

**Prince Edward Island Health Research  
Institute**

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Please help us serve you better by taking a few moments to fill out this survey form. After completing the form, we ask that you send it back to PEI HRI at [peihri@upei.ca](mailto:peihri@upei.ca).

1. Identify the PEI HRI membership group to which you belong (Full, Affiliate, Post-Doc/Grad) and the length of time you have been a member.

	<1 year	1-3 years	>3 years
Full			
Affiliate			
Post-Doc/Grad			

2. Why did you join the PEI HRI? (check all that apply)

Benefit for my research endeavours from PEI HRI's funding resources and contacts.

Interest in PEI HRI's forums, workshops, and seminars.

To support of the goals of PEI HRI as a knowledge centre.

To contribute to/appreciate/support research excellence in Prince Edward Island.

Everyone else was joining.

To be affiliated with a local Institute that supports research.

Other:

3. Please indicate the frequency with which you have participated in/attended each of the following workshops/seminars/forums.

	Never	Once	2-4 times	Annually
Annual PEI Health Research Forum				
Cafe Scientifique				
2009 Bioscience Business & Research Forum				
Health Research Seminar Series (includes Lunch & Learn)				
Knowledge Translation Workshop				
Writing for Publication Workshop				
Grant Writing Workshop				

4. Are you familiar with PEI HRI's research awards and funding support programs?

Yes      No

If you answered Yes to the above question, are you in favour of changes to awards or programs? For instance, would you support reducing the number of Grant Development Support Awards from four per year to two, so that two Summer Undergraduate Student Awards could be offered?

Do you have other suggestions regarding awards and/or funding support programs?

5. Can you think of ways that the Institute could improve information sharing about these awards and programs?

6. Please list the level and nature of any involvement you have had with the following PEI HRI awards/programs. (check all that apply)

	Requested Information	Participant	Nominated	Recipient	Supervisor
Research Group Development Awards					
Grant Development Support Awards					
Mentoring Program					
Summer Undergraduate Student Research Awards					

Dr. Stewart MacDonald Health Research Excellence Award					
Grant Development Workshop					

7. In which of the following research fields are you engaged/interested?

(check all that apply)

- Applied Health
- Bioscience
- Natural Sciences
- Social Sciences
- Veterinary Medicine

8. Please check all that apply in the following list of PEI HRI partners if you have submitted applications to them/ if you have been funded by them.

	Submitted application	Successfully funded	Funded >1time	Multi-year funding
Canadian Institutes of Health Research				
Atlantic Canada Opportunities Fund				
Atlantic Innovation Fund				
Canada Foundation for Innovation				
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council				
Natural Science and Engineering Research Council				
UPEI or other University				
Not-for-Profit Organization				

Government PEI				
Government Federal				
Private Industry				
Foundation(s)				
Other				

If your submission/successful grant was with a funder in the last 7 rows of the above question (starting at UPEI), please name the funding agency/department.

9. What is the value added contribution of the PEI HRI to your research?

10. What are the major barriers to your success in research?

11. What do you need to help you to be successful in your research?

12. Name some strategies that the PEI HRI could do to help advance your health research.

We welcome any other suggestions and comments you wish to make.	
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Thank you for taking the time to fill out this survey. If you wish to contact us, please do so at (902)894-2812 or <a href="mailto:peihri@upei.ca">peihri@upei.ca</a> .	