

## Network News



### ***Deciding on My Dimples - Congratulations on Publication to Liz Salmi***

A big congratulations to Liz Salmi on her recent publication in The New England Journal of Medicine. The perspective piece discusses her experience as a patient with grade 2 astrocytoma, including a perspective from the operating room and unlikely familial links.

Liz Salmi is a patient advocate and co-investigator of the OPTIMUM Research Center.

[Read the article here](#)

### **PE-CGS Annual Meeting: Partnering Beyond the Science**

The Network was pleased to host the 2022 Annual participant and Investigator Meeting on **November 15th and 16th** at the Ohio State University. The meeting hosted discussions on the future of the Cancer Moonshot; participant perspectives; insights on the goals and accomplishments of each research center; fostering collaboration in research; and developing next steps. We were grateful for the presentations by Dr. Dinah Singer from NCI and Dr. Danielle Carnival from the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy.



We were happy to include virtual participants in all of the activities and presentations throughout the meeting.

## Ways to Collaborate

### **December All Hands Meeting**

The December All Hands Meeting will be on **Thursday, December 15th at 3:00 pm (ET)**. We will spend this time debriefing on the Annual Meeting as well as going over the results from the meeting evaluation. This time will also be spent continuing conversations from the Annual Meeting about opportunities for cross-network collaboration.

For a reminder as to the topics discussed during these breakout sessions, see the graphic recording from these breakout sessions below:



## Ways to Communication

### Coordinating Center supports cross-network communication

The Coordinating Center supports cross-network communication through the use of Twitter, Slack, and the PE-CGS repository. Each of these methods allows for casual to scientific discussions and the sharing of information to help further the research in development.

If there are additional methods of communication that you would like to see be implemented in the Network, please reach out to the Coordinating Center ([pe-cgs@osumc.edu](mailto:pe-cgs@osumc.edu)).

### Join PE-CGS Repository to access Network materials

We invite you to sign up for access to the file repository on the [pecgs.org](http://pecgs.org) website. It is a password-protected space for you to access items such as meeting minutes, governance documents, and scientific resources. The Coordinating Center uploads and manages files, and you can download the content you need. Find the instructions to join by clicking the button below.

Join the PE-CGS Website Repository

### PE-CGS Network members invited to join the PE-CGS Workspace on Slack

All PE-CGS Network members are invited to join the dedicated PE-CGS Workspace on Slack. There you will find a general area to chat about topics relevant to whole Network, as well as separate channels devoted to each subcommittee. Review the *Getting Started* guide and learn how to use Slack, if it's new to you. It might be helpful to adjust your preferences for notifications.

Join the Slack PE-CGS Workspace

## Upcoming Events



### Cancer Moonshot Seminar Series

The Cancer Moonshot Seminar series is a monthly series that showcases research from different Cancer Moonshot initiatives. The next upcoming seminar is on **December 15**, held from 12-1 pm ET: Molecular Dissection of Tumor Biology [Junior Investigator Session]. [Register here](#)

# Funding and Opportunities

## The CURE Career Development Awards

The Center to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities (CRCHD) CURE program offers unique training and career development opportunities to enhance and increase diversity in the cancer and cancer health disparities research workforce. [Learn more here](#)

## NOSI: Administrative Supplement for Research and Capacity Building Efforts Related to Bioethical Issues

The NIH Office of Science Policy (OSP) announces the availability of administrative supplements to support 1) research on bioethical issues to develop or support the development of an evidence base that may inform future policy directions, and/or 2) certain efforts to develop or augment bioethics research capacity. Applicants may propose to supplement parent awards focused on bioethics or to address a component related to bioethics in a biomedical and/or health-related behavioral research study. First available due date is **December 16**. [Learn more here](#)

## PCORI Engagement Award: Capacity Building

The Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) plans to award up to \$25 million in fiscal year 2023 as part of the Eugene Washington PCORI Engagement Award Program. This program supports projects that encourage active, meaningful involvement of patients, caregivers, clinicians, and other healthcare stakeholders as integral members of the patient-centered outcomes research/comparative clinical effectiveness research (PCOR/CER) enterprise. These awards are for research support projects.



The Engagement Award: Capacity Building opportunity funds projects that build communities prepared to participate in PCOR/CER. These projects will focus on building the knowledge, competencies, and abilities of their community to be meaningful partners with researchers throughout the process. The online system opens **January 18, 2023**. [Learn more here](#)

## NCI: Notice of Intent to Publish (NOITP) a Funding Opportunity Announcement for Pragmatic Trials across the Cancer Control Continuum

The National Cancer Institute intends to publish a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) to solicit applications that support the development and testing of cancer-related interventions using a pragmatic trial design across the cancer control continuum. The overarching goal of this FOA is to support the development of a more robust, representative, and diverse collection of evidence-based cancer-related interventions. The FOA is expected to be published in Fall 2022 with an expected first application deadline in **February 2023**. [Learn more here](#)

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### PE-CGS SHORT READS submissions

Have news to share with the PE-CGS Network community?  
For consideration, send your news to [pe-cgs@osumc.edu](mailto:pe-cgs@osumc.edu).

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The Coordinating Center wishes you all happy holidays and a happy new year!

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