

## **Funding Opportunity Announcement: CANSAs Research Type A Funding Call 2023**

The Cancer Association of South Africa (CANSAs) has a [Research Type A Funding opportunity](#) available. Research may be on a range of cancer control determinants, including those with a focus on public health, clinical and basic sciences. CANSAs also welcomes projects investigating cancer control that utilise new methodologies and technologies.

Projects should focus on priority cancers as identified by the National Department of Health, including:

1. Epidemiology and determinants of the burden of cancer in South African populations and interventions to address these.
2. Health seeking behaviours to improve early detection, diagnosis, and interventions to reduce cancer risk.
3. Optimal patient care including clinical care, rehabilitation, and palliation.
4. Health services and health systems strengthening, including research relating to pathways to cancer care.
5. Health economics of cancer, including the economic burden of cancer, its risk factors, and cost-effectiveness research.
6. Research relating to cancer biology/ biochemistry/ molecular biology as these relate to risk reduction, early detection, and both definitive and supportive patient care.

Projects with a high likelihood of impact on cancer prevention or diagnosis and treatment of priority cancers in South Africa will be favoured.

For more information, please refer to the [call guidelines](#).

### **Award details:**

Projects will be funded with up to R1 million per year for three years, subject to satisfactory progress and reporting.

Interested applicants are invited to submit a Letter of Interest, by completing an online application ([Apply online](#)).

In addition to the online application, preliminary proposal approval request form will need to be submitted via UCT's electronic Research Administration system ([eRA](#)) system prior to submission of the Letter of Interest.

### **Please adhere to the following deadlines:**

- Initiate an eRA approval request and contact you Departmental Finance Officer at least 6 weeks before the funder deadline (i.e. no later than **14 February 2023**)
- eRA Finance Approver deadline: **28 March 2023**
- Funder Letter of Interest Deadline: **31 March 2023**

**Invitations for submission of full proposals will be communicated by CANSAs.**

**Please complete this FHS [intention-to-submit form](#) by 1 March 2023 if you intend applying for this call. Please note that completion of this form is for the purposes of internal support and tracking, it is not linked to funder application processes and does not commit you to applying to this opportunity.**

For any further queries, please contact the [Research Development Team](#)