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New Appointment Notice

DIABETES RESEARCH WA WELCOMES NEW BOARD MEMBERS

WA's peak diabetes research funding group Diabetes Research WA has welcomed two new board members.

Jackson McDonald special counsel Sally Bruce has joined the organisation as has former journalist Liz McGrath.

Ms McGrath is now based at The University of Western Australia as a communications consultant.

The pair replace long-serving board members Bill Coleman and Ian Jepson.

Diabetes Research WA executive director Sherl Westlund said it was a time of exciting change for the group's board.

"Bill and Ian have made tremendous contributions to our organisation, helping us to celebrate 40 years of success in 2016, and we are now looking forward to a new era of success with Sally and Liz who together bring an incredible amount of knowledge and life experience of diabetes to our team," she said.

Diabetes Research WA, based at Royal Perth Hospital, was established in 1976 to stimulate research into diabetes in Western Australia and has distributed more than \$5 million dollars for this work.

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