

MEDICAL DEVICE PARTNERING PROGRAM

CONNECTING IDEAS, DEVELOPING SOLUTIONS, IMPROVING LIVES

The Medical Device Partnering Program (MDPP) is an ideas incubator - fostering collaborations between researchers, industry, end-users and government to develop medical technologies with global market potential.

The MDPP's mission is to bring ideas to life for new medical devices – whether they come from a medical professional who sees the opportunity to solve a problem, the user who designed their own solution, a company that sees the opportunity to diversify their product portfolio or an academic who wants to connect their ideas with application. Some come with problems to be solved, while others come with solutions that need the right expertise to make them viable.

MDPP is unique in its focus and the way that it operates. It works at the very early stage, turning ideas into proven concepts. It has reliable processes and tools that enable partners to rapidly work together under low risk conditions. It is able to leverage a diverse range of expertise to contribute to product conceptualisation, including health professionals, manufacturers, engineers and service providers. The focused scale of a 250-hour project, combined with a product opportunity assessment, delivers tangible outcomes for clients.

The MDPP provides a mechanism to develop proof-of-concept, prototyping, clinical evaluation and commercialisation planning, and its unique approach enables clients to leverage the best expertise, perspectives and networks. Ideas that are brought to the MDPP cover a range of solutions including therapeutic devices, diagnostics, hospital equipment and accessories, surgical instruments, assistive technologies and software and simulation tools.

If you have a medical device or assistive technology or idea that could benefit from research and development assistance, contact the MDPP today. You can enquire through our [online form](#) or phone 08 8201 5029.

