

Auxiliary Research Awards

Grace Barraclough & Doris Winterbottom Research Awards

With the generous support of the BC Women's Auxiliary, both of these awards were established in 2005 to support work in women's health research and to honor the work of these two women who were champions of research both at the hospital and, later, at the Auxiliary. Six awards, totaling \$120,000, were granted from 2005 – 2007.

2005 Winners

Grace Barraclough Award

Title of Research: *A randomized double-blind comparison of a 5 unit intravenous oxytocin bolus versus placebo as a strategy to prevent uterine atony at Caesarean section in women who are at increased risk of post-partum hemorrhage.*

Investigators: Dr. Joanne Douglas, Dr. Kylie King, Dr. Waldemar Unger, Areta Wong

Doris Winterbottom Award

Title of Research: *Regaining urinary continence in postmenopausal women with osteoporosis: A randomized controlled trial.*

Investigators: Dr. Meena Sran, Pat Lieblich, Penny Wilson

2006 Winners

Grace Barraclough Award

Title of Research: *Developing community-based aboriginal health researchers in gender and tobacco use: A capacity-building project.*

Investigators: Dr. Kristen Bell, Dr. Annette Browne, Dr. Lorraine Greaves, Dr. Joy Johnston, Nancy Poole, Karen Devries, Denise LeCoy, Deborah Schwartz

Doris Winterbottom Award

Title of Research: *Building better practice in maternal substance use & addictions: Tracking health and social outcomes for mothers discharged from the Fir Square Combined Care Unit.*

Investigators: Dr. Amy Salmon, Nancy Poole, Sarah Payne

2007 Winners

Grace Barraclough Award (2)

Title of Research: *Impact of genetic counseling for women who have a family history of a major mental illness.*

Investigators: Dr. Jehannine Austin, Catriona Hippman, Dr. William Honer

Title of Research: *High risk obstetrical patients: Stress and anxiety in a vulnerable population*

Investigators: Dr. Nichole Fairbrother, Dr. Peter von Dadelszen, Dr. Martin Antony