

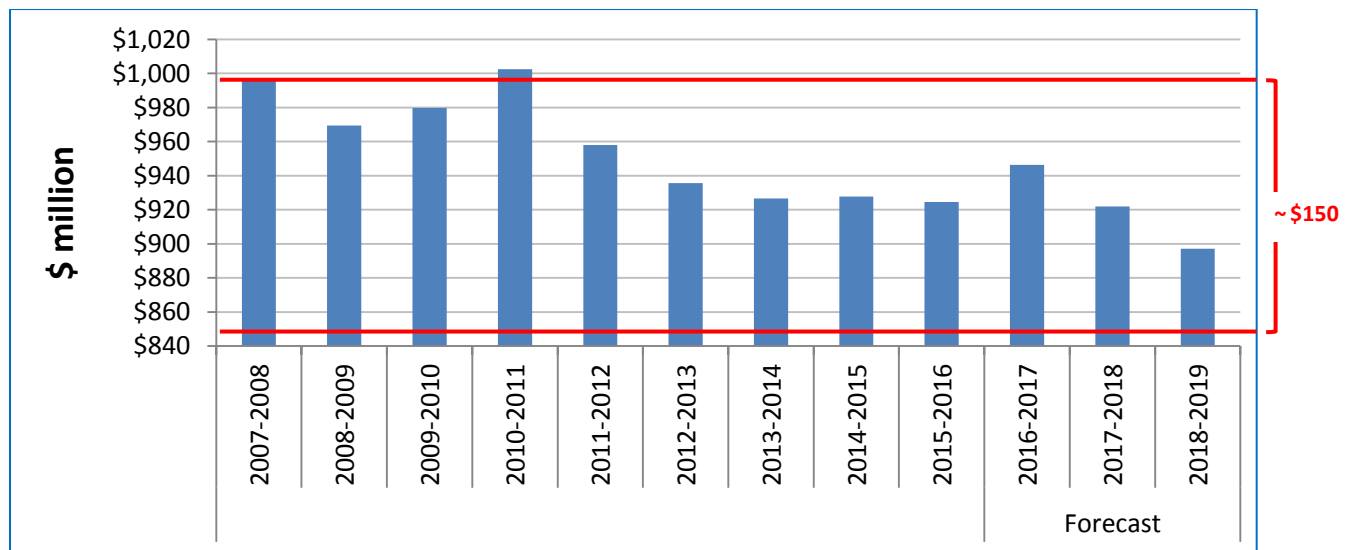
Secure Restorative Funding for CIHR

(Fact Sheet 1)





A Year in Review: Budget 2016 provided the largest unfettered increase to the federal granting councils in a decade. Specifically, for CIHR, the Budget provided for \$30M in additional funding each year. The Federal Budget called for a Science Review, possibly stimulated by concerns in the research community. The report is due end of December. The Association of Early Career Health Researchers was formed. CIHR called an emergency meeting to deal with issues of peer review.

Why is further funding for CIHR necessary now?


- **Budget:** With the exception of Budget 2016, CIHR's core budget has not increased since 2010.



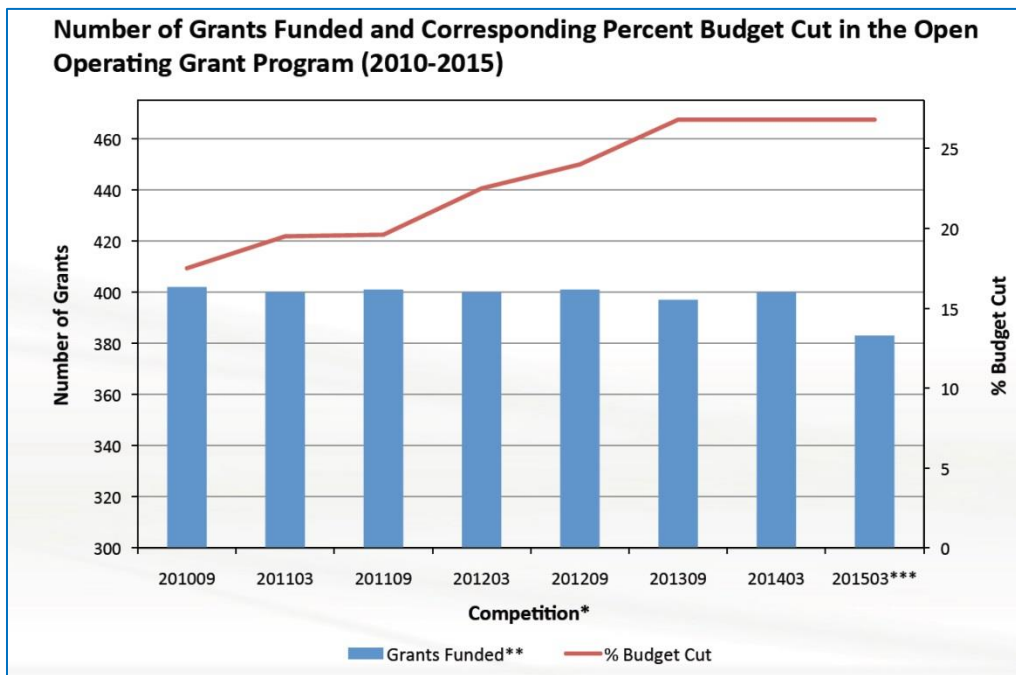
- **International:** Our health research spending is falling behind that of other countries.

Region	Health Research Expenditure (\$M)	Total Health Expenditure (\$M)	Health Research Expenditure / Total Health Expenditure
 United States	\$ 130,383	\$ 2,900,000	4.5%
 Australia	\$ 5,500	\$ 130,000	4.2%
 United Kingdom	\$ 8,500	\$ 235,000	3.6%
 Canada	\$ 6,400	\$ 214,900	2.9%

- **Scientific Community Demoralized: Trust needs to be restored.**

<p>IMPACT OF THE CIHR REFORMS ON CANADIAN HEALTH RESEARCH: A PAN-CANADIAN SURVEY</p> <p>Survey Summary Report</p>	 <p>Pushback from scientists forces overhaul of funding system in Canada</p> <p>IVAN SEMENIUK - SCIENCE REPORTER The Globe and Mail Published Thursday, Jul. 14, 2016 7:49PM EDT Last updated Friday, Jul. 15, 2016 11:02AM EDT</p>
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- **Declining Success Rates:** In 2007-2008, CIHR received 3625 application and had a 22.5% success rate. In 2013-2014 there were 5389 applications and 15% success. Applies across men, women, and Canada Research Chairs who are having trouble getting CIHR grants.



- **Early Career Researchers:** The number of grants awarded to early-career researchers has dropped from almost 20% to less than 15%.

