

A new piece in [***Open Access Government***](#) highlights the scale and scope of the work of our funder the National Institute for Health Research (NIHR)

In its role as the “*research arm of the NHS*” the NIHR’s mission is to improve both the health and wealth of the UK by means of research. A piece by Jonathan Miles (Editor, Open Access Government) gives a great overview of the work of the NIHR, and how it works with charities, industry and other sectors.

There are also a couple of examples of the groundbreaking and impactful research funded by the NIHR and the difference it is making - read the piece below.

Improving the health and wealth of the UK through research

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The National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) aims to improve both the health and wealth of the UK by means of research, as Open Access Government's Editor Jonathan Miles discovers

National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) is funded by the UK's Department of Health and ultimately aims to improve both the health and wealth of the UK by means of research

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