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To maximise the benefit to society, you need to not just do research but do it well.

- Professor Doug Altman  
Medical research hero and statistics game-changer

**1948 - 2018**



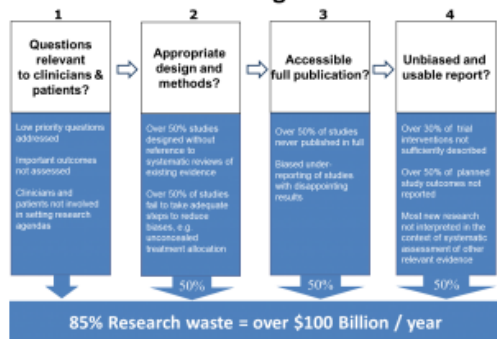
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# About REWARD

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This website is a place to share and exchange documentation, information, and resources on how to increase the value of both basic and applied research and reduce or avoid wasting research. It is based on a series of articles that were published in the medical journal *The Lancet* in 2014.

## Waste at four stages of research



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# THE LANCET

Research: increasing value, reducing waste - January, 2014

www.thelancet.com

“By ensuring that efforts are infused with rigour from start to finish, the research community might protect itself from the sophistry of politicians, disentangle the conflicted motivations of capital and science, and secure real value for money for charitable givers and taxpayers through increased value and reduced waste.”

# 2015 REWARD | EQUATOR Conference

Increasing value and reducing waste in biomedical research

Confirmed speakers:

Prof Doug Altman | Prof Rustam Al-Shahi Salman

Sir Iain Chalmers | Dr An-Wen Chan | Prof Paul Glasziou

Dr Trish Groves | Prof John Ioannidis | Prof Frank Miedema

Dr David Moher | Prof Andrew Morris | Dr Janet Wisely



# Ensuring Value in Research (EViR)

Funders' Collaboration and Development Forum

The next [EViR Forum meeting will be held in Australia \(NHMRC Canberra office\)](#) on the 29-30 November 2018. Details to follow on this website or contact [EViRFundersForum@gmail.com](mailto:EViRFundersForum@gmail.com) for more information

Organisations from around the world are coming together to advance the practices of health related research and research funding, in order to increase the value of health related research.

The Ensuring Value in Research (EViR) Funders' Collaboration and Development Forum started in 2017, with meetings in London, Den Haag and Washington DC. In our first year the Funders' Forum developed a [Consensus Statement](#) and [Guiding Principles](#).

## Cochrane-REWARD prizes for reducing research waste: 2018 winners

This year's winners of Cochrane-REWARD prizes for reducing waste in research were the UK Equator Centre (for its Good Reports Tool), the EBM DataLab (for its Trials Tracker initiative), and the James Lind Alliance (for its Priority Setting Partnerships). The prize of GBP 2500 recognizes local or pilot initiatives that could lead to reductions in research waste. Given the high standard of the 15 applicants, the panel decided to award three prizes this year, with Trials Tracker and the James Lind Alliance being awarded a joint second prize. The ceremony took place during the 2018 Cochrane Colloquium on 17 September 2018.



## REWARD Prizes for 2018

- EQUATOR Good Reports
- TrialsTracker
- James Lind Alliance

