

### Beat Drugs Fund Regular Funding Scheme

Established by the Government and governed by the Beat Drugs Fund Association (BDFA), the Beat Drugs Fund (BDF) has a capital base of \$3.35 billion and has been providing funding support to worthwhile anti-drug projects. Projects funded include those providing drug treatment and rehabilitation services to people with drug problems, organising drug preventive education and publicity programmes targeting the general public and/or specific groups, conducting researches on drug abuse problem, or a combination of the above components. BDFA, taking into account the drug situation and the advice of the Action Committee Against Narcotics, specifies priority areas in the annual BDF Regular Funding Scheme (RFS) to encourage interested applicants to plan suitable anti-drug projects that can respond to the latest drug problems.

The number and types of projects approved in the RFS Funding Exercises of 2021, 2022 and 2023 are shown in the table below. More details of the approved projects are available on the website of the Narcotics Division by scanning the following QR code.



(<https://www.nd.gov.hk/en/Searching.php>)

Types of projects	Number of projects approved in the RFS funding exercise (Total amount of grant approved)		
	2021	2022	2023
<b>Treatment and rehabilitation (T&amp;R) projects</b>	18 (\$57.2 million)	7 (\$34.1 million)	7 (\$14.3 million)
<b>Research projects</b>	5 (\$8.7 million)	4 (\$4.9 million)	3 (\$2.4 million)
<b>Mixed type projects with T&amp;R and/or research elements</b>	23 (\$57.4 million)	21 (\$41.2 million)	17 (\$59.5 million)