

**Summary of Health Consumer Organisations supported by Medicines Australia Member Companies  
For the period: 1 January 2018 - 31 December 2018**

**Company:** Merck Serono Australia Pty Ltd

Name of Health Consumer Organisation	Description of and/or purpose of support	Nature of support (monetary value or equivalent) or description of non-financial support
GLOBAL PEDIATRIC ENDOCRINOLOGY AND DIABETES (GPED)	Support the publication of educational booklets by GPED in various languages on endocrine disorders for provision to patients and their carers	\$10,000
MS Research Australia	Purchase of 2 tables (2x \$2,000 each) at Kiss Goodbye MS Secret Gardens fund raising event. Merck staff & partners attended	\$4,000
MS Australia	Merck donation from car wash fundraising activity organised by Merck	\$756
Rare Cancers Australia	Financial support provided towards travel and accommodation for patients and carers (nominated by Rare Cancers) to attend The CanForum at Parliament House, Canberra, September 2018	\$4,800
Bowel cancer Australia	Donation towards ongoing communication and patient activities in 2018 to promote the vision and mission of Bowel Cancer Australia; i.e. "To have an everlasting impact on our health future – one where no Australian dies from bowel cancer and all those diagnosed receive the support they need".	4,400
Rare Cancers Australia	Purchase a table for 10 at Rare Cancers Halloween Charity Ball 2018 fundraiser. Merck staff and partners attended.	2,500
Trish Multiple Sclerosis Foundation	Donation towards the operation of the Trish MS Foundation. The Foundation works in association with MS Research Australia and with researchers around Australia and provides funds towards research projects that aim to find a cure or preventive strategy for multiple sclerosis.	\$4,000