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## **Researcher-Clinician Partnership Program (RCP<sup>2</sup>)**

**The Centre for Aging + Brain Health Innovation (CABHI):** CABHI is a solution accelerator for the aging and brain health sector. Our driving purpose is to facilitate the improvement of healthcare outcomes for older adults by fostering ground-breaking collaborations among leading global innovators and seniors' care organizations in North America and around the world.

**Program Objective:** This program is designed to enhance the effectiveness of connecting point of care clinicians in the senior care sector with university-based researchers to collaboratively design, test and validate innovative products, services or health practice in the aging and brain health sector. Through RCP<sup>2</sup>, CABHI will provide up to \$500,000 in funding per project to support those project costs directly associated with the trial testing of an innovative solution at an advanced stage of development within an aging population group in North America.

**Challenge Sets:** CABHI will direct funding at innovations addressing challenge sets listed below:

- **Aging in place:** solutions that enable older adults with dementia to maximize their choice, independence and quality of life to enable aging in the most appropriate setting
- **Care support:** solutions that support caregivers (formal and informal) in providing care to older adults with dementia
- **Care coordination and navigation:** solutions that help older adults, caregivers and healthcare providers coordinate care and transitions for older adults with dementia
- **Cognitive health:** solutions that focus on health promotion, prevention, early diagnostics, and slow the progression of cognitive impairment for aging adults

**Eligibility:** Teams may include researchers, clinicians, educators, industry partners and/or end-users located worldwide. However, each team must include at least one clinician and one researcher; one of whom must be identified as the project's Principal Investigator, who must be employed by an institution that is a Canada Revenue Agency "qualified donee" located in Canada.

**Investment Model and Award Value:** CABHI will support project costs that are directly associated with the trial of an innovative solution (product, service, or practice), to a maximum of \$500,000 (CAD), with a timeline for completion that does not exceed 15 months. CABHI funding will be provided directly to the host institution employing the Principal Investigator.

**Timeline:** CABHI launched RCP<sup>2</sup> on April 2, 2018, and will be accepting submissions until May 18, 2018.

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