**COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA**

**Alzheimer’s and Related Diseases Research Award Fund**

**Enactment:** 1982, Code of Virginia, (current § 51.5-153, original § 2.2-719)

**Purpose:** To stimulate research, foster the application of knowledge, examine the effects, and increase public understanding of Alzheimer’s and related diseases.

**Administering Agency:** Virginia Center on Aging, Virginia Commonwealth University

**Application Process:** Competitive, Third Party Professional Review Panel

**Website:** [go.vcu.edu/ardraf](http://go.vcu.edu/ardraf)

**Subsequent Related Funding Obtained by ARDRAF Awardees:** $45.6 million documented, $1.7 million pending

**Subsequent Related Scientific and Professional Publications:** 313 documented

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**$5.33 Million in Total Awards:**

- 4 $5,000 seed grants, 1982-1983
- 52 $10,000 seed grants, 1984-1996
- 12 $16,500 seed grants, 1997-1999
- 2 $25,000, 3 $20,000, & 1 $15,000 seed grants, 2000
- 5 $25,000 seed grants, 2001
- 4 $25,000 & 1 $2,550 seed grants, 2002
- 3 $25,000 & 1 $22,000 seed grants, 2003**
- 3 $25,000 & 1 $5,000 seed grants, 2004
- 7 $25,000 seed grants, 2005
- 7 $30,000 seed grants, 2006
- 10 $40,000 & 1 $9,300 seed grants, 2007 & 2008
- 5 $37,000 seed grants, 2009
- 4 $37,500 & 1 $18,750 seed grants, 2010
- 4 $40,000, 2011
- 4 $40,000, 1 $12,500, & 1 $8,000 seed grants, 2012
- 7 $40,000 & 1 $7,775 seed grants, 2013
- 31 $45,000 & 4 $25,500 seed grants 2014-2018*
- 18 $45,000 seed grants 2019-2020

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**Recipients of 191 Awards:**

- University of Virginia, 62
- Virginia Commonwealth University, 56
- Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, 20
- George Mason University, 15
- Eastern Virginia Medical School, 12
- Old Dominion University Foundation, 7
- VCU-Shenandoah Family Practice Residency, 3
- College of William and Mary, 2
- James Madison University, 2
- Mountain Empire Older Citizens, Inc., 2
- Alzheimer’s Assoc. Central & Western Virginia, 1
- Alzheimer’s Assoc. Southeastern Virginia, 1
- Carilion Clinic, Carilion Medical Center, 1
- Christopher Newport University, 1
- Consumer Consortium on Assisted Living, 1
- Family Respite Center, Falls Church, 1
- Ferrum College, 1
- Goodwin House, Inc., Alexandria, 1
- Hunter Holmes McGuire VA Medical Center
- Liberty University, 1
- Marymount University, 1
- Radford University, 1
- Randolph College, 1
- Shenandoah University, 1
- Virginia Department of Emergency Services, 1
- Warren Memorial Hospital, Valley Health 1
- Western State Hospital, 1

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