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Budget 2019 – Overview

**INVESTING IN THE MIDDLE CLASS**
- First-Time Home Buyer Incentive
- Affordable housing measures
- Canada Training Benefit
- National Pharmacare
- Supporting graduate students through research scholarships

**BUILDING A BETTER CANADA**
- Transfers to municipalities
- Affordable electricity bills
- Support for zero-emission vehicles
- High-speed internet to all Canadians
- Building Research Excellence in Canada

**ADVANCING RECONCILIATION**
- Delivering clean water and better health care to Indigenous Communities
- Preserving and promoting Indigenous Languages
- Indigenous Post-Secondary Education

**DELIVERING REAL CHANGE**
- Addressing Major Healthcare Challenges
- Expanding Support for Artists and Cultural Events
- Supporting Veterans and their Families
- Increasing Canadas International Assistance Envelope

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Discoveries for life
Budget 2019 – Measures for CIHR

Supporting Graduate Students Through Research Scholarships

Amount
$114 million over five years, starting in 2019–20, with $26.5 million per year ongoing, to CIHR ($32M/5yrs), NSERC ($34M/5yrs), SSHRC ($48M/5yrs)

Rationale

• Responds to the Budget 2018 commitment to determine how to better support research trainees through scholarships and fellowships.

• Generates more talent and skills in Canada, helping innovative firms in Canada thrive and creating economic growth and good middle-class jobs.

• Makes higher education more accessible for students and enables them to develop the research skills needed in a knowledge-based economy.
Budget 2019 – Measures for CIHR

Paid Parental Leave

Amount
$37.4 million over five years, starting in 2019–20, and $8.6 million per year ongoing, to CIHR ($14M/5yrs), NSERC ($15M/5yrs) and SSHRC ($9M/5yrs)

Rationale

• Expand parental leave coverage from six months to 12 months for students and postdoctoral fellows who receive granting council funding.
• Help students who are parents to integrate their research training with their family responsibilities at the time of the birth or adoption of a child.
• Supports the granting agencies’ commitment to ensure that all researchers and research trainees have equitable access to support.
Cumulative increases to CIHR’s base budget

- **CIHR Base Budget**
- **Priority Driven**
- **Investigator Initiated**
- **SFS**
- **PPL**
Third-Party Research Organizations

The **Fundamental Science Review** recommended that ongoing activities of third-party research organizations that receive federal support be assessed.

**Budget 2018** committed to consider a new approach to determine how to allocate federal funding to third-party research organizations.

**Budget 2019** proposes to establish a **Strategic Science Fund** starting in 2022–23.
Budget 2019 – Building Research Excellence in Canada

**Stem Cell Network**
Renewed funding of **$18M over 3 years** starting in 2019–20 to support the work of the organization in translating stem cell research into clinical applications and commercial products.

**Terry Fox Research Institute**
**Up to $150M over 5 years**, starting in 2019–20, to help establish a National Marathon of Hope Cancer Centres Network. The Institute would seek matching funding through a combination of its own resources and contributions that it would seek from other organizations, including hospital and research foundations.

**Ovarian Cancer Canada**
**$10M over 5 years** beginning in 2019–20 to help address existing gaps in knowledge about effective prevention, screening, and treatment options for ovarian cancer.

**Brain Canada Foundation**
**Up to $40M over 2 years**, starting in 2020–21 to the Canada Brain Research Fund. This investment will be matched by funds raised from other non-government partners.
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Genome Canada

$100.5M over 5 years, starting in 2020–21 to launch new large-scale research competitions and projects, in collaboration with external partners, ensuring that Canada’s research community continues to have access to the resources needed to make transformative scientific breakthroughs and translate these discoveries into real-world applications.

Let’s Talk Science

$10M over 2 years, starting in 2020–21, to support STEM activities and learning programs and help ensure more girls—and other groups that are underrepresented in STEM—gain and maintain interest in STEM from an early age.

TRIUMF

$196 million over 5 years, starting in 2020–21, to advance medical isotope production, drug development, cancer therapy, clinical imaging, and radiopharmaceutical research, working with the National Research Council.
Budget 2019 – Other Departments

Veterans Affairs Canada

**Pain Research**

$20.1M over 5 years, starting in 2019–20, with $5M per year ongoing, to Veterans Affairs Canada to create a Centre of Excellence on Chronic Pain Research.

**CIMVHR**

$25M over 10 years, starting in 2020–21, to fund CIMVHR’s ongoing operations.

Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada

**Work-integrated learning**

$17M over 3 years, starting in 2019–20, to support the Business/Higher Education Roundtable to ultimately create 44,000 work-integrated learning placements and opportunities per year by 2021.

**New International Education Strategy**

$147.9M over 4 years, starting in 2019-2020, and $8.0 million per year ongoing, to increase international study and work opportunities and to encourage international students to choose Canada as their education destination of choice.
Key Measures Related to Indigenous Peoples

**Indigenous Post-Secondary Education**

- **$327.5M over five years** to First Nations-led post-secondary education support programs
- **$125.5M over ten years** to Inuit-led programs,
- **$362.0M over ten years** to Métis Nation-led post-secondary education strategy
- **$9.0 M over three years**, starting in 2019–20, to Indspire for additional bursaries and scholarships for First Nations, Inuit and Métis students.

**Better Information for Better Services**

- **$78.9M over seven years**, starting in 2019–20, with $13.7 million per year ongoing, to permanently fund the Surveys on Indigenous Peoples and the First Nations Regional Health Survey.

**National Inuit Suicide Prevention Strategy**

- **$50M over 10 years**, starting in 2019–20, with $5 million per year ongoing, to support ITK’s Inuit-specific approach through the Strategy to address deaths by suicide in Inuit communities.
Budget 2019 – Measures for Health Canada

Pharmacare
Creation of the Canadian Drug Agency
$35M over 4 years, starting in 2019–20, to establish a Canadian Drug Agency Transition Office
Up to $1 billion over 2 years, starting in 2022–23, with up to $500 million per year ongoing, to help Canadians with rare diseases access the drugs they need.

Opioids
$30.5M over 5 years, starting in 2019–20, with $1M in ongoing funding, for targeted measures to address persistent gaps in harm reduction and treatment.

Organ Donation
$36.5M over 5 years, starting in 2019–20, with $5M per year ongoing, to develop a pan-Canadian data and performance system for organ donation and transplantation, in collaboration with provincial and territorial partners.

Blood Donation
$2.4M over 3 years, starting in 2019–20, for additional research specific to reducing barriers to the donation of blood plasma, which supports crucial treatment for patients with immunodeficiency, leukemia and a wide range of other illnesses.
Budget 2019 – Measures for PHAC

**Suicide Prevention**

$25M over 5 years, starting in 2019–20, with $5M per year ongoing, to work with experienced and dedicated partners in the space to support a pan-Canadian suicide prevention service, in order to provide people across Canada with access to bilingual, 24/7, crisis support from trained responders, using the technology of their choice (voice, text or chat).

**Dementia**

$50M over 5 years, starting in 2019–20, to support the implementation of Canada’s first National Dementia Strategy, which is expected to be publicly released this spring.