

# Who is PCF?

### WHO WE ARE

PCF is the world's leading philanthropic organization dedicated to funding life-saving prostate cancer research. Founded in 1993 by Mike Milken, PCF has been responsible for raising more than \$1 billion in support of cutting-edge research by more than 2,250 research projects at 245 leading cancer centers, with a global footprint spanning 28 countries.



## WHAT WE DO

- Identify the most promising ideas from teams of top scientists and brilliant young researchers early in their careers.
- Fund programs efficiently and effectively.
- Create community among the PCF family of researchers to inspire collaboration and synergy of ideas.
- Empower patients and their loved ones with the knowledge they need to make decisions about their care.
- Elevate awareness of prostate cancer risk and screening, especially among critical populations.

# WHY WE DO IT

- In 2025, more than 313,000 men in the U.S. will be diagnosed with prostate cancer.
- More than 35,700 are projected to die of the disease.
- Globally, 1.4 million men are diagnosed per year.
- The burden is not borne equally:

   1 in 6 Black men will be diagnosed with prostate cancer in his lifetime (vs. 1 in 8 white men) and are more than twice as likely to die.

