

Resource Summary Report

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Canadian Tumour Repository Network

RRID:SCR_004192

Type: Tool

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Resource Information

URL: <https://www.ctrnet.ca/>

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Description: The Canadian Tumour Repository Network (CTRNet) is a not-for-profit consortium of leading provincial tumor banks and programs that furthers Canadian health research. CTRNet provides interested researchers with a streamlined process to obtain quality human tissue and human tissue products from member tumor banks. The benefits of working with CTRNet.ca include: * The ability for researchers to search for quality controlled tissue samples from Canada's leading tumor banks in one central location and for biobanks to display and make their biospecimens available for research users. * Learning opportunities in tissue handling, research design and relevant technology training and innovations. * Invitation to CTRNet workshops and conferences. * A resource for current news links and discussion forums about cancer research and tumor banking. The vision of CTRNet is to create new opportunities for translational cancer research that will improve cancer outcomes in Canada and beyond. Through the creation and maintenance of an online pan-Canadian network, researchers will gain unprecedented access to a new and comprehensive source of tissue and clinical data. The network is a sustainable resource and operates according to the highest scientific and ethical standards for research to benefit all Canadians. Currently CTRNet has the following member banks: * CBCF Tumor Bank Alberta * Manitoba Tumour Bank * Ontario Tumour Bank * British Columbia Cancer Agency Tumour Tissue Repository (BCCA-TTR) * Le r??seau de recherche en cancer du FRSQ * NCIC Clinical Trials Group

Abbreviations: CTRNet

Synonyms: CTRNet.ca, Canadian Tumor Repository Network

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

Related Condition: Tumor

Funding: Canadian Institutes of Health Research

Resource Name: Canadian Tumour Repository Network

Resource ID: SCR_004192

Alternate IDs: nlx_21725

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Record Last Update: 20260912T200130+0000

Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Canadian Tumour Repository Network.

No alerts have been found for Canadian Tumour Repository Network.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 3 mentions in open access literature.

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

Das S, et al. (2022) The C-BIG Repository: an Institution-Level Open Science Platform. Neuroinformatics, 20(1), 139.

Goldberg E, et al. (2021) Comparative metabolomics studies of blood collected in Streck and heparin tubes from lung cancer patients. PloS one, 16(4), e0249648.

Matzke LA, et al. (2020) Biobanking for Cancer Biomarker Research: Issues and Solutions. Biomarker insights, 15, 1177271920965522.