

# Advancing Innovation: Praxis SCI Incubate Program

Praxis Spinal Cord Institute is proud to launch its second SCI Incubate Program, a funded 18-week program for earlier stage innovation projects with solutions that address care- and cure-related treatments and overall quality of life for individuals with spinal cord injury (SCI).

SCI Incubate primes entrepreneurs for success by advancing their health technologies to the next level.

What We Offer

This 18-week virtual incubate program is designed for early-stage, pre-prototype ventures with solutions that address care- and cure-related treatments and overall quality of life for individuals with SCI.

Ventures accepted into the program will receive:

- \$25K CAD in guaranteed funding
- SCI consumer validation of concept with our consumer engagement team and SCI network
- Access to the Praxis research team and 1:1 tailored research mentorship
- Social and community networking, and much more



## **TOPICS WE WILL COVER**



SCI consumer validation



Commercialization strategies on intellectual property + regulatory requirements



SCI research validation



Business development according to market

#### Who We Are

Praxis Spinal Cord Institute is a Canadian-based not-for-profit organization that leads global collaboration in spinal cord injury research, innovation and care. Our Commercialization program is focused on accelerating innovations including medical devices and diagnostics that can improve the lives of people living with SCI. We bring together the best in class research, commercialization and consumer experts in the area of SCI to provide companies with the tools needed to scale and develop their innovation internationally.

# An Ecosystem of Innovation

Commercialization at Praxis supports innovators through a continuum of programs, starting with early-stage ventures in SCI Incubate and maturing to post-prototype in SCI Accelerate.

SCI Incubate addresses the key gap that world-changing SCI technology face, helping to shift these technology from the lab into viable technology that will meet the critical needs of people with SCI, their families and caregivers.

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### Questions?

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