



The Australian Society for Medical Research

Medical Research - Bringing Health to Life

- Peak professional society representing Australian health and medical researchers
- Direct members and 59 affiliated professional societies and medical colleges
- Corporate and disease related foundation memberships bringing an additional 100,000 Australians into the ASMR network
- Long established role in public, political and scientific advocacy
- Planning for the future of Health and Medical research in Australia

Established 1961 - Not for Profit organisation

Fostering excellence in Health & Medical Research

Non politically aligned

Annual National Scientific Conference

**Proud initiator and trademark owner of
"The Australian Health and Medical Research Congress"**

Career and Professional Development

Research Awards - Student Travel Grants

**Expanding the interface between basic science and
clinical research**

Newsletter - Dissemination of information

Member Directory

Public Outreach and Political Advocacy

Mentor Program

ASMR Medical Research Week^(R)

- ASMR Medallist tour
- Career days
- Seminars
- State Scientific Meetings
- Awards
- Public Lectures/Debates
- Rural Schools Tours
- Schools Events
- Cinema Events
- Dinners in all states
- National Press Club Event

Submissions 2007/8/9/10/11

- Pre-Budget Submissions
- ToR HMR Review
- DIISR Research Workforce
- House SC on Economics
- NHMRC Strategic Plan Consultation
- OSMR NSW Governance of MRI's
- NHMRC Partnership Centres
- NEAF Evaluation
- NHMRC Rsh. Fellowship Scheme
- Pharmaceuticals Ind. Strategy Group
- Innovation Submission
- 2020 Summit Submission
- Climate Change on Training and Employment Needs
- Draft ethical guidelines on the use of ART in Clinical Practice & Research

Recent Initiatives

- ASMR Member Directory
- Ntnl Prof. Development Program
- Mentoring Program

**2011 Deloitte Access Economics Report
"Returns on NHMRC funded Research And
Development"**

2009 HMR Workforce Planning 2009-2019

2008 Access Economics Report

**"Exceptional Returns: The Value of Investing in Health
R&D in Australia II"**