



BIENNIAL REPORT 2018-2020

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OUR ORGNIZATION

The Chinses Anti-Cancer Association Australia Inc (CACA Australia) is a newly established non-profit organization with a formal registration at New South Wales Fair Trading in 2018. It aims to build a platform on addressing the complexities of cancer prevention, diagnosis, and treatment and to promote awareness amongst the community.

Our Vision

To devoted to reducing the incidence and mortality rates of cancer, and to ultimately achieve a cancer-free future in our community.

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Our Mission

To reduce cancer burden among Chinese community and raise their knowledge and awareness of cancer risk and prevention, and to provide support for patients with Chinese background to navigate the cancer care system and to get the best possible care.

Our Objectives

1. Providing educational information to support cancer patients, their families and the community (particularly among Australians with a Chinese heritage) to ultimately improve and enhance their quality of life.
2. Fund-raising to support and invest in primary prevention of cancer through identifying preventable risk factors as well as secondary prevention through early detection and targeted cancer treatments.
3. Organizing scientific workshop and forums with a focus on presenting newly discovered research and optimal clinical practices from experienced professionals.

Our Values: Innovation; Collaboration; Respect; Learning

MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT

Dear Friends,

As the President of Chinese Anti-Cancer Association Australia (CACA Australia), I warmly welcome you joining this unique association.

I speculate that there are several reasons why you have decided or are going to join our association. You see that CACA Australia is a non-profit organization that welcomes all who want to volunteer their time and effort to support cancer research and education. Its objectives are 3-fold: first, to facilitate collaborations among Australian Chinese professionals in the field of cancer research, treatment and prevention; second, to promote the flow of knowledge between related professionals and collaborators in Australia and China; and thirdly, to provide practical, rigorous information to assist cancer patients, their families, and the large Chinese community here in Australia.

My friends, on behalf of the executive committee, I welcome you to be part of our organization. We are looking forward to your participation at all levels. We need volunteers to help with the maintenance of our website and WeChat where information can be more efficiently disseminated, we need donations to support Scholar Award program and many other initiatives, we need ideas how to do more and better with limited resources and manpower, and we need your time and energy to make our association stronger. Please contact us to share your ideas. Together, we can make CACA Australia one of the strongest bridges to connect the cancer research and treatment between Australia and China. Thank you very much for being one of us.

Welcome you to CACA Australia!



Dr Xue Qin Yu

President of CACA Australia

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2018/19 was a busy, challenging as well as fulfilling year for Chinese Anti-Cancer Association Australia (CACA Australia).



To achieve our objectives, the past twelve months also saw the completion of a number of meaningful new projects, such as, understanding cancer series, cancer screening awareness. We have set up a number of activities to build synergy and foster collaboration, such as setting up a WeChat group consisting of both professionals and community members where we regularly share up to date cancer related information, and provide relevant information related to cancer diagnosis and treatment to cancer patients' family members.

Currently delivers a range of quality information and support services to the Chinese community in Sydney area. We are looking forward to the new partnership project with Local Health Districts (LHD) and aim to, in time, extend our outreach service to that regions as well.

Additionally, with the gracious help of our partner George Clinical, we held our first scientific Seminar in September. The seminar was centered around comparing the cancer incidence rates amongst Chinese migrants in Australia with those Australian born, as well as the palliative care patterns among cancer patients with Chinese background in Australia.

Moving forward, we hope to improve the activities in creating collaborations with professionals and communities. We understand that the long-term sustainability and efficiency of these projects relies upon the pillars of frequent communication and effective cooperation among all of our valued members. We hope that you will join us on our journey.

We wish to express, once again, our appreciation to our supporters and sponsors who offered their services and financial assistance to CACA Australia over the year. Special mention must be made of our dedicated volunteers, who have had to endure an especially challenging twelve months. They have had to work under difficult conditions. We sincerely thank all of you for your diligence and commitment.

PUBLIC SUPPORT SERVICES

1. Public Education Sessions

The public education sessions were mainly focused on cancer prevention and screening awareness, GP's role in cancer screening.

Simultaneous interpretation was available for both Chinese and English-speaking participants. The education sessions were recorded and published in CACA Australia WeChat and newsletters. With the consent of the guest speakers, the recorded information sessions were uploaded onto the website of CACA Australia.

- **The Session One:** *What should you know about cancer screening in Australia*, held in City of Sydney in March 3, 2019, a total attendance 81 participants.
- **The Session Two:** *The role of family doctors in cancer screening*. held in City of Sydney in March 3, 2019, a total attendance 81 participants.
- **The Session Three:** *Understanding gastric cancer: etiology, diagnosis and treatment*, held in City of Sydney in September 29, 2019, a total attendance 201 participants, including online attendance.
- **The Session Four:** *Understanding colorectal cancer surgery*, held in City of Sydney in September 29, 2019, a total attendance 201 participants, including online attendance.



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- **The Session Five:** *Understanding what's difference of early diagnosis and screening of cancer between Australia and China*, held in City of Sydney in September 29, 2019, a total attendance 201 participants, including online attendance.
- **The Session Six:** Understanding cancer radiotherapy and precision radiotherapy, held in City of Sydney in September 29, 2019, a total attendance 201 participants, including online attendance. *(in collaboration with ICON)*
- **The Session Five:** *What you should know about cancer immunotherapy in Australia*, held in City of Sydney in September 29, 2019, a total attendance 201 participants, including online attendance.
- **The Session Six:** *COVID-19 transmission and prevention: what should we know and what should we do?* Held online in February 2, 2020, a total attendance 221 participants *(in collaboration with Southern Skyline Consulting)*



2. Telephone and Online Support

Emotional and information support was provided over the phone, email, and online chat to 170 clients. A total of 49 phone/email and online chat were made to provide more intensive emotional support and information support.

- For examples:
- Where can I find Chinese information about cancer screening?
 - How is cancer screening performed in Australia?
 - Can I join free bowel cancer screening as I am 50-year-old with Australian permanent resident?
 - Can you recommend a specialist speaking in Chinese?
 - Can you please advise any new drugs about immunotherapy in Australia?

3. Newsletter and WeChat Media

Newsletters were published monthly, and A total of 81 WeChat articles were published during the year. The Newsletter and WeChat Article provide the latest cancer news, educational information; promote the services and activities; and also provides a platform for sharing the personal experiences of patients and carers. A total of 520 subscribers are on the distribution list. The newsletters and WeChat articles have also been uploaded to CR's website for public viewing.



Upcoming Event: Multicultural Primary Care Cancer Forum

Multicultural Primary Care Cancer Forum will held on Wednesday 26 June, target for the primary care health professionals

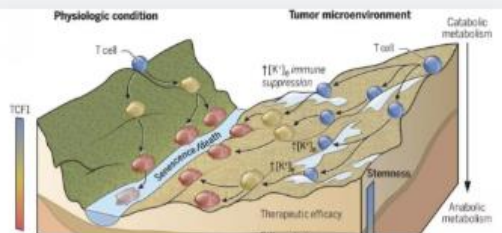
更新于 2019年05月20日



大部分癌症可预防，很多危险因素都可控！

CACA Australia 公众号每月推出肿瘤资讯，文章摘自澳洲各大新闻报纸和医学肿瘤类期刊杂志。供大家

更新于 2019年05月20日



《科学》发表重大抗癌突破：强化训练T细胞成为癌症治疗关键！

Restifo博士的团队发现癌细胞发展了一种手段去束缚T细胞从而保证自己不被攻击或是消灭。在这次的研究中，科学家们不仅发现了癌细胞的“心机”，更找出了背后真正的原因：钾离子浓度！



三月份澳洲肿瘤资讯

CACA Australia 公众号每月推出肿瘤资讯，文章摘自澳洲各大新闻报纸和医学肿瘤类期刊杂志。供大家参阅。欢迎大家反馈和推荐

更新于 2019年03月30日

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

The special professional program is a major activity in CACA Australia and continues to be supported as an important service to the members. CACA Australia delivered a couple of successful events hosted by senior executives.

1. Program One: Cancer Rate among Chinese Migrants in Australia (in collaboration with Cancer Council NSW)



2. Program two: Palliative Care Information and Resources for Cancer Patients of Chinese background and their Families (sponsored by George Clinical)



3. China Oncology Congress Award: 3 professionals attended 2019 China Oncology Congress in China.

4. Memorandum of Cooperation: Collaboration between ICON Cancer Service and CACA Australia signed in May 31, 2019



5. Bridge Program: Collaboration between China Anti-Cancer Association and CACA Australia.

6. Cancer Patient Story Series: The 3 stories have been selected and published on the book of Cancer Survival Stories.



VOLUNTEER MANAGEMENT

A total of the 15 volunteers have been recruited during the year. They were assigned to different roles based on their interests and skills assessment.

To commend volunteers' dedication and contribution to CACA Australia, the President Dr Yu hosted a luncheon for all volunteers at Chinese Restaurant in September

The annual outstanding volunteers have been selected, and the President presented certificates of appreciation to them who had dedicated their time towards conducting our support events.



ADMINISTRATION & EVENTS

1. Organization Structure



2. Visit the SAN Integrated Cancer Centre: organizing the members to visit the Center's chemotherapy ward, radiation oncology, Healing Garden and Jacaranda Lodge.

3. CACA Australia Website and Facebook Page were well maintained and continually improved throughout the year.

4. Members Exercise & Picnic: Two members' outings were conducted with a total of 33 participants.



5. Christmas Party:

December 2018: held in Chinese Restaurant.

December 2019: held in Wests Ashfield Leagues Club



6. "Cloud Singing" with the theme of "Let the World Be Filled With Love"

"We treasure the same love in our hearts
No matter if we know each other
No matter if you're here or faraway
Let us pray with sincerity
To wish you peace and happiness"....



FINANCE

CACA Australia since established in April 2018 have received membership fees and donation of \$4181.00. The overall financial performance from 2018 had seen an operating surplus.

The Executive Committee will devote to source funding from external bodies for grants to maintain CACA Australia.'s current services and any future developments.

April 2018 to 30 Jun 2019

Year 2018 to 31 Dec 18 expense

Category	Cost
Admin Expenses	\$ 1,253.57
function canteen	
Postage	\$ 196.67
Telephone & Interr	\$ 330.90
Grand Total	\$ 1,781.14

Year Jan 2019 to 30 Jun 19 expense

Category	Cost
Admin Expenses	\$ 120.41
function canteen	\$ 160.14
Postage	
Telephone & Internet	\$ 417.72
Grand Total	\$ 698.27

Year 2018 31 Dec 18 Income

Category	Cost
Member Fee	\$ 2,515.00
Donation	\$ 40.00
Bank Interest:	\$ 0.51
Miscellaneous:	\$ -
Total	\$ 2,555.51

Year Jan 2019 to 30 Jun 19 Income

Category	Cost
Member Fee	\$ 496.00
Donation	
Bank Interest:	\$ 0.36
Miscellaneous:	\$ 38.00
Total	\$ 534.36

Profit before tax at 31 Dec 2018

	\$ 774.37
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Profit before tax at 30 Jun 2019

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1 Jul 2019 to 30 Jun 2020

Year Jul 2019 to Jun 20 expense

Category	Cost
Admin Expenses	\$ 251.18
function canteen	\$ 101.96
Postage	
Telephone & Inter	\$ 206.25
Grand Total	\$ 559.39

Year Jul 2019 to Jun 20 Income

Category	Cost
Member Fee	\$ 58.00
Donation	\$ 1,033.00
Bank Interest:	\$ 1.08
Miscellaneous:	\$ -
Total	\$ 1,092.08

Profit before tax at 30 Jun 2020

	\$ 532.69
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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Executive Committee of CACA Australia held a total of 20 Executive Committee Meetings from May 2018- June 2020.



Position	Name	Number of Executive Meetings Attended	Note
President	Xue Qin Yu	20	
Vice President	Nicole Li	19	
Treasurer	Wendy Chen	19	
Secretary	Yaping Liu	20	
Director of Academic department	Hui You	9	resigned on 24/05/2019
Director of Academic department	Ziduo Li	9	joined EXCO 24/05/2019
Director of Strategy Development	Li Deng	11	joined EXCO 24/05/2019
Director of Public Relation	Maggie Wang	19	

Dr Xue Qin Yu
President