



Center for Clinical and Translational Science

CCTS DIGEST

Latest news and upcoming events
for the CCTS Partner Network

November 7, 2022



National Heart, Lung,
and Blood Institute

Register for NHLBI's Community-Engaged Health Disparities Research Workshop, Nov. 14-15

Researchers, healthcare providers, community partners, and government officials will convene to discuss lessons learned from NIH-funded community-engaged research efforts, such as the Community Engagement Alliance's (CEAL) efforts against COVID-19 disparities, novel research methods, and the value of community partner relationships. The virtual event features two keynote presenters who will discuss the current state of community-engaged health disparities research, as well as its history and future.

[Learn more and register by Nov. 9.](#)

U.S. Census Data for Precision-Based Innovation with Data Specialist Monica Dukes

Learn how to use Census data to identify the root causes of patients' health issues and how to leverage the tools provided by the U.S. Census to implement precision-based research and innovation. This seminar is being held at the CCTS Hub at UAB, in Faculty Office Tower on November 10th from 12-4pm, and virtually with zoom. Seating is limited.

Email mhibi@uab.edu to attend in person, or [register here with zoom.](#)



CCTS Joins the National Consortium for CTSA Annual Program Meeting in Washington, D.C.

Nearly 400 members of the CTSA Consortium gathered in person for the first time in three years and our leadership was enthusiastic to be part of this year's theme, "Achieving Health Equity through the Science of Translation."

[Check out the wrap up from Michael G. Kurilla MD, PhD, NCATS Director of Clinical Innovation and view the CTSA posters that were shared during the meeting.](#)

CCTS IN THE NEWS

The CCTS is delighted to acknowledge and celebrate the steady stream of news about the outstanding accomplishments of our CCTS members.

Can intermittent fasting or calorie restriction slow the aging process?

Dr. Peterson is a CCTS Associate Scientist and 2016 KL2 Scholar.

Researchers awarded \$2.3 million R01 grant for chronic stroke research

CCTS has supported a research demonstration project by Dr. Taub, CCTS Senior Scientist, on Constraint Induced Therapy.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

LAST CALL: Researchers working across the southeast are invited to submit an abstract for the Southeast Regional Clinical & Translational Science Conference. The goal of the conference (March 1-3) is to bring together cross-disciplinary researchers from across the southeast region to present the best new health-related preclinical, clinical, implementation, and population- based research and build collaborative relationships. **Deadline is today, Nov. 7, 2022. [Learn more.](#)**

UPCOMING EVENTS

Available Weekly

**Drop-In Clinic: Biostats, Epidemiology,
& Research Design (BERD)**

Prepare your study-related questions for this online or in-person opportunity. In-person clinics are Wednesdays from 11:30-1:00 & Fridays from 8:30-11:30 in SHEL 120.
[Email to Schedule a Virtual Session](#)

November 8

Midterm Election Day

Make sure you're vote-ready by double-checking your voting options and making your voting plan!
[Visit Vote411.org for more.](#)

Nov. 10 | 12-4pm

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Innovation**

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[Tune In](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

Nov. 14 | 11am-12pm

**Case Studies in Mentoring:
Promoting Professional Development**

Tuesdays | 11am-1pm

Thursdays | 2-3pm

OnCore Q&A Session

Do you have a question or concern about OnCore? Join OnCore staff for a drop-in session to have any and all questions addressed.

[Drop In](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

Nov. 10 | 11am-1pm

OIRB Virtual Office Hours

An opportunity for anyone and everyone in the research community to have direct access to an experienced OIRB staff member.

[Drop In](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

Nov. 11 | 8-9am

Friday Fellows

"Career Journey" presented by
Renee Heffron, PhD.

[Register](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

Nov. 14-15

**Advancing the Science of Community-
Engaged Health Disparities Research**

Bring your questions and concerns and join us as we explore the nuances of the mentor-mentee relationship.

[Register](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

This two-day virtual workshop will focus on advancing the science of community-engaged health disparities research.

[Register](#)

[Full Events Calendar](#)

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Clinical & Translational Science Training Program (CTSTP)

CTSTP has become a catalytic career launch for investigators at multiple stages and in a variety of roles across the CCTS Partner Network, leading to new professional appointments, successful extramural funding, promotion and tenure, and more!

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