

Queensland Health Partner Cash Funding

2022 Guidelines and Conditions of Award

Description and Purpose of Funding

Through its partnership with Queensland Health (QH), QAEHS has funding available for University of Queensland-led environmental health science research projects.

QAEHS is able to distribute funds as Queensland Health 'Partner Cash' contributions' to ARC, NHMRC and other National Competitive Grants (Category 1), Queensland Government and other government grants (Category 2), and any other grants that require such contributions (e.g., NHMRC Partnership Grants, ARC Linkage).

2022 Key Dates

Call opens	25 May 2022
Applications for QH partner cash due	21 June 2022
Anticipated outcome announced	30 June 2022
Date by which full applications must be submitted to grantor	31 August 2022

Funding

The Queensland Health Partner Cash contribution will be capped at \$30,000 per annum for up to 5 years. It is expected that the QH contribution will account for no more than 1/3 total project funding.

To be eligible for Queensland Health Partner Cash Funding, your application must include a commitment from other industry partners to provide total cash that at least matches the total funding requested from Queensland Health.

Total available funding in this round is \$230,000. Funding for successful projects may be reduced pro-rata if successful requests exceed the total available funding.

Eligibility

Proposed projects must:

- Be relevant to the field of environmental health sciences
- Be led by a University of Queensland researcher
- Involve a QAEHS theme leader in the research team
- Include a cash commitment(s) from other industry partner(s) that at least matches the total funding requested from Queensland Health.

Selection criteria for assessment of applications

Requests for QH partner cash contributions will be assessed using the following criteria:

- strategic value to QAEHS;
- strategic value to Queensland Health;
- excellence of proposed project/usefulness of equipment;
- research excellence of team; and
- value for money.

Application Process

Applications should be submitted using the Queensland Health Partner Cash Funding Application Form to gaehs.research@uq.edu.au by no later than 21 June 2022.

Conditions of Award

- Recipients of a QH cash contribution should submit their full application to the grantor within 2 months of being notified of the outcome of this application. No extensions will be available.
- The contribution from QH is conditional on having at least a matching contribution from other industry partner(s). Written confirmation of the commitment is required at the time of application for QH partner cash. If cash contributions from other industry partners are withdrawn or reduced before submission to the granting body, the awarded QH partner cash contribution will be withdrawn or reduced accordingly.
- Any successful grant application with a QH partner cash contribution that is not administered by QAEHS will be required to share the secondary gains income with QAEHS. The HERDC % split will be calculated based on the proportion of the total value of the grant that is QH partner cash funding from QAEHS (e.g., if the QH partner cash contribution is 10% of the total grant funding, then QAEHS will receive 10% of the secondary gains income). The [Operational Unit Split Form for Research Projects](#) is to be completed at grant establishment.

Further Information

For further information, please email gaehs.research@uq.edu.au.