projects plus infrastructure support, developing a national model for ethical approval of multicentre clinical trials.
Neuroscience Trials Australia	Melbourne, VIC	Not for profit CRO	Neuroscience Trials Australia is the only not-for-profit contract research organisation in Australia actively involved in supporting investigator initiated clinical research across the neuroscience disciplines.
New Zealand College of Chiropractic	Auckland, NZ	Training Provider	The New Zealand College of Chiropractic is currently running a number of clinical trials investigating the effects of chiropractic care.
NSW Clinical Trials Business Development Centre	Sydney, NSW	Government	The NSW Clinical Trials Business Development Centre has been established the NSW government to support and promote the conduct of clinical trials in this state.
Oracle Health Sciences	Singapore/Australia	Equipment/technology/CTMS/E DC provider	Oracle is a strategic software solutions provider to the health sciences industry.
PAREXEL International Pty Ltd		CRO	PAREXEL sponsors/conducts clinical trials across Australia and New Zealand; providing trial management, start up, regulatory, monitoring and quality process & training services to sites.
Prince of Wales Medical Research Institute	Randwick, NSW	Medical research institute, Hospital, University	Research institute running multiple clinical trials.
Q-Pharm Pty Limited	Brisbane, QLD	Independent Contractor	Q-Pharm specialises in conducting early phase clinical trials. Our focus is on participant safety, by working in accordance with all applicable national and international guidelines.
Queensland Clinical Trials Network Inc. (QCTN)	Brisbane, QLD	Professional/Industry Organisation	QCTN actively promotes Australia as the destination for undertaking (pre-)clinical research. QCTN provides HREC, IBC, staff deployment and other business development activities to its 70+ members and the industry.

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Radiation Oncology Services - Mater Centre	Brisbane, QLD	Hospital	A Radiation Oncology department participating in 19 different multicentre cancer clinical trials in breast, prostate, lung and skin cancers with TROG and international research groups.
Red Kinetics	Auckland, NZ	Clinical Trials and Research Consultancy	Clinical research consultancy services to medical device, pharmaceutical, biotechnology, diagnostic and other healthcare organisations. Extensive experience in conducting NZ clinical trials, including phase I - IV studies specific to interventional cardiology, and cardiovascular research projects.
Retinal Therapeutics Research Group	Sydney, NSW	University	We're an international trials centre involved in 10 industry sponsored and 5 investigator initiated trials researching age-related macular degeneration, diabetic retinopathy, retinal vein occlusion and macular telangiectasia.
Royal Women's Hospital Oncology Unit	Melbourne, VIC	Hospital	As a member of ANZGOG the oncology unit at the RWH is actively involved in providing access to patients to new treatments and investigator initiated studies which all aim to give the best treatment options to our patients.
SOPRANO Design	Sydney, NSW	Equipment/technology/CTMS/E DC provider	Leading Applications provider enabling Health Agencies to lower failure to attend rates, provide emergency staff and clinical trials fulfillment, community alerting/broadcasting via mobile technology.
St Vincent's Centre for Applied Medical Research - Clinical Research Program	Sydney, NSW	Medical research institute, Trial network, Hospital	New initiative at St Vincent's Hospital Sydney providing clinical infrastructure to hospital investigators: across HIV, Viral Hepatitis, Palliative Care, Neurology, Cardiology clinical services.
Stryker South Pacific	Sydney, NSW	Medical Devices Company running trials	Sponsor/conduct clinical trials
Sullivan Nicolaides Pathology	Brisbane, QLD	Pathology Laboratory	Currently involved in over 50 clinical trials, providing safety blood testing for clinical trials, collection of samples for trials, flow cytometry, as well as tumour blocks for central pathology review.

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Name	Location	Type of Organisation	Contribution to Clinical Trials
Sydney Centre for Reproductive Health Research	Sydney, NSW	Research centre in an NGO	We have participated in numerous clinical trials in various aspects of reproductive and sexual health including 9 phase 2 studies for the Population Council, New York, 15 multicentre pharmaceutical phase3 trials, 12 self-initiated and funded trials , 2 WHO clinical studies, 3 ARC grants, a NSW Health Dept trial published 40 papers.
Sydney Children's Hospital	Australia	Hospital	Dr David Ziegler and his team screened 3 patients in less than 2 months. Throughout, high quality work and patient care were maintained.
Sydney Orthopaedic Trauma and Reconstructive Surgery	Kogarah, NSW	Professional/Industry Organisation	Sydney Orthopaedic Trauma and Reconstructive Surgery headed by Dr Rob Molnar has initiated 6 clinical studies in the past 12 months.
The Children's Hospital at Westmead	Westmead, NSW	Hospital	A/Prof Stewart Kellie and his team screened 11 patients in less than 2 months. Throughout, high quality work and patient care were maintained.
TPCH Cardiology Clinical Research Centre	Chermside, QLD	Government	Cardiology Clinical Trials.
Wesley Research Institute	Brisbane, QLD	Not For Profit Research Institute	Sponsor/conduct clinical trial; Financial Support; Infrastructure support; Training; Ethical review.
Woolcock Institute of Medical Research	Sydney, NSW	Medical research institute	The Woolcock conducts clinical research in areas such as respiratory and sleep disorders, such as asthma, allergies, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), emphysema, chronic bronchitis, cystic fibrosis, sleep apnea, insomnia, restless legs, mesothelioma, lymphangioliomyomatosis (LAM), physiology, imaging, cell biology, molecular medicine, epidemiology, circadian rhythms and chronobiology. The Woolcock also has engineering capabilities, utilising the latest technology in electronics, software, and analysis to make devices in support of research. There are currently over 50 research projects in progress.

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