



2022 HBA-ANZBMS Clinical Grant Program Proudly supported by Amgen

Significant patient burdens and conflicting priorities in the care of individual patients means that the management of osteoporosis presents important day-to-day challenges; simple initiatives may produce benefits for patient care that are beyond expectations.

Amgen Australia is proud to announce the **tenth** year of the **HBA-ANZBMS Clinical Grants Program**.

- This program has been established to support projects that:
 - Evaluate the quality use of medicines in the treatment of osteoporosis or
 - Advance the prevention, diagnosis or management of patients with osteoporosis.
- Projects will be evaluated on the following dimensions:
 - Service delivery – improve service efficiency or quality of patient care
 - Capacity building – build new skills in the workforce
 - Innovation – new practices/medicines or new applications of existing practices/medicines
 - Uptake – potential to stimulate further uptake in other settings
- The program is designed to fund projects that generally fall outside the parameters of other sources of funding; such projects may include (but are not limited to):
 - Services aiming to improve long-term rehabilitation
 - Patient awareness programs to promote improved diagnosis in at-risk populations
 - Patient management and practice support systems and tools to improve operational efficiency and service quality
- This program is not intended to support laboratory research studies.
- A maximum of AUD\$40,000 will be awarded (only direct costs will be supported).

The Application Process

- Applicants must be ANZBMS members and based within Australia or New Zealand
- Important dates
 - **Applications close: 5pm, 8th July 2022**
 - **Notification of successful applicants: mid July 2022** (public announcement via ANZBMS Conference **August 2022**)
- Applicants must complete a proposal using the application form available at <https://healthybonesaustralia.org.au/research-grants/latest-grants/>
- Applications will be peer reviewed by a panel of representatives from both ANZBMS and Healthy Bones Australia.
- Please email completed applications to: admin@healthybonesaustralia.org.au at Healthy Bones Australia, quoting **Amgen Clinical Grants Program** in message title.

About Healthy Bones Australia

Healthy Bones Australia aims to increase awareness about bone health to reduce fractures and improve bone health in the community. Healthy Bones Australia focuses on the following key objectives:

- Increase awareness of osteoporosis throughout Australia
- Improve prevention and management strategies
- Increase health professionals' understanding of osteoporosis
- Act as an effective lobby voice in Federal Government
- Fund research in bone health.

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About the Australian and New Zealand Bone and Mineral Society

The ANZBMS is a leading Australasian professional medical/scientific society bringing together clinical and experimental scientists and physicians actively involved in the study of bone and mineral metabolism. Its mission is to promote excellence in bone and mineral research, fostering the integration of clinical and basic science, and facilitating the translation of our science to health care and clinical practice.



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