



M E R C I A B A R N E S T R U S T

*to promote research
into Womens Health*



Year	ID	Recipient	Grant Details
1994	94/1	N/A	No grant made
1995	95/1	N/A	No grant made
1995	96/1	N/A	No grant made
1997	97/1	Matthew Coleman	A study of the clinical and biochemical predictors of preterm delivery in women presenting with preterm labour
1998	98/1	N/A	No grant made
		Cindy Farquhar	Princess Diana Memorial Fund Grant
1999	99/1	Bryony Allen	Intraoperative Lymphatic Mapping of Vulval Cancer
2000	00/1	Andrew Shelling	Inhibin and premature ovarian failure
2001	01/1	N/A	No grant made
2002	02/1	Cindy Farquhar	A prospective study of the short term outcomes of hysterectomy with and without oophorectomy
	02/2	Neil Johnson	Summer Studentship for Kaye Wang (metformin for polycystic ovarian syndrome 0 the establishment of a randomised control trial & ovarian surgery for symptoms of PCOS)
	02/3	John Doig and Christina Chan	A retrospective survey of a 10 year experience of chorionic villus sampling for cytogenetic diagnosis
	02/4	Ansulette Von Splunder	Audit and retrospective assessment of multidisciplinary surgical approach to dissection of advanced grade 3 & 4 endometriosis

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2003	03/1	Cindy Farquhar	The Management of dysmenorrhoea \$14,842
	03/2	Larry Chamley	The interactions of trophoblasts, endothelial cells and antiphospholipid antibodies \$12,000 + \$14,000
2004	04/1	Neil Johnson and VP Singh	Multicentre trial in women with Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome, evaluating Metformin for infertility with Clomiphene (the PCOSMIC trial) \$8,000 and \$8,000
2005	05/1	Emma Parry	Safety of Pleurodesis with OK-432 in the fetal sheep paid \$37,652 in August 2008 ?
	05/2	Katie Groom	Prediction of Babies who are small for gestational age by customised birthweight centiles using clinical markers and/or uterine and umbilical Doppler waveforms (ex grant approved Chern Lo)
2006	06/1	N/A	\$50,000 paid in four tranches late 06/early 07 to Prof McCowan for SGA – see above
2007	07/1	Peter Sykes and Olivia Smart	Pilot Study to Assess the Feasibility and Cost Benefit of Human Papilloma Virus Testing in the Follow-Up of women treated for High-Grade Squamous Intraepithelial Lesions within the National Cervical Screening Program \$6,000 (?) 1/7/2009
	07/2	Cindy Farquhar and Jye Ru Lu	The impact of Body Mass Index (BMI) on Semen Parameters \$30,000 paid July 2009
2008	08/1	N/A	No grant made
2009	09/1	N/A	No grant made
2010	10/1	Catherine Appleby	Breastfeeding rates in IVF patients - \$500 paid by Fertility Associates as donation to cover photocopying
	10/2	Vivien Wong	The incidence of levator injury in Polynesian nulliparous women compared to non-Polynesian nulliparous women following vaginal delivery \$45,688 paid 23/03/2012
2011	11/1	Lesley McCowan	Maternal sleep practices and risk of late stillbirth - a multicentre New Zealand study \$31,695 paid 1/1/2012
	11/2	Michelle Wise NB payment made in full Sept 2013	An evaluation of body mass index and ethnicity for endometrial hyperplasia in premenopausal women with abnormal uterine bleeding \$35,500
	11/3	Philip McChesney	A randomised, single blind controlled study assessing the effect of endometrial injury on live birth rate in women who are undergoing an IVF/ICSI cycle \$10,870 paid Sept 2012 and refunded 2014
	11/4	Katherine Coffey	Immunological and Biological Markers of Regression of CIN 2 in Women Under 25 \$10,750 paid 1/1/2012

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2013	13/1	Emily Liu Payment in quarterly instalments, first instalment paid Sept 2013, final instalment June 2015	Intrauterine insemination with stimulation in women with unexplained fertility, \$35,000
	13/2	Katie Groom Payment made in full Sept 2013	Development of a national multi-centre perinatal clinical trials network: a feasibility study, \$20,000
2014	14/1	Charlotte Oyston	"The effect of maternal sildenafil citrate treatment on the growth restricted fetal lamb". \$35,000
	14/2	Sarah Armstrong	"Ethnicity bias in the identification of contributory factors to perinatal mortality". \$20,000
	14/3	Kati Taghavi	Contribution to travel costs to WHO internship in Geneva \$5,000 paid June 2014
2015	15/1	Kara Okesene-Gafa	HUMBA demonstration trial \$34,590
2016	16/1	Charlotte Oyston	Sildenafil Citrate; a novel therapy for intrauterine growth restriction \$13,296.58
	16/2	Kieran Dempster-Rivett	Impact of HPV immunisation on High Grade Cervical Intraepithelial Neoplasia (CIN2/3) in Young Women \$25,006
	16/3	Karaponi Okesene-Gafa	Continuing work on the HUMBA demonstration trial \$35k
2017	17/1	Katie Groom	STRIDER NZAus Child Outcome Study grant in aid \$20k
	17/2	Raille Thompson	"The risk factors for term stillbirth in New Zealand." \$15,448 plus course costs for biostats offered by Trust (costs tbc)
	17/3	Leehe Vardi	"Placental HPV infection in preterm delivery: cause, contributor or innocent bystander" (HIPPOP study) \$25,238.
2018	18/1	Lisa Dawes	"Optimising the care of women at high risk of preterm birth" \$35,000
	18/2	Kenny Chitcholtan	"An in vitro study investigating anti tumour activity of a novel compound DpC in a mouse ovarian cancer cell line, ID-8" \$28,914
2019	19/1	Kenny Chitcholtan	Ovarian cancer research \$13,952

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	19/2	Jo James	Trophoblast stem cells study \$35,000
	19/3	Whitney Pickering	Period Project (on adolescent dysmenorrhoea) \$7,000
	19/4	Helen Winrow	PSSICS (Prevention of Surgical Site Infection after Caesarean Section) study \$4,615
	19/5	Michelle Wise	OBLIGE (Outpatients Balloon vs Inpatient Gel) induction of labour study \$16,238
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2020	20/1	Lucy Prentice	The FIIX study – The Fertility and IVF and Intrauterine Insemination trial in couples with unexplained infertility \$25,000
	20/2	Geraldine McLeod	The Christchurch health and development study, transitions to menopause project \$15,000
	20/3	Mak Sarwar	Investigation of Src/PI3K co-inhibition for the treatment of chemo-resistant high-grade serous ovarian cancer \$15,000
	20/4	Esther Woolston	The Anti-hypertensives in Preeclampsia trial \$10,933
2021	21/1	Karyn Anderson	The Cost of Birth in New Zealand Study \$10,000
	21/2	Xiamin Liang	Is Ultrasound in Pregnancy an opportunity for Prevention of Pelvic floor dysfunction: a feasibility study [UPPP Trial] \$24,640
	21/3	Briar Hunter	A review of clinical practice guidelines relating to preterm birth currently in use in Aotearoa New Zealand \$35,000
2022	22/1	Dr Magda Ratajska	Exploring a novel target for therapeutic intervention in hereditary serous ovarian cancer \$35,000
	22/2	Dr Claire Henry	Diagnostic potential of extracellular vesicles from cervical mucus for endometriosis \$35,000
	22/3	Dr Chiemi Lynch-Sutherland	Insights into invasion: harnessing the potential of unique placental genes \$10,000
2023	23/1	Dr Jordon Wimsett	The BEAD Feasibility Study: Baby Head Elevation device at full dilatation caesarean section \$35,000
	23/2	Dr Juliet Whittaker	Quality Indicators for Colposcopy Services \$10,112

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	23/3	Ms Hadassah Patchigalla	Understanding the Role of Extracellular Vesicles in Endometriosis \$10,000
	23/4	Dr Keryn Harlow	The change in Anti-Mullerian Hormone (ovarian reserve) associated with surgical excision vs conservative management of endometrioma: A longitudinal cohort study \$30,000