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Definition of Indirect Costs of Research

The indirect costs of conducting research are costs that are borne by an institution related to research, but that are not associated with specific research projects. These may include the salaries of staff dedicated to administering research support, training for health and safety, maintaining libraries, laboratories and office space (including custodial services, internet access and furnishings) as well as development of research infrastructure such as Intellectual Property policies and Research Ethics Boards.

The Research Support Fund Program

The Research Support Fund assists Canadian postsecondary institutions and their affiliated research hospitals and institutes with the expenses associated with managing the research funded by the three federal research granting agencies. The Government of Canada allocates a portion of research grants from federal agencies received by researchers to their home institutions each year. The Research Support Fund Program distributes indirect costs expenditures in five categories:

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development activities absorbed \$890; these include membership fees for the Research Coordinator and her participation in various events in the Canadian Association for Research Administrators (CARA), Association pour la recherche au collégial (ARC) and l'Association des administrateurs et administratrices de recherche universitaire du Québec (ADARUQ) throughout the year. These training and information sessions are crucial to allow the College to remain competitive for funding by informing key personnel of new developments and providing networking and partnership development opportunities.

Affiliated Organizations

[CRISPESH](#) – Centre de recherche pour l'inclusion scolaire et professionnelle des étudiants en situation de handicap is a CCTT, [un centre collégial de transfert de technologie](#), affiliated with Dawson College and Cégep du Vieux Montréal. The Center was officially recognized in 2010 by the [Ministère de l'Éducation et de l'Enseignement Supérieur](#).