

# Health

## Program Snapshot

The Kenneth Rainin Foundation envisions a world where no one suffers from Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD). We believe that early support for innovative ideas can lead to improvements in preventing, diagnosing and treating this disease. We want to achieve a better understanding of how to help patients manage symptoms and improve their lives even before a cure is obtained.

### Goal

Cure IBD and Improve Lives

### Strategies

- Support a diversity of researchers around the world
- Champion new, untested ideas
- Encourage collaborations

### Tactics

- Convene IBD researchers annually
- Encourage interdisciplinary research and synergy across fields
- Listen to and learn from our community
- Support underrepresented researchers at various career levels and new to IBD
- Fund basic and translational research that brings science closer to the patient

### Outcomes

- Improved prevention, diagnostics and treatment of IBD
- Enhanced quality of life for people with IBD