Diabetes Research Funding and Impact of Covid-19

About this survey and questionnaire

EURADIA invites Organisations that fund Diabetes research to participate in this Survey with the aim of highlighting the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on resources (grants, funding programmes), research staff, and on future planning. There is already evidence of Diabetes Organisations being severely impacted by a fall in donations, and other income - despite the increased clinical threat from Covid-19. We would like to hear the challenges your Organisation has faced, the lessons learned, and what can be done to ensure that funding for Diabetes research is secured for the future.

No personal data will be collected, and your Organisation will not be identified publicly. The questionnaire should take about 20 minutes, you may wish to have information to hand on your Organisation's budgets for Diabetes research.

If you do not have all the information, or if it is too early to respond, please answer what you can. Your response will not be registered until you click Done. For more information secretariat@euradia.org.

Note: layout of this form is slightly different to online version (this is for info only).

Go to: https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/KY7G5FN

1. Contact details for Organisation

Organisation name* 
Department 
Address 
Address 2 
City/Town* 
State/Province 
Postal Code 
Country * 

Email address for information on funding

Telephone no.

2. I have read the information above and agree to participate in the EURADIA survey. I understand that no personal information will be collected, and the Organisation can withdraw from the survey at any time.

☐ Yes
☐ No
3. Organisation website (with information on grants and funding)  

4. Organisation type / legal status  
- Not-for-profit / charity  
- National Government ministry / department / agency  
- European Union  
- Industry  
- Philanthropic  
- Other (please specify)  

5. Does the Organisation provide research funding for Diabetes (and/or its complications) ONLY – or does it also fund Other conditions?  
- Diabetes only  
- Other conditions (including Diabetes), please give details:  

6. What percentage (%) of funds goes to Diabetes if Other conditions also funded?  

7. In which geographic region(s) does your Organisation operate (tick all that apply)?  
- National  
- Europe  
- International (global)  

8. Considering the past 4 years, from where did your Organisation usually obtain its income [as percentage (%) of total]?  
- Donations from individuals / organisations  
- European Union funds (e.g. Horizon 2020)  
- Events (e.g. sports, medical congress)  
- National Government  
- Industry partnerships  
- Membership fees
9. Has the Covid-19 pandemic had an impact on your Organisation's income?
   ○ Yes
   ○ No
   ○ Too early to tell

If yes, explain how and by how much:

10. Has your Organisation changed (or plan to change) the way it generates income because of Covid-19?
   ○ Yes
   ○ No
   ○ Too early to tell

If yes, please explain in what way:

11. What are the top three research priorities for your Organisation (not including Covid-19)?

   Priority 1
   Priority 2
   Priority 3

12. How does your Organisation decide research funding priorities? (Tick all that apply)
   ○ National diabetes (or general) research road map or plan (with website)
   ○ External expert consultation
   ○ Internal discussion on strategy
   ○ European Union priorities
   ○ Donor organisations or individuals
   ○ Open competitive calls for research proposals
   ○ Spontaneous unsolicited research proposals
   ○ Other, please specify:

13. Does your Organisation fund (or plan to fund) research into Covid-19 and Diabetes?
   ○ Yes
   ○ No
   ○ Too early to tell

If yes, please give examples:
14. What percentage (%) of funds for Diabetes research goes to which type of diabetes (approximately)?

Type 1 diabetes

Type 2 diabetes

Other types (e.g. gestational, monogenic)

All diabetes types, cannot distinguish

16. How many calls for funding applications does your Organisation publish / advertise in a normal year [(e.g. requestions for funding applications (RFAs) / programme announcements (PAs) / requests for proposals (RFPs)]

17. Please give your Organisation’s webpage/link for funding/grant applications (if you have one)

18. Has your Organisation reduced or cancelled any grants or funding due to Covid-19?

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Too early to tell

If yes, please give details:

19. Has research funded by your Organisation been cancelled or disrupted locally (in university/hospital/other location) due to Covid-19? (e.g. cancelling projects, trials, programmes, redeployment of university/hospital staff (as far as you know)?)

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Don’t know
20. What research fields are funded by your organisation (tick any that apply)?

- Biomaterials
- Care delivery
- Clinical sciences, clinical trials
- Complications, macrovascular
- Complications, microvascular
- Devices, information technology (IT), algorithms, artificial intelligence (AI), smart technology
- Education, self-care
- Epidemiology
- Genetics
- Health economics
- Health systems and services
- Immunology
- Integrative physiology
- Metabolism
- Microbiome
- Pathophysiology
- Prevention
- Psychology/sociology
- Public health, health inequalities, social determinants of health
- All the above
- Others, please specify
21. Expenditure (approximate) on research into Diabetes and/or its complications by your Organisation since 2017? (in Euros)

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22. Does your Organisation engage in advocacy for Diabetes?
- Yes
- No

If yes, please provide examples:

23. Do you have other comments/observations about research funding for diabetes during the Covid-19 pandemic?

24. Do you have any thoughts about lessons learned for the future?

25. Any other comments

26. Would you be willing to participate in an interview (telephone / Zoom) based upon this survey?
- Yes
- No

If yes, please give your name and email [ ]

Thank you for completing this questionnaire, your help is appreciated.