

13504 (2025). Camilla Belich to the Minister for ACC: What is the total cost, if any, of outsourced research or reports commissioned by any agencies under the Minister’s responsibility since 27 November 2023, broken down by agency, purpose, and provider?

The table below shows ACC’s expenditure on outsourced research or reports commissioned since 27 November 2023.

Title	Purpose	Provider	Cost excl GST	Commissioned	Completed
Evaluation of Concussion Services Secondary Services Proof of Concept (POC)	The evaluation assessed what aspects of the secondary care POC worked well and what didn’t work well from a client and provider perspective, to inform improvements in the service design.	Synergia	\$89,991	November 2023	April 2024
Injury Burden of Indigenous Children and Young People: A Conceptual Framework and Scoping Review	Literature review about unintentional injury events for indigenous children and young people.	University of Auckland	\$50,000	July 2024	February 2025
Material hardship, access and outcomes following injury: Analyses from the longitudinal Prospective Outcomes of Injury Study (POIS) POIS-10 and POIS-10 Māori	Investigation of the extent to which financial hardship is a barrier to achieving positive outcomes after injury for POIS and POIS-Māori study participants.	University of Otago	\$100,000	July 2024	Ongoing
Ride Forever Independent Review	An independent review of the Ride Forever training programme and a technical review of the course syllabus.	Allen and Clarke Policy and Regulatory Specialists Ltd	\$143,410	October 2023	September 2024
Recovery at Work Workplace Trials	Study to determine whether the introduction of workplace interventions, as part of a Recovery at Work programme, improves the experience and outcomes of injured employees.	Allen and Clarke Policy and Regulatory Specialists Ltd	\$48,823.40	April 2024	November 2024
Traditional Healing Rongoā Māori Outcomes: The voices of kiritaki	Examination of the role of rongoā Māori in rehabilitation and reinjury prevention.	Te Paetawhiti & Associates	\$68,500	May 2024	January 2025
SportSmart Injury Prevention Framework Literature Review	Review of each of the nine SportSmart principles to determine whether they are still based on current evidence and represent best practice. Review of the content of the injury prevention framework to ensure it is fit-for-purpose and recommended strategies for implementing it effectively.	Hume Management Consultants Limited	\$336,700	December 2024	Ongoing
Total			\$837,424		