# SCASIFICA BETTER THAN HOPE

Right now.

## **Grants Working Group**

September 26, 2019 California Institute for Regenerative Medicine



Every Moment Counts. **Don't Stop** Now.

# **Agenda**

- Welcome and Overview
- Breakout Group Discussions
- Lunch
- Presentation of Group Recommendations
- Final Recommendations
- Recognition of GWG Contributions to CIRM
- Reception





#### 2004

CIRM created by Patient Advocates and California Stakeholders-Proposition 71

#### \$3B

Committed to CIRM Mission

### 1000

Cutting Edge Research & Transformative Programs funded

#### **56 CLINICAL TRIALS**

First in human, cell & gene medicine, some ready for final marketing approval

## >1200 PATIENTS

Patients enrolled in Alpha Clinics Clinical Trials





**GWG Contribution to CIRM: 2005-2019** 

117 GWG REVIEWS

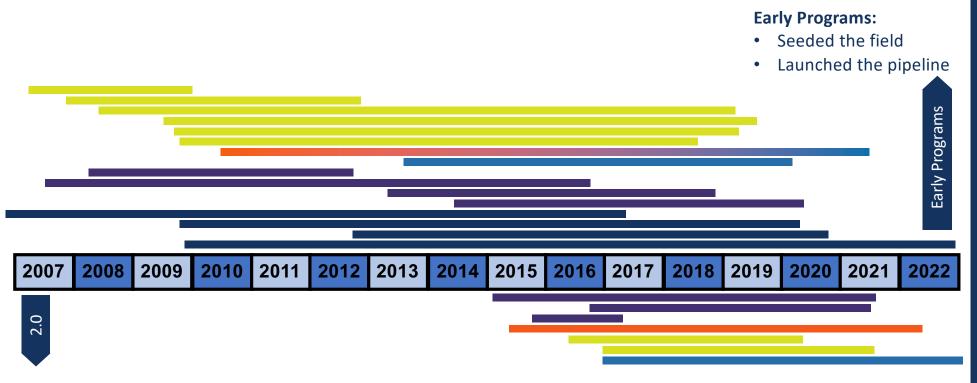
200+ AVERAGE APPS SUBMITTED PER YEAR

3000+ APPS REVIEWED

750+ TIER 1 SCORES



# **CIRM Programs Funded\* (Years Active)**



#### **CIRM 2.0:**

- Focused on therapeutic development
- Implemented operational improvements
- Streamlined meaningful goals into a 5 year strategy
- Formalized assessment of progress

\*Each bar represents one major program











# **CIRM Investments: Five Funding Pillars**





TRANSLATION







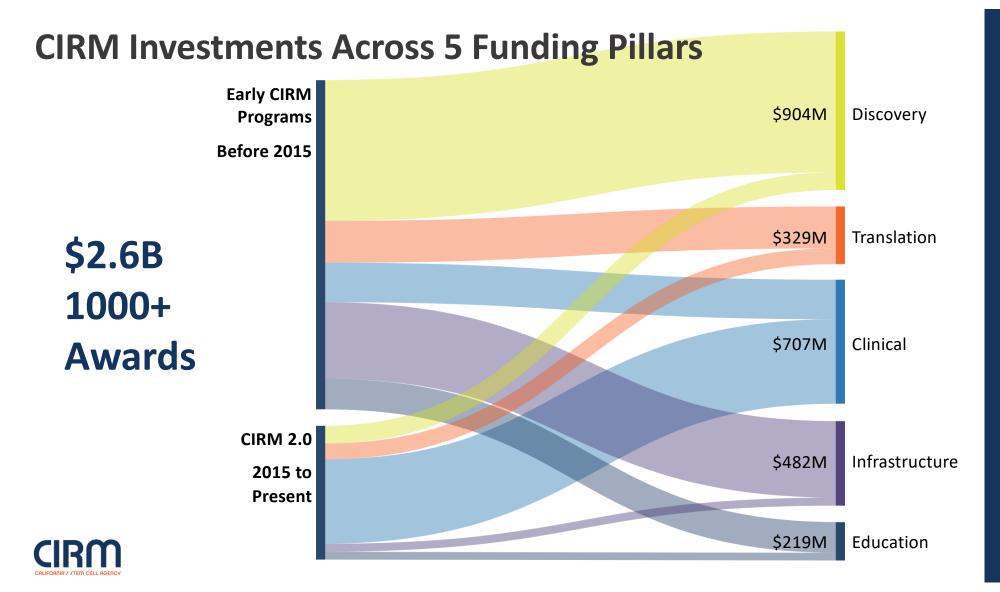
INFRASTRUCTURE



**EDUCATION** 









# A self-assessment and realignment in 2014-15

- Operational improvements
- Strategy for next 5 years
- Setting ambitious and meaningful goals
- Tracking and measuring our progress











VISION











## **CIRM 2.0**

## **RAPID**



**Monthly Submission Cycle** 

Application to Award Start: 130 days

## **SEAMLESS**

## **Candidate Discovery**

Up to \$900K Direct

## ----Single Candidate ----

#### **Translational**

Up to \$4M Direct

## ----Pre-IND Meeting----

## **IND Enabling**

Up to \$6M

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## **Clinical Trials**

Up to \$15M



## **Bond Initiative**

- A bond initiative to renew CIRM has been proposed for the November 2020 election
- Proposed initiative is expected to request \$5.5 billion
- CIRM is not involved in the initiative process, but if you have questions contact Americans for Cures (www.americansforcures.org)
- If initiative fails, CIRM will begin a wind-down process
- If initiative succeeds, CIRM will have a re-infusion of funds to continue existing programs and begin new ones



## **Meeting Goals**

What should CIRM be thinking about now to prepare for a possible life beyond 2020?

- How can CIRM deliver the greatest impact in the future?
- What opportunities might CIRM seize to accelerate the field?
- What challenges must be addressed?
- What types of CIRM programs should be sustained or expanded?
- What is missing, or needs more support?



# **Goals for Morning Breakouts**

Consider central questions and propose 3 or more recommendations to CIRM.

- Basic and Discovery Research
- Translational Research
- Clinical Research
- Training and Education
- Infrastructure Programs



# **Afternoon Group Share-out Format**

Share ~3 initial recommendations to CIRM (5 min)
Discuss feedback, questions to the group, pain points (20 min)
Conclusions/summary (5 min)

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