

Resource Summary Report

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Ontario Tumour Bank

RRID:SCR_004732

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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.ontariotumourbank.ca/>

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Description: The Ontario Tumour Bank is a province-wide biorepository and data bank focused on collection of tumor-related human biospecimens. It provides academic and industry cancer researchers with a diverse selection of high quality tumor-related specimens and data obtained directly by dedicated tumour bank staff, who follow a stringent set of procedures and ethical guidelines. The biospecimens and clinical data are an important resource for scientists engaged in translational research who are developing better diagnostic tools and new drug therapies. Researchers depend on the Ontario Tumour Bank to provide research biospecimens of high quality, diversity, and integrity. Operating at state-of-the-art hospitals and cancer centers across Ontario, the Ontario Tumour Bank coordinates the collection, storage, analysis, annotation, and distribution of tumor and peripheral blood samples. Working in collaboration with local pathologists, medical oncologists, surgeons and other hospital personnel, specially trained staff obtain patient consent, collect tissues and assemble comprehensive clinical information about each donor and the corresponding samples.

Abbreviations: OTB

Synonyms: Ontario Tumor Bank

Resource Type: biomaterial supply resource, material resource, tissue bank

Related Condition: Tumor

Funding: Government of Ontario

Resource Name: Ontario Tumour Bank

Resource ID: SCR_004732

Alternate IDs: nlx_74199

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Ontario Tumour Bank.

No alerts have been found for Ontario Tumour Bank.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 1 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [Kravitz](#) .

Chikova A, et al. (2012) New associations of the genetic polymorphisms in nicotinic receptor genes with the risk of lung cancer. Life sciences, 91(21-22), 1103.