

ABOUT THE OVARIAN CANCER RESEARCH FOUNDATION



The OCRF was established in 2000 and is Australia's leading independent funder of ovarian cancer research.



The OCRF funds research in four key areas: early detection, treatments, management of recurrence and prevention.



The OCRF's goal is to improve ovarian cancer outcomes for women, by funding research that will have the greatest impact on the greatest number of women.

KEY OVARIAN CANCER STATISTICS



This year, around 1,720 Australian women and girls will be diagnosed with ovarian cancer – only 48% of them will survive five years.

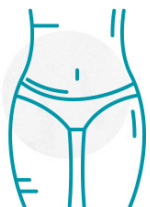


Over the next 10 years, Australia will lose 8,000 women to ovarian cancer, and more than 1.3 million will die globally.



Ovarian cancer is the most lethal of all breast and gynaecological cancers and the most fatal of all forms of cancer affecting women.

SIGNS & SYMPTOMS



Ovarian cancer signs and symptoms can be vague, or can often be misdiagnosed as common female complaints. This is why over 70% of ovarian cancer diagnoses are made in the late stages. Here are signs and symptoms to look out for:

- Vague abdominal pain or pressure
- Feeling of abdominal fullness, gas, nausea, indigestion
- Sudden abdominal swelling, weight gain or bloating
- Persistent changes in bowel or bladder patterns
- Low backache or cramps
- Abnormal vaginal bleeding
- Pain during intercourse
- Unexplained weight loss

FUNDING NEEDS ARE URGENT



So we can develop more targeted treatment options for women living with ovarian cancer.



So we can develop a vital early detection test for ovarian cancer.



So that we ultimately save the lives of women and girls, worldwide.

RESEARCH PRIORITIES AND PROJECTS



**EARLY
DETECTION**



TREATMENT



**MANAGEMENT
OF RECURRENCE**



**PREVENTION
& CURE**

WAYS TO CONTRIBUTE

1

Scan the QR code to find your friend or a team to sponsor who are participating in the Silver Lining Ride

2

Share the facts and stats about ovarian cancer to raise awareness



3

Make an ongoing contribution through our regular giving program - The Lab.

4

Consider adding a gift to the OCRF in your will.



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