

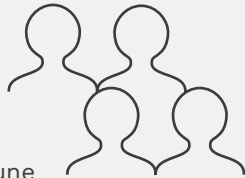
# FACTSHEET

Czech Health Research Council (AZV ČR)

- Established by the Ministry of Health in 2014.
- Organises the agenda for the involvement of Czech scientists in the European Partnerships in Healthcare.
- One public tender annually – at least 1 out of 5 project proposals is funded.
- Provides up to 100% funding or a proportional level of support, respectively.
- The only Czech agency supporting applied health research.

## 10 EXPERT EVALUATION PANELS

Metabolic and Endocrine Diseases, Cardiovascular Diseases, Cancer, Neuroscience and Mental Health, Immune Disorders and Infectious Diseases, Intensive, Perioperative, and Organ-oriented Medicine (Gastroenterology, Hepatology, Nephrology, and others), Rare Diseases and Childhood Disorders, Biomedical Technologies, Public Health and Nursing, Musculoskeletal Medicine



## 120+

### PANELISTS

Experts from various fields evaluating project proposals

## 4-year

### GRANT PROJECTS

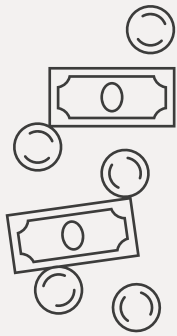
Standard and junior sub-programs



## 14.1

### BILLION CZK ALREADY ALLOCATED TO SUPPORT OF HEALTH RESEARCH

The total annual budget is about **CZK 1.2 billion**, an average of **CZK 270 million per year** for each newly announced public tender



## 53 PATENTS FROM COMPLETED PROJECTS (3 in 2025)

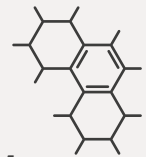
In addition, another **60+ utility models and registered designs** (5 in 2025)



## 4900+

### PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS WITH IMPACT FACTOR (IF) FROM COMPLETED PROJECTS (550 in 2025)

More than **40%** in the **Q1** (first quartile) journals, of which **more than 10%** in the **D1** (first decile) journals



## 1240+

### PROJECTS SUPPORTED SO FAR, INCLUDING 108 JUNIOR PROJECTS

(470 ongoing)

**5700+ project proposals evaluated** in total (509 in 2025)

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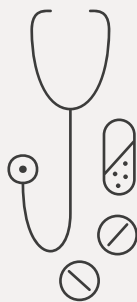
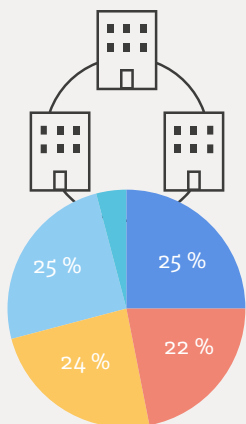
### PROJECTS SUPPORTED SO FAR IN EUROPEAN PARTNERSHIPS IN THE FIELD OF HEALTH

Czech scientists had the opportunity to participate in **4 calls within 4 partnerships: ERA4Health** (ERA for Health Research), **THCS** (Transforming Health and Care Systems), **ERDERA** (European Rare Diseases Alliance), and **PerMed** (Personalised Medicine)

## 80+

### INSTITUTIONS SUPPORTED SO FAR (51 v roce 2025)

- **25%** of universities
- **22%** of university hospitals
- **24%** of other healthcare facilities
- **25%** of institutes of the Czech Academy of Sciences
- **4%** of other institutions



## 175+ OTHER MAIN OUTCOMES FROM COMPLETED PROJECTS

Mostly prototypes, functional samples, certified methods, treatment protocols, specialized maps with expert content, software, etc.

## 70 PROJECTS AWARDED SO FAR

Since 2019, the **Minister of Health has awarded 35 prizes** (the prize for the principal investigator is CZK 100,000) and **35 honorable mentions**

