

Medical Research Future Fund Australian Brain Cancer Mission - National Consultation on the refreshed Roadmap and Implementation Plan



In December 2024, Cancer Council Australia submitted to the Australian Department of Health and Aged Care on the Medical Research Future Fund (MRFF) Australian Brain Cancer Mission consultation. This consultation sought feedback on the Mission's draft Roadmap and Implementation Plan.

Cancer Council's submission included the following areas:

- The need for a greater focus on carers as part of the targeted calls for research to support Funding Aim 3 of the Mission.
- Providing increased longer-term funding to support transdisciplinary research.
- Improving the evaluation plan to be more specific, and where possible to use existing data sets to evaluate performance.
- To equitably support the translation of findings into clinical practice and ensure all Australians benefit from the investment of the Mission is recommended.

Information about the progress of the consultation can be found on the Department of Health and Aged Care's consultation's webpage: <https://consultations.health.gov.au/health-economics-and-research-division/medical-research-future-fund-abcm/>