Network News

The International Low-Grade Glioma Registry Presents: "Navigating Disability Benefits"
Join this 45-minute interactive webinar **Friday, December 1 at 12 pm ET** to learn about disability programs that provide financial support for persons with brain tumors, when working is not possible. This webinar is sponsored by LGG Registry/OPTIMUM study at BWH Neurosurgery and Dana Farber's GROW program. This is the first in a series of talks that will focus on support for brain tumor patients (regardless of whether they join the low grade glioma study). Future topics will include insurance, fertility, and more. Scan the QR code in the image above or click here to join the meeting **Friday, December 1 at 12 pm ET**.

Ways to Collaborate

Subcommittee Updates
- **Health Equity:** (10/24/23) On behalf of the health equity subcommittee's task force, the CC presented a research poster and electronic poster at the Annual Meeting about the completed catalog of common survey data elements. The catalog is available in the PE-CGS repository.
- **Participant Engagement**: (10/24/23) Members of the subcommittee participated in a working group session at the Annual Meeting to discuss topics and activities of interest for the coming year.
- **Return of Results**: (10/24/23) Members of the subcommittee participated in a working group session at the Annual Meeting and discussed their ongoing projects, which include two manuscripts and the cross-network collaborative project on cascade testing.

Ways to Communicate

PE-CGS-Related Educational Materials & Annual Meeting Materials
If you are looking for materials presented at the Annual Meeting, including slides, e-posters, scientific posters, pictures, recordings, and Research Centers' educational materials, you can find them in the Network file repository on the pecgs.org website. The file repository is a secure online space where you can access various documents and resources related to the Network, such as logos, flyers, infographics, and more.

To access the file repository, you need to log into the pecgs.org website with your username and password. Then, click on the 'Repository' link under the 'Resources' tab and click on the **'Annual Network Meeting' folder --> '2023' folder**.

To join the file repository, just click the button below and follow the instructions. If you have any questions or suggestions about the file repository, please contact us at pe-cgs@osumc.edu.

Upcoming Events

Upcoming PE-CGS Network Meetings

Date	Time	Meeting
11/28	3 pm ET	Communications
11/30	3 pm ET	Network Managers Meeting
12/7	3 pm ET	Steering Committee
12/11	1 pm ET	Common Data Elements Task Force
12/13	1 pm ET	Return of Results
12/14	3 pm ET	Participant Engagement
12/21	3 pm ET	All Hands

Funding and Opportunities

NIH HuBMAP Announces 2023 JumpStart Program
HuBMAP is an NIH-funded initiative that will generate 3D tissue maps and construct an atlas of the function and relationships among cells in the human body. These maps and atlas can lead us to a better understanding of how the relationships among our cells affects our health.

The purpose of the JumpStart Program is to offer junior investigators working on human atlasing projects the opportunity to take a leadership role in conducting synergistic, collaborative research projects within the HuBMAP consortium. These projects will build on work that already exists in HuBMAP by either extending aims of current awards or as a new but related research project. The goal of this program is two-fold: 1) create a mentored, career development opportunity for promising junior researchers, and 2) promote collaboration among HuBMAP and the atlas building community.

The deadline to indicate your interest in presenting at the December Pitch event is **November 28**. Learn more here

EIAP Facilitates the Advancement of ESIs and NIs from Diverse Backgrounds to Attain R-Type Funding
Each year, The Early Investigator Advancement Program (EIAP) supports the professional and career development of a cohort of eligible and qualified early-stage investigators and new investigators from institutions across the country. EIAP is now accepting applications through **December 1** for its third cohort of EIAP Scholars.

Applicants should request the Institution Letter of References as soon as possible so that they can be included with their application. Applicants are encouraged to review the resources on the EIAP website and to email the EIAP team to inform the team of their interest. The target start date will be February 13, 2024.

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.

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