

Summary of Health Consumer Organisations Supported by Medicines Australia Member Companies

For the period: **1 January to 31 December 2020**

Company: **Janssen**

Health Consumer Organisation	Description and/or Purpose of Support	Nature of Support
Arthritis Australia	National Research Program to strengthen capacity of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health researchers in the field of arthritis and musculoskeletal conditions.	\$50,875
Arthritis Australia	<i>My AS Patient Support Program</i> website to provide tailored information, tools and support for people living with ankylosing spondylitis.	\$40,000
Arthritis Australia	<i>My PsA Patient Support Program</i> website providing tailored information, tools and support for people living with Psoriatic Arthritis.	\$40,000
Arthritis Australia	National Rheumatoid Arthritis Consumer Awareness Campaign.	\$10,000
Creaky Joints Australia (Global Healthy Living)	Development and launch of a new patient resource " <i>A Patient's Guide to Living with Axial Spondyloarthritis</i> "	\$20,000
Crohn's & Colitis Australia	A month-long National Awareness campaign for patients living with inflammatory bowel disease.	\$25,000
Crohn's & Colitis Australia	Integrated Care Project to develop a framework for an integrated model of care for patients living with Inflammatory Bowel Disease.	\$37,000
Dragon Claw	Emerging Priorities - Musculoskeletal Medication Adherence Project aimed at helping close the gap in health outcomes for First Australians living with musculoskeletal conditions, including inflammatory arthritis.	\$25,000
Leukaemia Foundation	Digitalisation of the Cancer Concierge Service: an omni-channel service offering for people living with blood cancer, comprising seamless online and offline interaction with the LF's digital health content and Blood Cancer Support Coordinators. The digital platform will bring together several priority service needs into a personalised digital experience to help people: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • deal with cancer-related fatigue • transition into post-treatment life • provide financial and legal support • return to work/productivity • learn to manage their health details. 	\$50,000
Lymphoma Australia	CLL Virtual Education Forum: providing Australian patients with the opportunity to hear from both international and local experts on the latest developments in CLL and how best to manage their disease through a dedicated virtual patient education forum.	\$5,300

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Lymphoma Australia	Lymphoma Australian Consumer Advisory Committee Inaugural Meeting to establish a consumer advisory committee comprising a group of patients, convening the group, and hosting an inaugural virtual meeting to inform the future work of Lymphoma Australia in meeting the needs of CLL and lymphoma patients.	\$4,500
Lymphoma Australia	<p>Lymphoma Australia’s 2020 patient and nurse education and awareness activities, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raising awareness of lymphoma leading to earlier detection and better outcomes for patients. • Improving health literacy through education • Developing capabilities including digital, to better support patients and nurses. <p>Carried out through patient and nurse webinars, website redesign/development, and development and delivery of nurse education modules.</p>	\$60,000
MSK Australia	MSK Helpline offering information, consumer education and support for people living with musculoskeletal conditions, carers and families.	\$5,000
Myeloma Australia (Myeloma Foundation of Australia)	Delivery of the 2020 Major Workshops and Seminars Program: providing education, information and support to myeloma patients and their families through fact-to-face and online workshops and seminars across Australia.	\$33,096
Myeloma Australia (Myeloma Foundation of Australia)	2020 National Myeloma Month Program: raise awareness of the disease, provide education and information to patients, carers, and the wider community through the provision of four virtual myeloma awareness and education seminars during the month of May.	\$12,500
Myeloma Australia (Myeloma Foundation of Australia)	<p>Convene a one-day virtual meeting for clinical researchers, nurses and clinicians working in the field of myeloma across Australia/New Zealand. Organised under the auspices of the Myeloma Scientific Advisory Group of Myeloma Australia. Aims of the meeting are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide a focus to promote myeloma research in ANZ • Provide a forum for early and mid-career researchers to present their work • Promote collaboration and innovation • Develop novel translational and clinical trial projects 	\$15,000
Myeloma Australia (Myeloma Foundation of Australia)	Facilitate the convening of the Myeloma Scientific Advisory Group’s two annual meetings and the publication of clinical papers, including COVID-19 Guidelines, to support better health outcomes for myeloma patients.	\$7,500

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Patient Voice Initiative	<p>Support 2020/21 activities that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • deliver a forum for collaboration and dialogue within a public-private partnership that encourages broad participation of a variety of stakeholders including patient advocacy groups and not-for-profits, the pharmaceutical and medical device industries, healthcare professionals, academia, and government. • utilise the expertise of stakeholders through working groups to identify and prioritise key issues, and to evaluate, and propose initiatives that support the patient voice through enhanced involvement in the HTA process; • provide tools and resources for consumers, patients, industry, and government that support education and the development of new methods and approaches to delivering patient input to be used in the regulatory and HTA processes. 	\$12,000
Rare Cancers Australia	<p>Awareness and patient support initiatives that include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing a line of direct support to those diagnosed with rare or less common cancers • Improving understanding and awareness of need for health system reform • Delivering conversations and driving debate surrounding personalised medicine and new technologies • Increasing understanding of the registration and reimbursement systems that underpin access and what needs to change <p>Delivered through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital awareness programs • Societal impact of Rare Cancers report • Cancer genetic panel testing review/analysis 	\$55,000
Rare Cancers Australia	<p>Support the work of the National Oncology Alliance through Rare Cancers Australia to deliver and launch <i>Vision 2030</i> - the foundation of a National Cancer Plan focussing on</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emerging therapies and technologies from treating symptoms to cure • Patient preferences and choice • Collaboration of stakeholders and integration • Understanding and measuring outcomes for future investment • Equitable and timely access to best treatment and technologies • Healthy lives generate a healthier economy 	\$25,000