

Guiding Principles & Strategy Framework

Discoveries to inspire
the best life for every
child and youth

Our guiding principles

Inclusive

The research we do and the teams we build reflect the families we serve, ensuring no voice is left unheard.

Engaging

Our research matters to families. We partner with children, youth and families at all stages of research to make sure our discoveries reflect their goals and needs.

Collaborative

We are a proud member of Team CHEO and integrate our research into health care. We bring together partners to drive maximum research impact for kids locally and globally.

Innovative

We are leaders in the use of our data and new technologies to unlock breakthroughs in research, precision health and treatment. We bridge research, health care and business to spark health innovation.

Where discovery takes root

Shaping a healthier tomorrow at CHEO and beyond



Research Unleashed

We facilitate the integration of research across CHEO to inspire everyone to connect with research and shape a bright future for kids here and around the world.



Transformative Collaboration

We cultivate impactful collaborations at CHEO and around the world that result in groundbreaking discoveries and innovations that help kids live their best life.



Accelerate Discoveries

We nurture research excellence and attract and retain top talent by investing in our people, supporting infrastructure, and technology so research teams can focus on what matters most - discovery.



Globally renowned. Locally loved

We creatively share the impact of CHEO research to inspire global recognition and local awareness and connection to drive further growth and support.