

CAC2 Research Foundation Match: A Searchable Website to Match Like-Minded Research Foundations



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CHILDHOOD CANCER

Overview



- ✓ Create a searchable website for organizations with like-minded missions to connect, collaborate, fund research and other projects with a goal of preventing duplication of effort and creating a more coordinated funding effort to support research. Ideally, this would free up more time for researchers to do research and less grant writing & submission.
- ✓ This database will be utilized to match key stakeholders (CAC2 foundations) and facilitate collaboration as well as to create a more efficient process to enable the limited (and sometimes fragmented) resources in the childhood cancer world to be best leveraged.
- ✓ The website will match foundations based on pre-selected requirements and allow further one-on-one conversations between organizations.

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Who are you looking for? ▼

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Based on your search criteria, you have **matched with three programs!**

Learn more information about?

- ☒ The Sarcoma Guild's AYA Opportunity Program
- ☐ The Adolescent and Young Adult International Research Award
- ☐ The Childhood Cancer Consortium's Sarcoma Program

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- Mission of the organization and funding goals
- Scientific Advisory Council details
- Overview of the scientific review process

Goals & Expected Outcomes



- Who will benefit?
- What's the value?
- What does "done" look like?

Who Will Benefit?

- ✓ CAC2 member organizations will benefit with an online searchable database to find & collaborate with like-minded member organizations
- ✓ The greater research community will benefit, both in the near-immediate future and the long term, from a streamlined funding process wherein projects have an increased likelihood of being fully funded via CAC2 collaboration

What is the value?

- ✓ Provide a portal where funding collaborations can be easily found and fostered.
- ✓ Allow foundations to participate in larger funding opportunities through collaboration
- ✓ Create streamlined and standardized information so that organizations can find like-minded partners
- ✓ Elevate CAC2 credibility in the childhood cancer arena and provide additional value for member organizations.

What does “done” look like?

- ✓ The finished product would allow for “matching up” of foundations with similar interests/goals via a database search. It would begin to create a more collaborative environment for funding of childhood cancer initiatives.
- ✓ This project will be done when partnerships are developed through this process and we are able to share those successes both internally and externally.

Major Tasks



➤ **Technology**

➤ **Member profiles**

Technology

- ✓ Identify an in-kind technology partner
- ✓ Identify funding liability, if needed
- ✓ Build out the platform
- ✓ Create a mechanism for organizations to submit their information
- ✓ Develop promotional materials and distribute to organizations to join and use the database

Member profiles

- ✓ Establish a data subcommittee to explore what information is required to build out member profiles and funding interests
- ✓ Create a standardized online template to collect all required information to build profiles of our research funding members
- ✓ Organizations submit their own information
- ✓ Very detailed survey/specific questions regarding each of their funding mechanisms and review processes
- ✓ Scientific Advisory Council & Scientific Review Process very specific and standardized questions to compare apples to apples
- ✓ Information is uploaded to a website where the following things are searchable: Disease Type, type of research, geographic area, award amount, duration of award, areas of interest (examples: pediatric, AYA, drug development, early stage investigators, established award and/or naming opportunities)

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