Brander Beacons Cancer Research
Request for Proposal

Brander Beacons Cancer Research Accepting Applications from Organizations Seeking Funding for Breakthrough Research, Scientists and Programs to Prevent, Better Treat and Cure Breast and Prostate Cancer

Brander Beacons Cancer Research (BBCR) is a private foundation seeking to accelerate research and innovation in breast and prostate cancer. The Foundation’s gifts are in memory of Christopher E. Brander, the inventor of the LOCalizer™ from Health Beacons, a medical device that revolutionizes the standard of care for marking breast lesions for surgical removal. Our mission is to invest in breakthrough research, scientists and programs to prevent, better treat and cure breast and prostate cancer. We fulfill this mission in four principal ways:

- Supporting academic research institutions researching tools and techniques that will increase accuracy and improve outcomes in biopsies and tumor removal procedures;
- Identifying ways to improve patient outcomes and access;
- Investing in emerging research and researchers;
- Serving as an active contributor to the culture of access and innovation in cancer care.

BBCR injects critical funds in increments of $5,000 to $25,000 into programs most closely connected to increased cancer prevention, better treatment outcomes, better access and, ultimately, a cure.

Grants will be awarded to teams and projects that have potential to move the needle in their area of work or research. Funded projects will have clear goals, realistic plans to execute, and ways to measure success. A track record of taking on projects and meeting milestones in past work is helpful to share.

BBCR will not consider requests to fund individuals, support fundraising activities of other organizations, or religious activities.

Please submit proposals using the template provided.

BBCR will evaluate proposals and notify recipients within 4-6 weeks.

Please contact Anne Elton (aelton@healthbeacons.com) with any questions about submissions.