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HUMANE CHARITIES Humane Charities Canada is a campaign by the Animal Defense and Anti-Vivisection (ADAV) Society of B.C.



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Established in 1927, the Animal Defense and Anti-Vivisection Society of BC is the only national organization solely dedicated to the abolition of vivisection on moral, ethical and scientific grounds.



- Some of Canada's leading medical charities -- including the Canadian Cancer Society and the Heart and Stroke Foundation -- fund experiments on animals.
- If you donate to these multi-million dollar organizations, some of your money is being used to fund animal research.

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Charity Supported Experiments on Animals



The Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada... has co-funded research in which a crude version of a stroke was simulated in macaque monkeys by injecting increasingly large styrofoam balls into their arteries. The animals were forced to live like this for weeks, suffering multiple strokes and partial paralysis before being killed. The surgical procedure was botched in three of the monkeys, and as a result, they had to be killed before completion of the study.



Parkinson Canada...has co-funded research in which macaque monkeys were repeatedly injected with an industrial chemical and contaminant of illegal drugs to create lesions on their brains, then chemically paralyzed and given electric shocks without pain relief.



The MS Society of Canada... has co-funded research in which the sciatic nerves of mice were exposed and crushed, crippling them. The mice were left to suffer for up to a month, additionally enduring pressure being applied to their feet until they pulled them away in pain. At the end of the study, the feet of the mice were dipped in ink and they were forced to drag themselves across sheets of paper to record their level of crippling. The animals were then killed with a needle of formaldehyde jabbed into their hearts.



The Canadian Cancer Society... has repeatedly cofunded research in which lethally irradiated and "humanized" mice (transplanted with fragments of human organs and tumours) are forced to endure the growth of tumours inside their bodies for weeks before being killed. Their tumours are then removed and re-injected into other mice only to have the process repeated over and over again.

Helping Humans Without Harming Animals

We all want to contribute to finding cures for devastating diseases such as cancer, heart disease, diabetes and HIV/AIDS, as well as provide assistance to those suffering with these illnesses.

Thankfully, many progressive health charities are developing and using methods for studying diseases and testing products that are superior to animals models as they are actually relevant to humans. These include sophisticated tests using human cells and tissues, advanced computer-modeling techniques, epidemiology, microdosing, and clinical studies with human volunteers.

Humane Charities Canada is your guide to health charities that are committed to helping humans without harming animals.



Donate To Humane Charities You Know You Can Trust

Humane Charities Canada provides the animal research status of the country's largest health charities. Before you run, walk, or cycle for a health charity, be sure to check that the organization you're supporting does not conduct or fund cruel animal research. That way you can raise funds and walk away from cruelty at the same time.

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