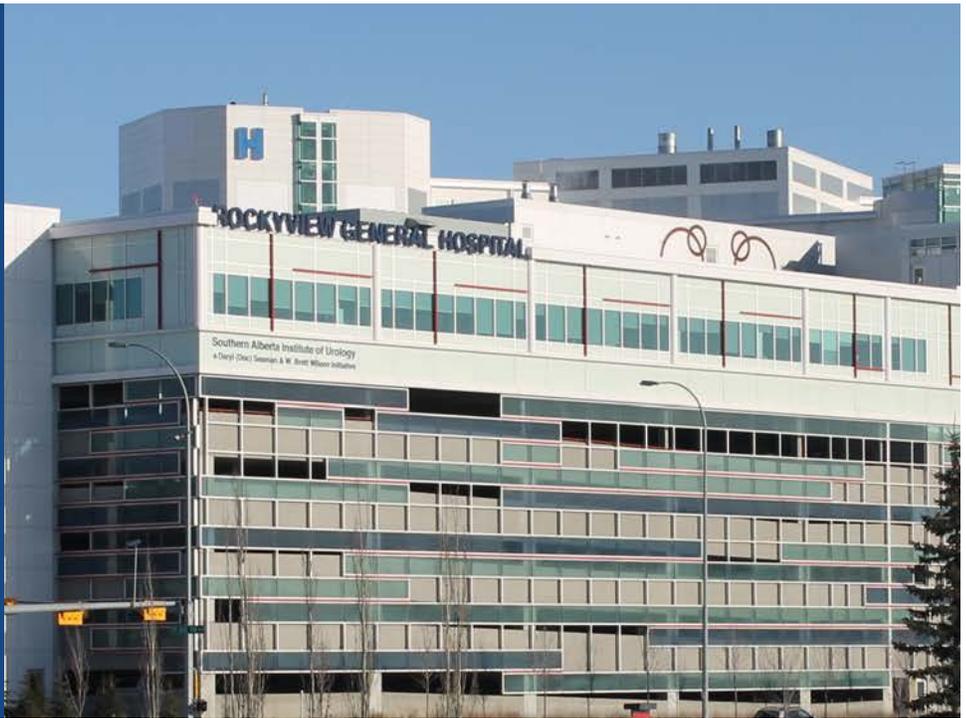




Prostate Cancer
Centre

Executive Director's
Report



Upcoming Events:

August 30, 2016

**Prostate Cancer
Awareness Month**

September 2016

**MAN VAN Celebration
BBQ**

September 17, 2016

Crystal Shores Beach House

Okotoks, AB

Board, Staff & Volunteers

Please RSVP to Camille at

403-943-8954 or

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by September 7, 2016



Hi All,

July and August have been busy months here at the Prostate Cancer Centre. We use to see a slowdown in our Rapid Access Clinic programs over the summer, but not this year. Patient visits are steadily moving upward. We had 55 Man Van clinics in the last 2 months and have tested 29,000 men this year. It would be terrific if you could attend a celebratory BBQ (noted to the left) for all our staff and volunteers.

All our summer fundraisers were extremely successful. Priddis raised a whopping \$325,000 and the Remington Tournament raised \$400,000. We had a new tournament this year led by Dr. Eric Hyndman's friends, and in their first year they raised \$20,000.

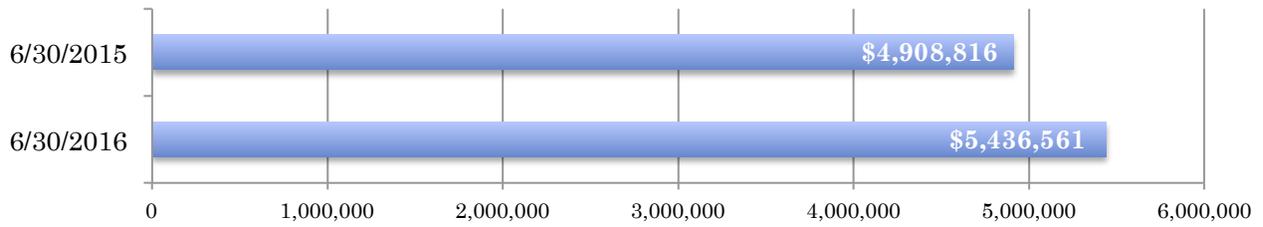
Good news! We received ministerial approval for the space across the hall. We are anticipating a January construction start date.

All is not sunny. Our general donations YTD are down by \$187,000 from last year. This has been partially offset by our Research Department bringing in money and the Urologists rental increase. We have tightened expenditures and have only spent an additional \$18,000 YTD compared to 2015.

The next PCC Board meeting is September 14th at 4:00pm. See you then!

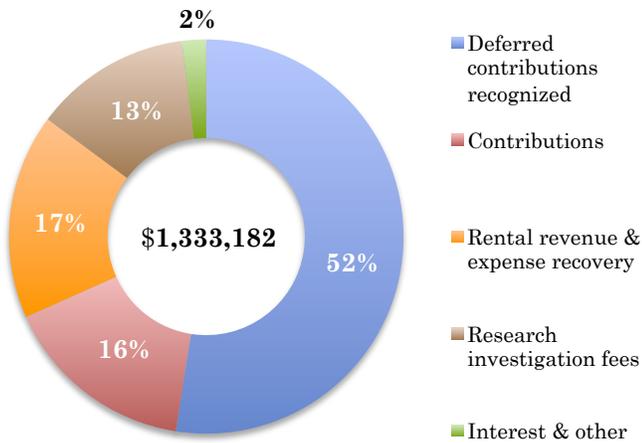
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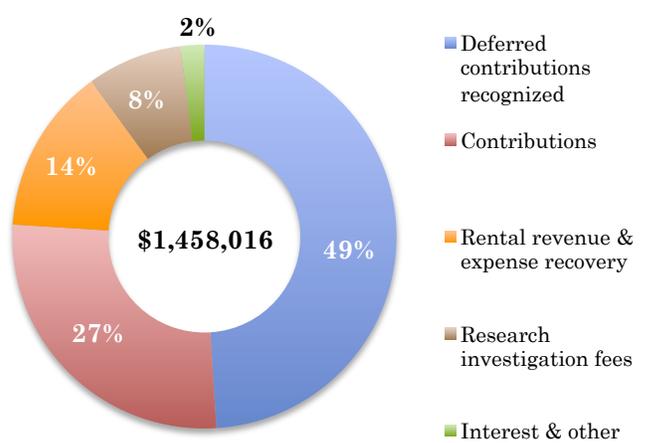


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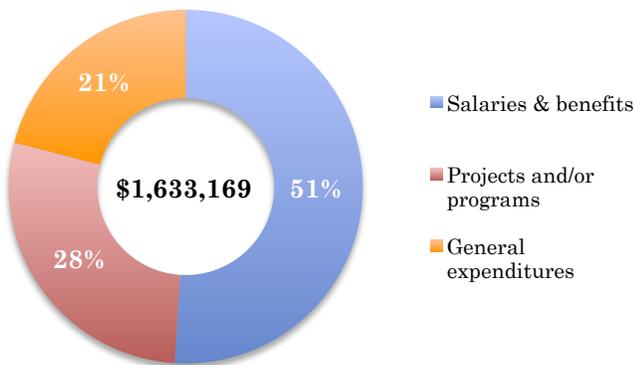
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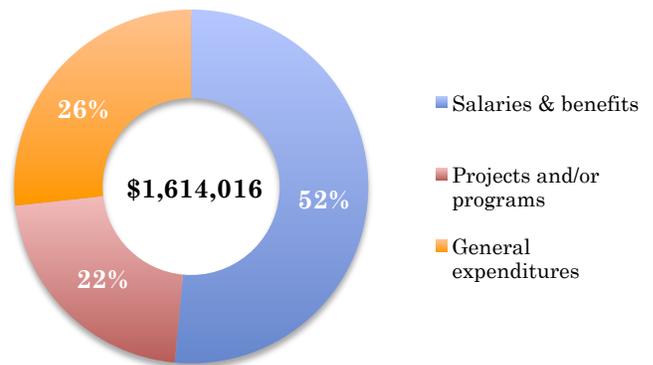
2015 Revenues



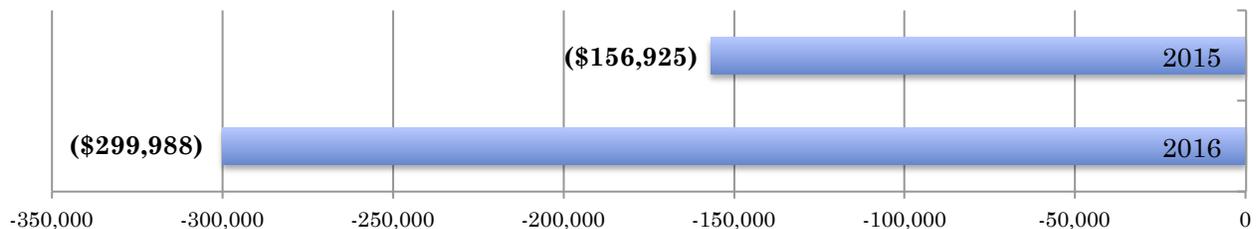
2016 Expenditures



2015 Expenditures



Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures



Rapid Access Clinics

Attendance at all Rapid Access Clinics (RAC) continues to grow. Historically in the summer, we decreased the number of RAC 2, (an education session for treatment options for men) and Life After Prostate Cancer, (post treatment education regarding exercise, nutrition, intimacy issues, incontinence), but due to the increase in patient numbers, we have been unable to do so.



RAC 6, (hormone therapy), is a clinic that follows men with advanced prostate cancer with Androgen Deprivation Therapy, management of bone health and consideration of palliative care consults. A urology nurse practitioner assists with the patient visits and teaching. This clinic addresses men who have metastatic disease. This means our programs now cover the complete spectrum of treatment for men with any stage of prostate cancer.



Men's Health

The number of clinics with a Men's health component continues to grow. We have a database of over 400 men. When followed up by phone six weeks after taking part in Know your numbers, approximately 50% of the men stated making a positive change in their health behavior. Some of the verbal feedback is:

"Everybody should get checked. It's helpful and it's free!"

"Whole group of staff is caring and kind, very professional, some of the information I've never really thought of before."

Rapid Access Clinic 4:

What is it?

Patients who have had surgical treatment will be followed up by a nurse at the PCC after 3 months and 9 months post-op appointments. They are assessed for continence and erectile issues and offered various treatments or referred to specialists if necessary.

Quick Facts:

1. While some RAC 4 programs have been running since 2011, program expansion to include follow-up visits with a Nurse started in 2013.
2. To date this year we have seen 200 men at the 3 month mark and 100 at the 9 month mark.
3. Good support system for men to be able to address their physiological and psychological concerns following their prostate cancer surgery.
4. Currently in the process of adding 2, 3 and 4 year questionnaire follow up to assess the patients further recovery status.
5. 2016 cost of this program is \$161,986.
6. We will have 3 months of funding left for this program at the end of 2017.

Quote from a Patient:

"After the Injection Clinic today I was thinking about how many aspects of care you have helped with following my prostatectomy and that of many other men. Your combination of knowledge, experience, and interpersonal skills make you very effective in a difficult and important job. I am not all the way back yet but my wife and I very much appreciate what you have done for us."

- 1 Remington Charity Golf Classic - \$400,000



- 3 NUTraiser - \$15,000



- 2 Priddis Greens Charity Classic - \$325,000



- 4 Scott Land Stomp - \$25,000



- 5 Fore Men's Health Golf Tournament - \$20,000



Fund Development – Man Van

The Man Van participated in the following fundraisers: Priddis Golf Charity Classic, Remington Charity Golf Classic and Just Fore Men's Health Golf Tournament. There were 12 sponsored clinics for July and August. This include: Bayer, Prostate Cancer Fight Foundation, InterPipeline, ProstaId, Western Electrical Management, Blood Tribe Department of Health, BASF, and FortisAlberta.



July and August was a very busy time for the Man Van with 36 clinics (16 urban, 20 rural). 1,061 men were tested ...510 for the very first time!

Rural Van

The Van ventured off the highway and down the gravel roads of small town rural Alberta. Towns such as Three Hills (Population 3,198; 61 tested) and villages like Milo (Pop. 122; 32 tested) benefited from the Man Van rolling into their community, and the reception was fantastic!

- 20 clinics
- 561 men tested (average 28/clinic)
- 280 received a PSA for the first time (average 50%)
- 102 do not have a family doctor (average 18%)
- 7 rural clinics have include Men’s Health Initiative

City Van

During July and August, the Man Van could be found at Stephen Avenue, Canadian Tire, local farmers markets and show and shines. On August 19th the Van hosted a “Know Your Numbers” men’s health clinic at the Mustard Seed, providing PSA, blood sugar, blood pressure and BMI measurements to 36 men.

- 16 clinics
- 505 men tested (average 32/clinic)
- 230 received a PSA for the first time (average 46%)
- 81 do not have a family doctor (average 16%)
- 2 clinics have include Men’s Health Initiative



Man Van Tracker:

Urban Clinics

Saturday, September 3rd

BBQ on the Bow

Shouldice Arena
1515 Home Rd NW
12:00-3:00

Saturday, September 10th

Korean Health Fair

Calgary Christian School
5029 – 26 Ave SW
11:00-3:00

Sunday, September 11th

Canadian Tire

Shawnessy
250 Shawville Way SE
12:00-3:00

Wednesday, September 14th

ATB- Airdrie

404 Main Street South
11:00-2:00
(Men’s Health Clinic)

Rural Clinics

Three Hills

Tuesday, August 16th

Farmer’s Market
Three Hills Curling Rink
10:00AM – 1:00PM

Olds

Thursday, August 18th

Olds Farmer’s Market
Olds Cow Palace
5116 – 54 Street Olds, AB
3:30PM-6:30PM
(Men’s Health Clinic)

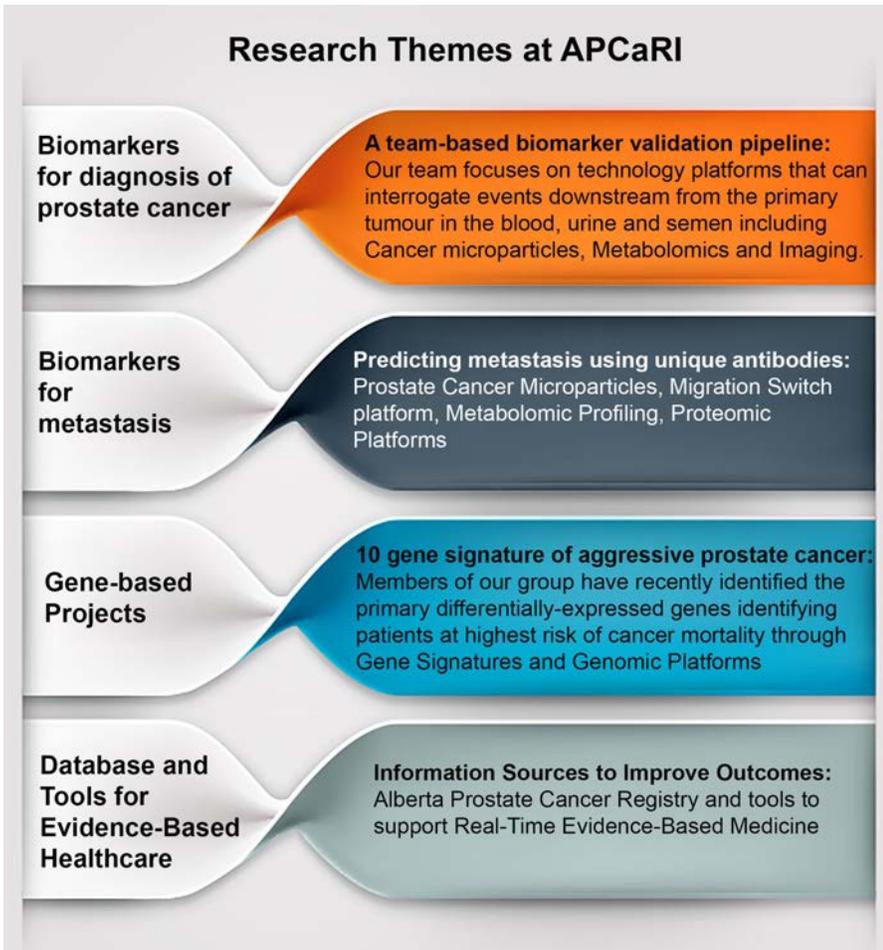
Cochrane

Saturday, August 20

Ag Society Park
43080 Bow Valley Trail
12:00PM-3:00PM

Alberta Prostate Cancer Research Initiative (APCaRI)

What is the goal of the APCaRI project? The successful clinical translational of tests developed under our initiative will provide a personalized “dynamic staging” of prostate cancer that is not possible with current pathology, blood and imaging tests. They will improve the clinical management of prostate cancer patients at each stage of the disease, and have the real potential to positively impact patient outcomes and improve quality of life for those living with prostate cancer.



Quick Facts:

Here are our numbers for the past month of July:

Alberta Prostate Registry & Biorepository

Accrual / City:

Calgary (PCC): 43

Total: 956

Edmonton (3 sites): 17

Total: 961

Combined Total: 1,917
(38.3% of the goal!)

Annual Follow Ups:

Calgary (PCC): 24

Total: 244

Edmonton (3 sites): 11

Total: 108

Combined Total: 352

Current Status of the APCaRI Project: Currently, APCaRI researchers are testing samples from both Calgary and Edmonton on 3 unique biomarkers they have found that could be used as new diagnostic tests for prostate cancer. These 3 biomarkers have shown great promise when tested in a small cohort of 70+ patients, and our researchers are testing it is over 800 patients to validate them further. Hopefully, 1 or all 3 of these biomarkers will be the new diagnostic tests to diagnose prostate cancer. Although further investigation is needed, these new tests could in a few years replace prostate biopsies and identify aggressiveness of prostate cancer leading to better treatment decisions and ultimately to improve the quality of life of patients with prostate cancer and their families as well as the reduction of prostate cancer metastasis.



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