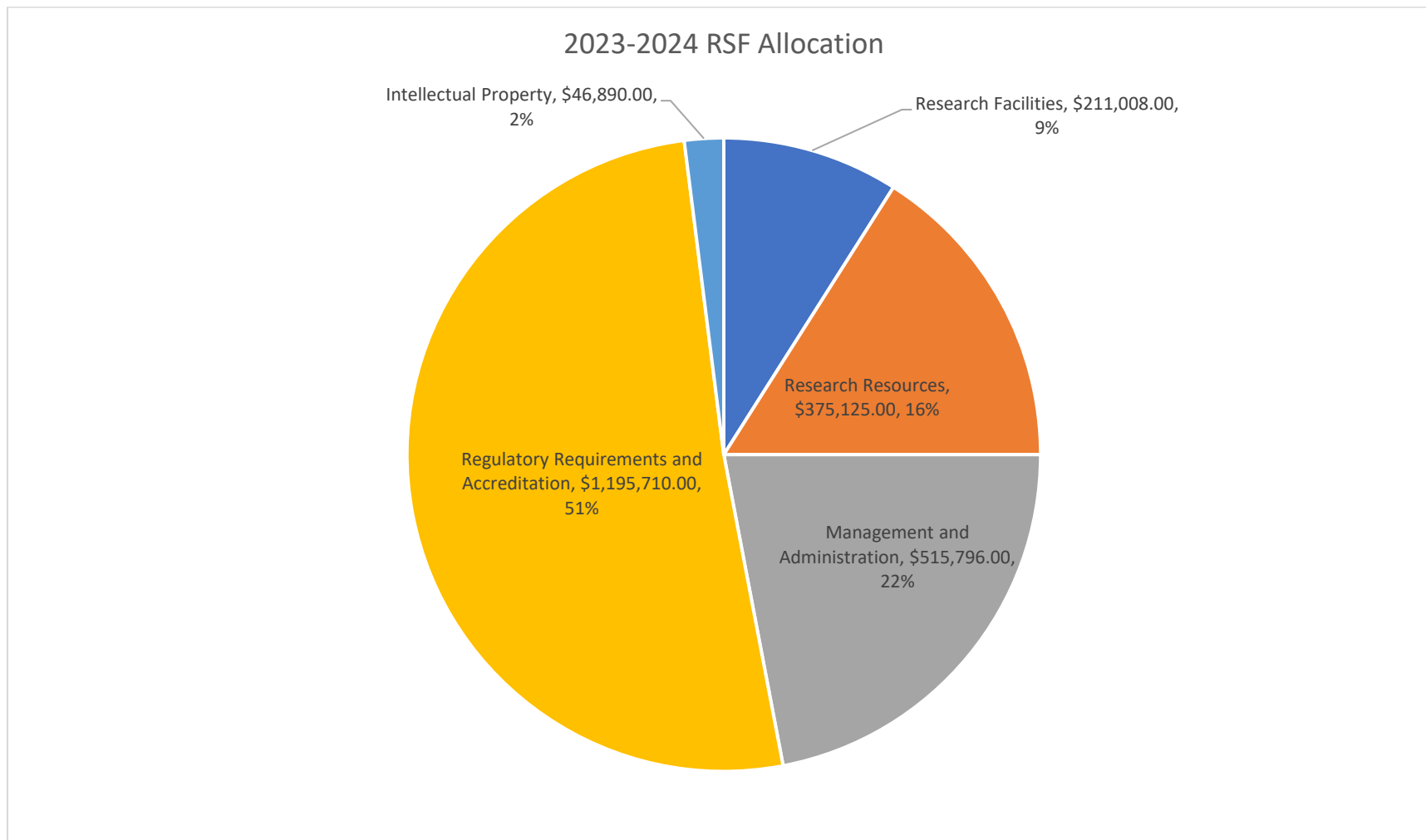


**Research Support Fund, Incremental Project
Grant & Research Security Funding
Objectives, Indicators and Outcomes**

In 2023-2024, UNBC received \$2,344,529 in RSF grants, \$0 in IPG funding, and \$47,026 in Research Security Funding.



<p>Regulatory Requirements and Accreditation (MSHRBC)</p>	<p>\$530,095 invested in operating and training costs of Clinical Trials BC (CTBC)</p>	<p>Embed a Quality Management System (QMS) Framework at clinical research sites across the province in partnership with research intensive universities and health authorities.</p> <p>Provide investigator and clinical research staff training for good clinical research practice, regulatory compliance, and participant engagement</p> <p>Provide consultation to BC researchers in preparation for, during and post regulatory inspections</p>	<p>Number of BC institutions with a QMS framework for clinical trials</p> <p>Number of clinical research skills development sessions delivered to BC researchers</p> <p>Number of formal regulatory consultations provided to BC clinical research teams</p>	<p>A minimum of five institutions have implemented a QMS framework for clinical trials with at least three systems fully deployed</p> <p>A minimum of 20 skills development sessions delivered</p> <p>A minimum of 25 formal regulatory consultations provided</p>	<p>Achieved: 18 groups across 6 institutions have implemented a QMS framework for clinical trials; including an additional institution in 2023-24</p> <p>Achieved: 76 clinical research skills development sessions delivered to BC researchers</p> <p>Achieved: 100 formal regulatory consultations provided to BC clinical research teams</p>
<p>Regulatory Requirements and Accreditation (MSHRBC)</p>	<p>\$203,883 invested in operating costs of Research Ethics BC (REBC) and support of the Provincial Research Ethics Platform (PREP) system for harmonized research ethics</p>	<p>Partner to recruit, support and retain diverse academic, life sciences, health system and community-based research talent</p> <p>Initiate or support provincial systems and infrastructure for</p>	<p>Revision of questions in RISE application for Indigenous-based research will have been completed with Indigenous perspective</p> <p>Delivery of 3 to 4 educational events to build the capacity of research ethics</p>	<p>Community-based Indigenous-led research ethics processes promoted and/or recognized</p> <p>REBA network kept informed about the changing</p>	<p>Achieved: Community-based Indigenous-led research ethics processes promoted and/or recognized</p> <p>Achieved: REBA network kept informed about the</p>

		research production and use Strengthen efforts to build a robust provincial clinical trials ecosystem	professionals in the province Review the pilot of harmonized Clinical Trial review process for further streamlining	landscape of research and how it affects ethics Multi-jurisdictional clinical trials managed more efficiently	changing landscape of research and how it affects ethics Achieved: Multi-jurisdictional clinical trials managed more efficiently
Intellectual Property and Knowledge Mobilization	\$46,890 invested in Partnership building events and activities	Invest in Partnerships and Innovation Office by hosting partnership workshops and establishing new partnerships	Number of partnership workshops hosted and/or the number of new partnerships	Conduct 3 University partnership workshops; File 1 patent	Achieved: 11 University partnership workshops conducted; 0 patents filed

Research Security Funding:

Project Title	Output (Investment of research security funds)	Performance Objectives	Performance Indicator	Target Outcome	Reported Outcome
Data Centre and research infrastructure security software and monitoring service	\$47,026 invested to acquire and install cyber threat detection and containment software and monitoring services Purchased CrowdStrike - Falcon Insight Endpoint Detection & Response for Servers	Safe and available information systems Strengthen UNBC's broader research sector cyber-security posture	Increase in the number of detected exposure and vulnerabilities for servers Remediation and containment of vulnerabilities of servers	Establish a baseline of threats that evade the university's active security systems. Establish a threat/intrusion detection, analysis, and remediation process which will inform modifications to existing defenses	Achieved: Complete deployment of CrowdStrike Falcon Complete on all research servers and related infrastructure. Deployment of CrowdStrike Falcon Complete software on Research Devices (Experimental Computing Devices) to further protect

					<p>research infrastructure.</p> <p>Deployment of a new IRN (Isolated Research Network) for conducting higher risk research activities while safeguarding key infrastructure.</p>
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