

MAKE MEDICAL RESEARCH A PRIORITY IN THE GENERAL ELECTION 2016

Increasing Investment for Medical Research

Health Research equals better health outcomes for people in Ireland

Ongoing investment by the State in health research is needed

Appoint a Director of Research in the HSE

Leadership is a vital part of any successful programme

We're calling for a research tsar who would have responsibility for championing research across the health services

Development and Maintenance of patient registries

Patient registries are essential for good quality health research but their importance is not currently acknowledged

A National Patient Disease Registries must be developed

Effective Resourcing of The National Rare Disease Plan (NRDP) for Ireland

The National Rare Disease Plan launched in July 2014, but has yet to be incorporated in to the HSE Service Plan

There needs to be clear commitments on implementing the NRDP

Improved Legislative Framework for Medical Research

Did you know that two pieces of vital health legislation that have not progressed in the lifetime of the current Government

Let's make sure the next Government prioritise The Health Information & Patient Safety Bill and The Human Tissue Bill