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Approaches to Queries for Cohort Identification

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Recruitment

Participant recruitment can be one of the most difficult aspects of conducting human subjects research. Resources are available to help you achieve your study recruitment goals. Use the menu to the right to learn more about the resources available to your research team. 


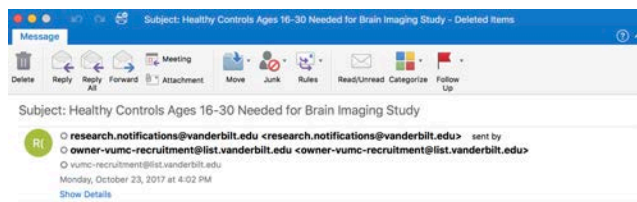
Resources

- **ResearchMatch**
A national registry of potential research volunteers; to register as a researcher click [here](#). To register as a volunteer click [here](#).
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- The **Community Engagement Studio** is a guidance session for researchers interested in working in a community setting. Community members serve as experts and provide feedback to enhance the design (**including recruitment**), implementation, translation and dissemination of community engaged research. For more information contact Tiffany Israel, MSSW, at 615-875-5659 or tiffany.israel@vanderbilt.edu




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LISTSERV

OR ... OPT-OUT 

Subject: Healthy Controls Ages 16-30 Needed for Brain Imaging Study - Deleted Items

Message

Delete Reply Reply All Forward Attachment Move Junk Rules Read/Unread Categorize Follow Up

Subject: Healthy Controls Ages 16-30 Needed for Brain Imaging Study

research.notifications@vanderbilt.edu <research.notifications@vanderbilt.edu> sent by owner-vumc-recruitment@list.vanderbilt.edu <owner-vumc-recruitment@list.vanderbilt.edu>

vumc-recruitment@list.vanderbilt.edu

Monday, October 23, 2017 at 4:02 PM

Show Details

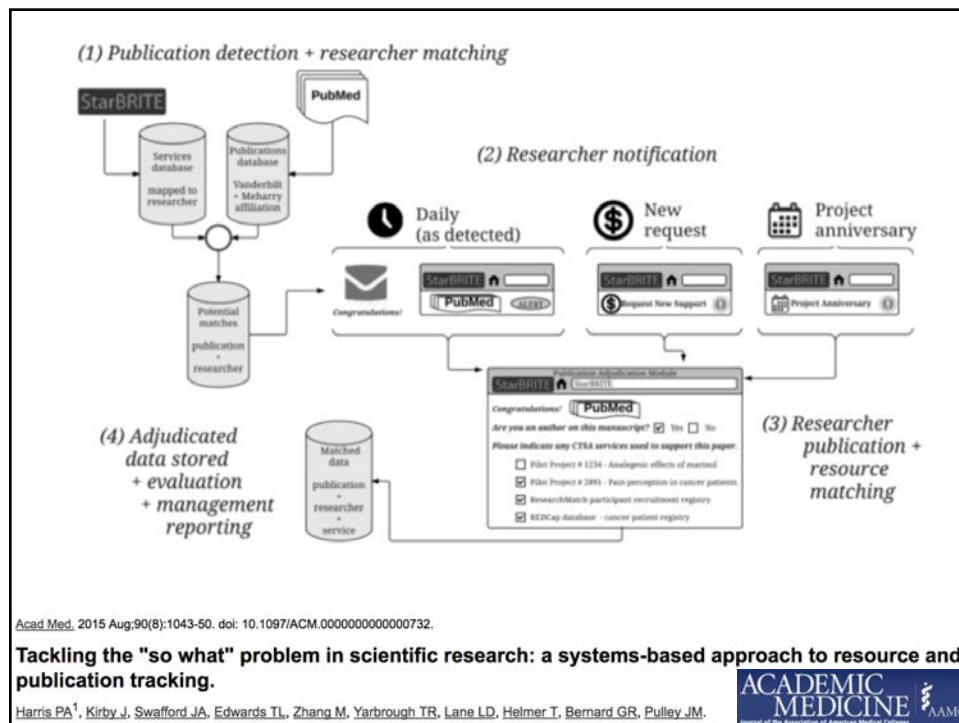
If you are a healthy adult with no history of psychological problems and no history of excessive substance or alcohol use, you may qualify as a normal control subject. This research study is looking at how genes and the brain work together to cause psychological disorders.



We Need:
Men and women ages 16-30 who are physically healthy.
Subjects may be asked to complete a screening survey, undergo a psychiatric interview, provide a blood and urine sample, and complete MRIs. Participants will be compensated for their time.

If you are interested or want more information about the study, please complete the screening survey at this link: <https://redcap.vanderbilt.edu/surveys/?s=7195IncUPj>. Once we have reviewed responses, you will be contacted regarding your eligibility.

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 To: owner-vumc-recruitment@list.vanderbilt.edu
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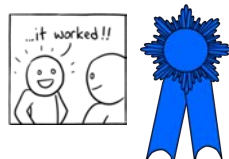
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	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Recruitment Notifications	0	0	0	5	12	38	48	56	38	50	44



291 Publications




A researcher's most important discovery might be you.

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Trials Today

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Difficult diseases have met their match.

As of right now there are:

volunteers	researchers	studies	institutions	publications	more metrics
122,591	5,315	573	142	255	




A Researcher's most important discovery might be you!

Medical discoveries are not possible without volunteers like **you**.

Health research changes people's lives every day. Researchers still need your help. Many studies end early because there are not enough volunteers. We help by matching you with research studies. Researchers need both healthy people and people with all types of conditions. Everyone can be the perfect research match!

[Join Now](#)




Step 1: Potential volunteers (or their parents/caretakers) self-register to indicate a willingness to be contacted for research studies.

Dashboard / **Demographic Data**

Demographic Data

[Conditions](#)
[Medications](#)
[Additional Info](#)


Tell us about yourself

Date of birth

Gender

Height (ft)

Height (in)

Weight (lbs)

Race

Ethnicity

Are you a twin or triplet?

Veteran Status

Tobacco use

[Next](#)



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Tell us about your conditions.

Have you been diagnosed with a health or medical condition?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Start entering the name of a single condition in the box below. You may enter in as few or as many conditions as you like. Once a condition has been found using the search please make sure you select the condition so that it appears in the list below.

Search for conditions:

hypertension

hypertension

hypothyroidism

adhd (attention deficit **hyper**activity disorder)

hypercholesterolemia

hypothyroid

Next

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Tell us about your medications.

Are you taking a prescribed or over-the-counter medication?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Start entering the name of a single medication in the box below. You may enter in as few or as many medications as you like. Once a medication has been found using the search please make sure you select the medication so that it appears in the list below.

Search for medications:

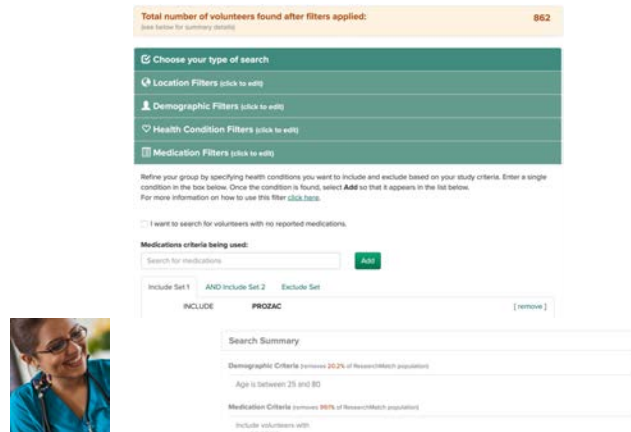
Medications list:

simvastatin

[remove]

Next

Registered researchers search database for individuals based on study inclusion criteria and geographical location (Only De-Id Information)



Total number of volunteers found after filters applied: 862

Choose your type of search:

- Location Filters (click to edit)
- Demographic Filters (click to edit)
- Health Condition Filters (click to edit)
- Medication Filters (click to edit)

Refine your group by specifying health conditions you want to include and exclude based on your study criteria. Enter a single condition in the box below. Once the condition is found, select **Add** so that it appears in the list below. For more information on how to use this filter click [here](#).

☐ I want to search for volunteers with no reported medications.

Medications criteria being used:

Search for medications: **Add**

Include Set 1: AND Include Set 2: Exclude Set: [remove]

Search Summary

Demographic Criteria (sums 20.2% of ResearchMatch population)

Age is between 25 and 80

Medication Criteria (sums 98% of ResearchMatch population)

Include volunteers with:

PROZAC

Researchers send IRB approved recruitment message to 'matched' volunteers.



Total number of volunteers you'll be contacting by email: 862

Select volunteers to contact:

checkbox	name	age	sex	race	ethnicity	location	status
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	John	45	M	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Jane	35	F	Black	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mike	55	M	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sarah	25	F	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	David	65	M	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Emily	40	F	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Robert	70	M	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lisa	30	F	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	James	50	M	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Amanda	20	F	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Christopher	60	M	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Michelle	40	F	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Daniel	30	M	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stephanie	50	F	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Matthew	20	M	White	Other	USA	Active
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Olivia	70	F	White	Other	USA	Active

Enter your message:

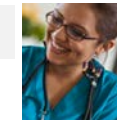
You may wish to include a REDCap survey for volunteers participating in this funded study. Research study volunteers will be offered an opportunity to take the survey and may have information entered in participating in the study after receiving your study contact message. If a survey should be included (to add), click here to add a REDCap survey to your study. REDCap survey:

Check an auto contact box ☒

I certify that I am sending IRB approved recruitment language for this protocol

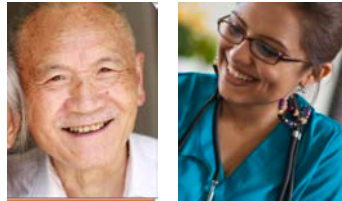
I certify that I have contacted office and direct study contact information (email & phone) located from my initial contact announcement language

Send Message



Volunteers make final choice to share identifiable information for direct contact.

Researchers contact interested volunteers and follow normal study consent procedures.

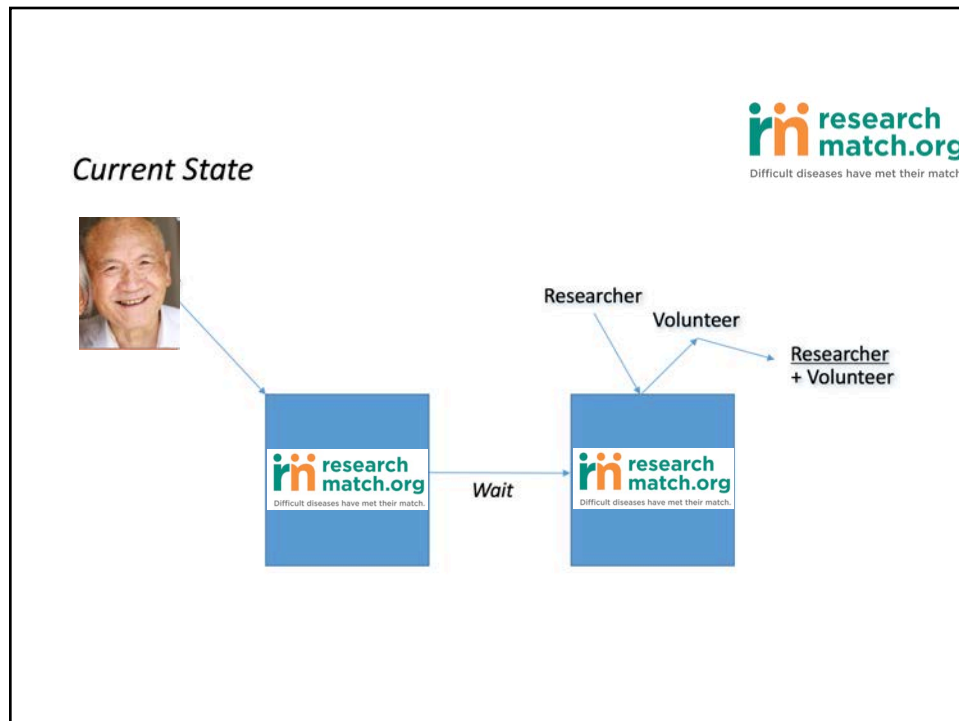


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152 Publications



Trials Today at researchmatch.org

20,576 recruiting studies registered on ClinicalTrials.gov looking for volunteers

3,785 sponsors organizations looking for volunteers

2,443 medical conditions

phase 1

Want to see what trials may be out there for you?

Thousands of institutions across the country are currently recruiting volunteers to participate in research studies. Whether you are looking for treatment or want to help contribute to research that will further the advancement of treatment, diagnosis, and prevention, there are studies out there who need YOU. We know that figuring out where to start can be one of the biggest obstacles a Volunteer faces when searching for study opportunities, that's why we've made it easier for YOU to find the information you need! We created a quick and simplified way to search the thousands of studies available on ClinicalTrials.gov. By answering a few short questions we can help you find a list of studies that may be of interest to you.

ClinicalTrials.gov is a database of federally and privately supported clinical trials conducted in the United States and around the world. The information should be used in conjunction with advice from health care professionals.

Start Searching!

10 studies 8 sponsors 1 condition

1. Which of these statements sounds most like your reason for searching for studies?

☒ I need a disease or condition and I want to see if there are any studies out there for me.

☐ I want to see if there are any studies out there for me.

☐ I want to see if there are any studies out there for me.

2. Are you open to studies that are still in a very experimental stage?

☒ Yes

☐ No

3. Provide additional information:

A. What is your gender?

☒ Male

☐ Female

B. What is your age?

☒ 18-24

☐ 25-34

☐ 35-44

☐ 45-54

☐ 55-64

☐ 65+

C. What medical condition are you looking for?

☒ Diabetes

☐ Heart Disease

☐ Cancer

☐ Other

D. How far are you willing to travel?

☒ 0-100 miles

☐ 100-200 miles

☐ 200+ miles

4. A Clinical Trial of a New Drug to Treat Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus and the Clinical Diagnosis...

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Self-Service

Send to Friend



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Vanderbilt Clinical Trials

Clinical Trials

[Find a Clinical Trial](#)

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Participating in a clinical trial can bring many benefits. As a patient, it can help you access new and innovative drugs or treatments still in research stages. For others, participating in a trial is a way to help advance science and health care for the public good.

If you are interested in joining a clinical trial, Vanderbilt offers a tool, My Research at Vanderbilt, to help you find appropriate research studies.

Search [open clinical trials at Trials Today](#).

VANDERBILT HEALTH

Clinical Trials Find a Clinical Trial Frequently Asked Questions

Search Clinical Trials

Vanderbilt conducts research studies and clinical trials in various divisions throughout the Medical Center. We know that figuring out where to start can be one of the biggest obstacles a volunteer faces when searching for research study opportunities.

Q Condition

Gender Age Accepts Healthy Volunteers

Reset Search View Results

452 matching studies

Condition of Interest

A Study of the ReCor Medical Paradise System in Clinical Hypertension

Hypertension Vascular Diseases

RADIANCE-HTN is a randomized, double-blind, sham controlled, 2-cohort study (TRIO and SOLO) designed to demonstrate efficacy and document the safety of the Paradise Renal Denervation System in two distinct populations of hypertensive subjects. [expand](#)

Effect of Chronic ACE and DPP4 Inhibition on Blood Pressure

Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus Hypertension

In this study the investigators will test the hypothesis that dipeptidyl peptidase IV (DPP4) inhibition attenuates the antihypertensive effect of angiotensin-converting enzyme (ACE) inhibition but not angiotensin receptor blockade or calcium channel blockade. The investigators... [expand](#)

A Study to Evaluate the Effectiveness of Essure Post-NovaSure Radiofrequency Endometrial Ablation Procedure...

Contraception Menorrhagia

The purpose of the post approval study is to evaluate the effectiveness and safety of the Essure System when a NovaSure Endometrial Ablation procedure is performed following a successful Essure Confirmation Test. [expand](#)

UT Health
Non Academic

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Q Condition

Gender Age Accepts Healthy Volunteers

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137 matching studies

First-in-human Study of Oral TP-4903 (a Novel Inhibitor of AXL Kinase) in Patients With Advanced Solid...

Advanced Solid Tumor Cancer

TP-4903 is a novel oral inhibitor of AXL kinase. Preclinical studies have shown promising antitumor activity of TP-4903 as a single agent against a variety of tumor types in both in vitro and in vivo studies. This first-in-human study is conducted to identify the maximum... [expand](#)

Efficacy and Safety of Treatment With Aprepitide Plus Endocrine Therapy in Patients With HR⁺, HER2-negative...

Endocrine Therapy Breast Cancer

Efficacy and safety of treatment with aprepitide plus endocrine therapy in patients with HR⁺, HER2-negative ABC, with PNECA incidence, whose disease has progressed on or after CDK... [expand](#)

The Physiologic Effects of Intranasal Desflurane on Sarcopenic Obesity

Endocrine Therapy Obesity Anesthesia Anesthetics Pain Sedation Sedation

Obesity is a high prevalence state which is at a high risk of morbidity and mortality in older adults. Although anesthesia can compound the effects of obesity and sarcopenia, many have difficulty achieving an anesthetic plan and the benefits of anesthesia are variable. [expand](#)

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Reset Search View Results

7 matching studies

Efficacy Study Of Tofacitinib in Pediatric JIA Population

Child Juvenile Arthritis Rheumatoid Arthritis

Evaluate efficacy, safety and tolerability of tofacitinib in pediatric JIA patients. [expand](#)

Adapting Project UPLIFT for Blacks in Georgia

Endocrine Therapy Breast Cancer

Search Aim: 1. Evaluate the efficacy of Project UPLIFT for reducing symptoms of anxiety, depression, and PTSD among African American at immediate post-diagnosis, after 3 months, and after 6 months. [expand](#)

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Q Condition

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Reset Search View Results

87 matching studies

FTLINE: Pediatric Practice-based Obesity Intervention to Support Families

Child Obesity Family Parenting

The goal of this study is to investigate whether single family support coaching sessions or materials on family interventions can be beneficial for overweight and obese 5-10 year olds. [expand](#)

Vitamin D and Renal Beta-Cell Function in Type 1 Diabetes

Child Diabetes Endocrine Therapy Kidney Kidney

This study is designed to study the role of vitamin D supplementation on the long-term phase of type 1 diabetes in children who are on standardized insulin treatment. The results could lead to significant changes in the approach to the early phase of type 1 diabetes with... [expand](#)

Safety of Furosemide in Premature Infants at Risk of Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia (BPD)

Child Endocrine Therapy Kidney Kidney Kidney

This study will describe the safety of furosemide in premature infants at risk of bronchopulmonary dysplasia and determine the primary effectiveness and pharmacokinetics (PK) of... [expand](#)

A Study to Investigate the Efficacy and Safety of RG08119 in Participants With Autism Spectrum Disorder...

Child Autism Spectrum Disorder Autism Spectrum Disorder Autism Spectrum Disorder

This is a Phase 1a multi-center, randomized, double-blind, 16-week, 2-arm, parallel group, placebo-controlled study to investigate the efficacy, safety, and pharmacokinetics of RG08119 in children and adolescents aged 5-17 years with ASD who are high functioning individuals. [expand](#)

Children's Autism Medication Project

Child Autism Spectrum Disorder Autism Spectrum Disorder Autism Spectrum Disorder

Investigate the efficacy and safety of the following medications: Risperidone, Aripiprazole, and Quetiapine. [expand](#)

Efficacy of IMPACT in Infant Siblings of Children With ASD

Child Autism Spectrum Disorder Autism Spectrum Disorder Autism Spectrum Disorder

Over a 2 year period infant and early siblings of children with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) will be recruited to this study and will be randomized into 2 groups. Results of the intervention group will be used to inform a larger study to improve the diagnosis. [expand](#)

Interested in Adopting/Collaborating? paul.harris@vanderbilt.edu



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- A cohort of ~ **20,000** Vanderbilt patients that have opted in to be contacted directly by e-mail to participate in research or to provide input on research ideas
- A convenient and efficient panel of patient representatives for which we have medical record data
- Uses: survey, clinical, interventional research and stakeholder engagement to guide research efforts

MyResearch at Vanderbilt

My Health at Vanderbilt

My Recent | Appointments | Do you think you have the flu?

Messages | Health Management | My Research | My Account

My Contact Preferences

Vanderbilt University Medical Center (VUMC) is an academic medical center. Its mission is to educate doctors and nurses, provide high-quality care for every patient, and research new ways to diagnose and treat patients. To do this, VUMC may use patients' health information or blood, tissues, or samples left over from treatment.

The purpose of this survey is to help doctors and researchers at Vanderbilt understand better how you would like to be notified of research that is occurring at Vanderbilt. Please indicate your preferences below. We are very grateful to you for allowing us to care for your health, and for your support of research programs.

In addition to being contacted through your doctor, would you like to be contacted directly to receive information about research studies so that you can decide if the study is right for you?

☒ Yes
☐ No

How do you want to be contacted for research purposes? (Check all that apply)

☒ Email
☐ Phone call
☐ Text message (Standard text messaging rates may apply)
☒ A paper letter by postal mail

Email address

☒ Please use the email address I have already given to Vanderbilt: paul.hamis@vanderbilt.edu
☐ Please use the email address I specify below

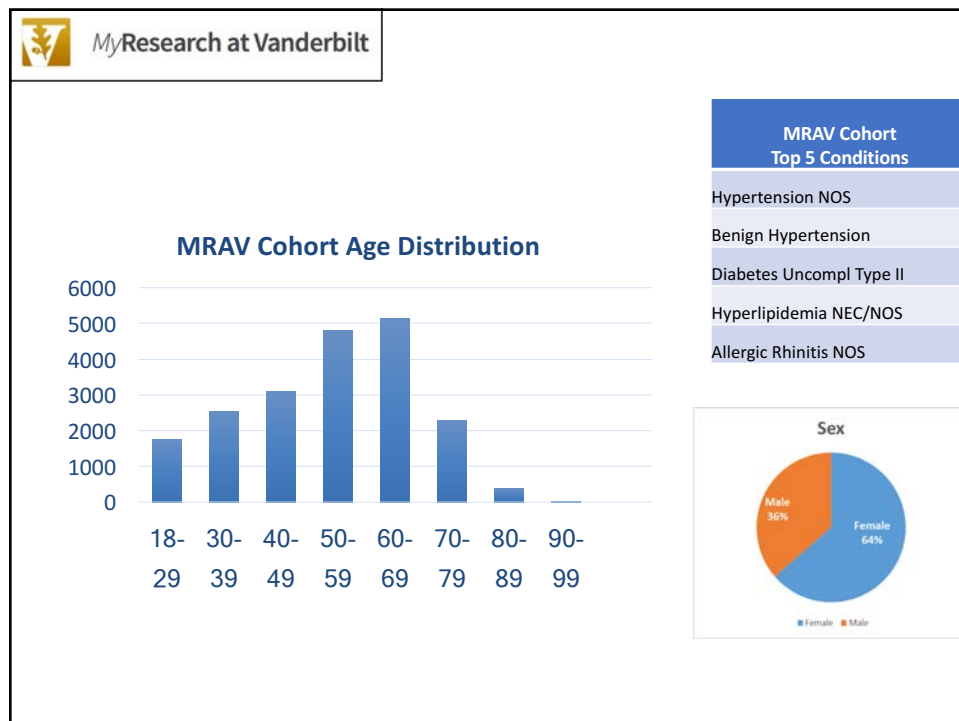
[Save preferences](#)

Welcome to MyResearch at Vanderbilt!

Update your contact preferences here

Vanderbilt researchers conduct studies to learn how to improve health. Participation by people like you is the only way research can happen. MyResearch will give you the opportunity to be a part of research studies relevant to you and your community and allow researchers access to more volunteers.

MRV Cohort
Authenticated (MHA) individuals can use this link to provide information about how they wish to be contacted for recruitment (e.g. e-mail, phone, only by my doctor, etc)





How to Recruit Patients From The MRAV Cohort

- Obtain IRB approval for use of MRAV recruitment tool and email contact language
- Submit a [MyResearch Access Request](#)
 - Reviewed for participant burden and availability of programmers
- Self-Service Identification through RD Discover Interface
- - or - submit a [Research Derivative Request](#) to identify eligible patients based on study criteria, if applicable (IDAS Core, \$120 per programming hour)
- Once approved, Data Coordinating Center Core programmers send email notifications to participants including approved language (\$82 per programming hour)

Expression of Interest / Pre-Screening Survey



The screenshot shows the VDR Discover interface with the following details:

- Search Criteria:**
 - Age: Under 18, 18-44, 45-64, 65+
 - Gender
 - Race/Ethnicity
 - Diseases
- Include records where:**
 - MRAV contact by Email (Group Count: 18874)
 - AND Include records where: Contains ICD10 code in group M2-Cardiomyopathy (Group Count: 9719)
 - AND Include records where: Age Between 40 and 79 (Group Count: 1721173)
- Result Set Total:** 258
- Filter by:** Mid-South CDON - Vanderbilt
- ICD9 Codes:** ICD10 Codes, Procedure Codes, CPT Codes, Medications, Labs, Documents, Visits, Encounters, Departments, HHS, My Research at Vanderbilt (MRAV), Local Regimens, Saved Sets

A blue arrow points from the bottom of the VDR Discover interface to the REDCap logo.

Expression of Interest / Pre-Screening Survey

REDCap
Research Electronic Data Capture

Subject Locator

Using **Subject Locator**, researchers recruiting study subjects at Vanderbilt outpatient clinics can reduce their time spent pre-screening candidates. Based on a list of upcoming appointments in a predetermined set of clinics, Subject Locator searches patient StarPanel records for commonly used, discrete inclusion/exclusion criteria to significantly narrow down the number of patients that require screening. Subject Locator gives investigators or key study personnel access to choose the clinics and set the criteria from an easy-to-use user interface. The resulting subset of clinic patients that are more likely to match your study criteria appear as a list that the investigator or key study personnel can use to follow recruitment work flow.

Subject Locator is available to those with:

- a Vanderbilt IRB-approved research study
- IRB approval to use Subject Locator in recruiting for the study
- Access to StarPanel
- A VUNetID

Begin here to Become a Registered User:

1. Obtain IRB approval
For IRB-approved studies, a Subject Locator-specific amendment should be submitted. Find the template language here.
2. Submit a Subject Locator Access Request here

[Access Subject Locator](#) (registered users only)

- Enables more efficient screening and recruiting of patients versus traditional methods of manually reviewing upcoming appointment lists and cross-referencing EMR
- Based on a list of upcoming appointments in a predetermined set of clinics, Subject Locator searches patient's EMR via the research data warehouse for commonly used, discrete inclusion/exclusion criteria to significantly narrow down the number of patients that require screening
 - Criteria includes IC9/10 and CPT codes, demographics, vitals, keywords, medications

Study Work Queue (Daily Review)

Clinics of Interest	Review List	Starting Here → Filtering Criteria	Snapshot – Pilot Studies
Department	Qualified MRNs (Meet eligibility criteria)	Active Appointments	Inclusion Criteria 1 (Age 18-80 years old)
416 Vanderbilt Heart Shelbyville	<input type="button" value="Dismiss"/> <input type="button" value="Select"/>		
1516 VHI Clinics	<input type="button" value="Dismiss"/> <input type="button" value="Select"/>		
2415 VHIU Clinics	<input type="button" value="Dismiss"/> <input type="button" value="Select"/>		

Snapshot – Pilot Studies

Nephrology

- Examined: 2598
- Candidates: 96
- (reduction - 96%)

Cleft Palate

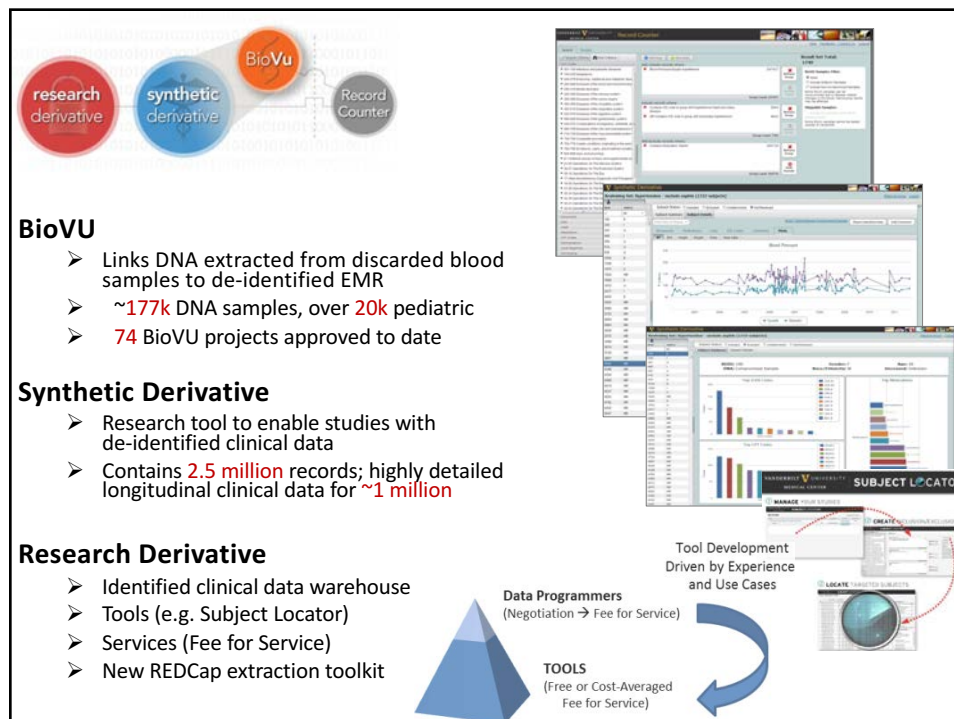
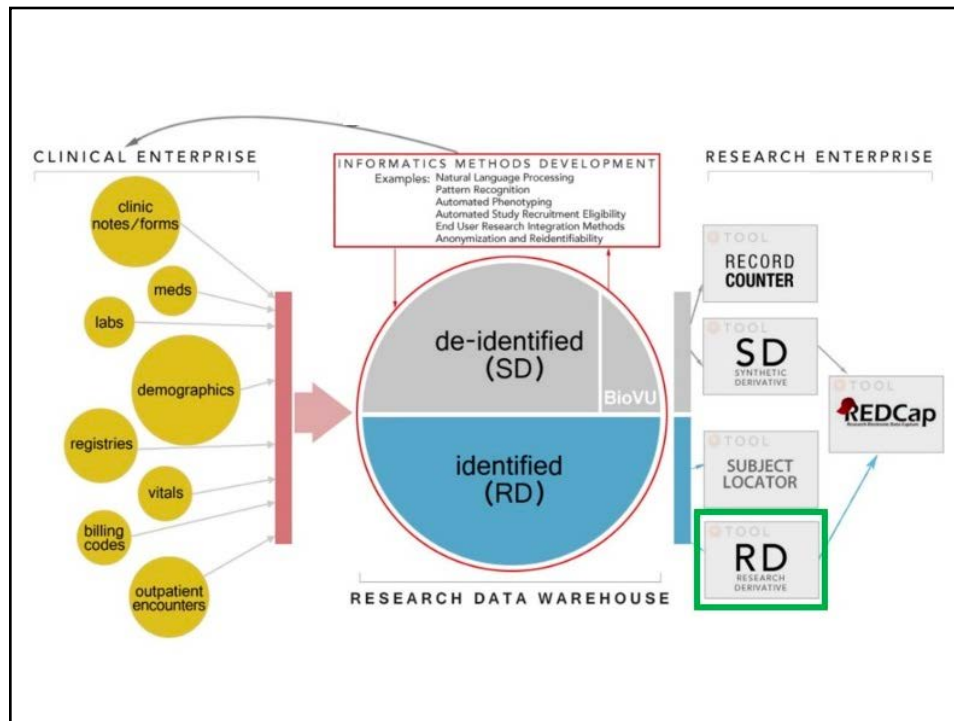
- Examined: 2490
- Candidates: 27
- (reduction - 99%)

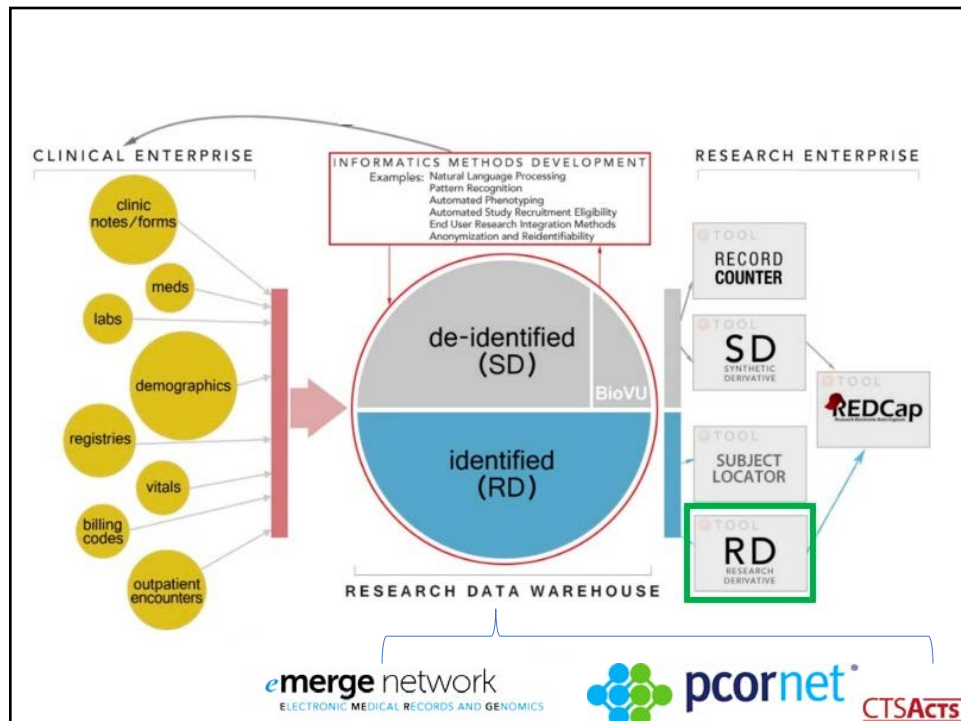
Cardiology (2 studies)

- (reduction - 95%)

Epic

Data types available in the RD Discover:	Set Creation	Data Export
Demographics (age, sex, race, deceased status)	X	X
ICD Codes	X	X
CPT Codes	X	X
PheWAS Codes	X	X
Medications	X	
Lab Values	X	X
Documents (search for keyword text strings)	X	
Vital Signs (BMI, BP, weight, height, pulse, RR)	X	X
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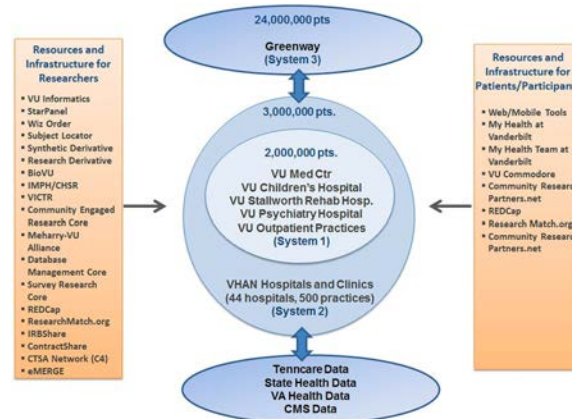
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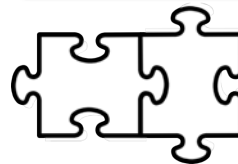
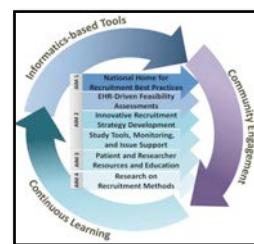
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Vision and purpose

Our goal is to positively impact human health by **improving participant enrollment and retention in multi-center clinical trials.**

Achieving this goal will require sophisticated **informatics-based recruitment tools** and **novel engagement approaches** to accelerate recruitment and retention.





Key Principles



- **Respecting CTSA autonomy and diversity**
- A focus on minority and underserved populations
- **Making the most of electronic health records**
- Preserving a disease neutral approach
- Focus on cost efficiency
- Respecting and returning value to participants
- Build on best practice (avoid reinventing the wheel)
- Evidence based.... What works? (test bed)
- Finite resources – scalability / tools
- Home for recruitment experts (across + beyond CTSA)



EHR-Based Site Feasibility



BE OPPORTUNISTIC



"If I have seen further than others, it is by standing upon the shoulders of giants."

– Sir Isaac Newton



Do what you can, with what you have, where you are.

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- Research tool to enable studies with de-identified clinical data
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- Identified clinical data warehouse
- Tools (e.g. Subject Locator)
- Services (Fee for Service)
- New REDCap extraction toolkit





Clinical and Translational Science Award (U54)

Informatics



Per the IOM report, "The challenge for the next phase of the CTSA Program will be to establish a more integrated and collaborative national network to develop new diagnostics, therapeutics, and preventive interventions while driving innovation in clinical and translational research methods, processes, and leveraging the ever-expanding capabilities of health informatics tools and other research technologies".

Biomedical informatics is a critical CTSA focus for enabling and advancing translational research, which is increasingly data intensive, and requires collaboration among many communities, including healthcare, research, and public health. Additionally, the increasing amounts and types of data (e.g., genetic, imaging, clinical, economic, environmental, behavioral, patient reported) need to be integrated to generate knowledge. Cooperation and coordination among the data stewards in various organizations and institutions on policy issues, and among the managers of those data systems on technical issues are critical. This section should describe how the applicant will facilitate exchange of data among various sources required by translational researchers. Organizational, policy, and technical issues should be addressed. This section should explain how electronic or other medical records interface with clinical research data systems.


CTSA hubs should offer researchers a user-friendly data management system along with training on its use and some basic support. CTSA applicants should encourage compatibility of their research systems with broadly accepted content and technical standards including those adopted by the Department of Health and Human Services for use in U.S. health care and public health operations. In addition, as NIH Institutes and Centers adopt common data elements in their domain areas, CTSA hubs should ensure their research tools are compatible (see <http://www.nlm.nih.gov/cde/Home> for more information).

Maintaining the security of study data, particularly in studies involving human subjects, is critical. Many clinical and translational researchers manage such data in systems, processes, and formats that lack appropriate security. Academic institutions vary in the availability of low cost and user friendly infrastructure to assist investigators in ensuring the security of their data or in their requirements for its use by faculty, staff, and students. Applicants must describe their plan for ensuring the security of research data on all studies involving human subjects at all participating institutions. This plan should address policy, workflow, technical, and enforcement issues. The plan should outline challenges and possible alternative approaches for surmounting them.


CTSA hubs should work towards a flexible, sustainable digital enterprise where digital assets are interoperable so that, for example, data from the electronic health record (EHR) can be used for research purposes. This will require informatics solutions that are embedded in HIPAA regulations and other measures to safeguard patient privacy and autonomy. CTSA hubs should support a research-friendly integrated IT environment where information on applicable research opportunities is presented to clinicians and patients via EHR at the time of the clinical encounter. Other useful services might include noting a patient's participation in a research study in the clinical EHR for the benefit of the treating clinician, and efficient routing of laboratory results. Applicants should describe any solutions they currently have locally to integrate health care and research data, as well as plans for the future. Applicants should indicate if they are currently participating in initiatives that make use of EHR data for research or surveillance (such as for example Mini-Sentinel, PopMedNet/PCORNet, I2b2, or SHRINE), and how they integrate participation with these initiatives into their local digital enterprise and network activities.

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NCATS attaches importance to assessments of informatics performance and goal setting across the entire CTSA community. Therefore informatics leadership from each CTSA is expected to participate in national CTSA network informatics activities, and the application should indicate an informatics point person that can serve as liaison to the network. The CTSA hubs are encouraged to share their informatics tools, and to adopt and utilize tools developed by others to avoid duplication and redundancy. The CTSA hub must be committed to working toward adoption and implementation of standards and practices endorsed by the CTSA program.



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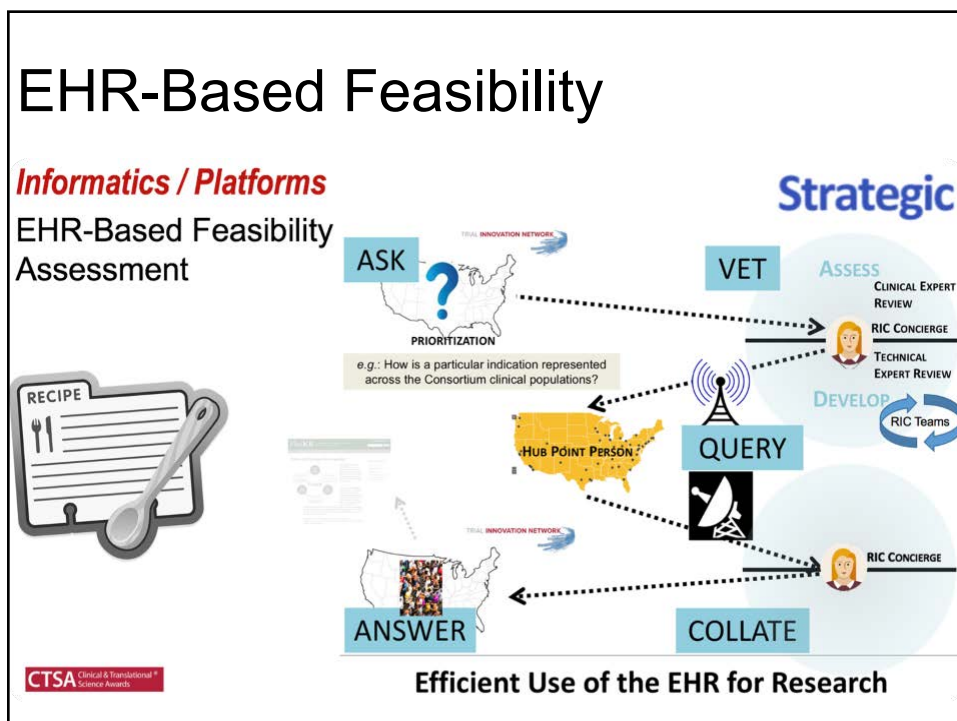
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Same, but Different



EHR-based Cohort Assessment

Non-federated strategic approach to cohort identification by utilizing established network resources to inform various components of the clinical trial process.

Key features:

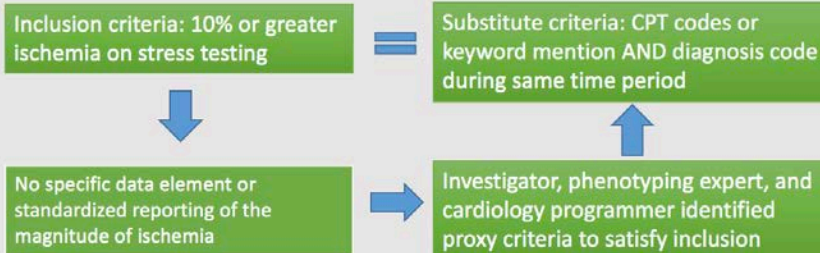
3 stages facilitated by RIC Concierge

Tiered algorithms

Custom phenotypes vetted on multiple platforms

EHR-based Cohort Assessment Stage 1: Defining the ask

One-on-one discussions with study team to define need for cohort identification, assess inclusion/exclusion criteria, identify proxy data points to satisfy unique study criterion



EHR-based Cohort Assessment Stage 3: Network query



- PI can choose sites to query.
- Sites can 'opt-out' for any reason.
- Initial feedback is positive; lessons learned



Framing The EHR Request to CTSA Hub

Request to be made to Hub Liaison POC from TIC (or RIC)

- Protocol Summary + Investigator Team Information
- Project Status (Recruiting/Funded – or - Prospective)
- Expected Number of Sites
- Timeline for Information + Expression of Interest Request
- General Contact information for questions
- Connection information for a 1-time webinar (recorded)
- Instructions for EHR-based data interrogation
 - Connect with your local informatics core
 - Deliver query algorithm (algorithm will most likely be multi-tiered to accommodate 'data diversity' at CTSA hubs)
 - Post-Query Aggregate Data Collection - REDCap Survey
 - Specific point of contact (from RIC) questions
- Instructions for Expression of Interest
 - Contact PI + Contact Information



EHR-based Cohort Assessment Stage 3: Network query

Submitting Results:

- Simple submission process
- Ability to save and return if needed
- Ability to upload supporting documentation
- Option to opt-out
- User-friendly well-known REDCap platform

CTSA Clinical Research Accelerator
Clinical Innovation Network

ASTRO-APS Study Cohort Discovery Results

Thank you for participating in the cohort discovery for the ASTRO-APS study! Please complete the following questions and input the ASTRO-APS Study count results for your institution.

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EHR system used at this site:

Would you prefer to opt-out of this request? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Count 1 Results:

Count 2 Results:

Count 3 Results:

Optional: additional documentation to support counts [Upload documents](#)

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REDCap
Research Electronic Data Capture

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PLUG IN

Cohort Discovery Survey Response Tracking Report

Select a project: **RIC: Cohort Discovery Service (MIND)**

Responses: 70% (21 of 30)

Average Response Time: 6 days

Site	Response Time (in days)
Albert Einstein College of Medicine (partnering with Montefiore Medical Center)	No Response
Childrens National Medical Center	No Response
Dartmouth College	No Response
Emory University (partnering with Morehouse School of Medicine and Georgia Institute of Technology)	6
Harvard University	No Response
Indiana University School of Medicine	1
Mayo Clinic	5
Medical College of Wisconsin	No Response
Medical University of South Carolina	8
Penn State Milton S. Eshelman Medical Center	1
State University of New York at Buffalo	5
The Ohio State University	1
The Rockefeller University	No Response
The Scripps Research Institute	19
Tufts University	7
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences	8
University of California, San Diego	No Response
University of Chicago	12
University of Cincinnati	5

EHR-based Cohort Assessment Stage 3: Network query

Example results; detailed site information included in separate tabs, including demography, race, and ethnic breakdown (if provided by site).

CTSA Institution	Count 1 Results	Count 2 Results	Count 3 Results	Count 4 Results
	9731	9520	9106	7302
	8532	8021	7739	6742
	3066	3066	3066	3039
	13779	15290	14931	13261
	4563	6432	4290	3546
	11394	11018	10949	7063
	804	789	767	605
	1200	1130	970	710
	4133 total	3953 total	388 total	306 total
	20678	19838	18948	16922
	70475	14000	12919	25084
	18647	17918	17246	15689
	816	787	763	576
	14937	14675	14493	11042
	5880	6103	6280	4810
	13693	14888	13477	9104
	69919	67860	66708	5676
	3627	2520	1864	1838
	4310	4147	3879	3233
	8143	8001	7793	5997

EHR-based Cohort Assessment Results of Network Queries

STUDY 1-9/14

4 counts requested at 29 sites
Response rate: 72%
Average Response: 6 days

Study 1: actively recruiting study
needing additional sites

STUDY 2-9/15

3 counts requested at 60 sites
Response rate: 50%
Average Response: 8 days


Study 2: newly funded study for site
selection

STUDY 3-10/20


3 counts requested at 60 sites
Response rate: 20%
Average Response: 8 days

Study 3: pilot study selecting
additional sites

EHR-based Cohort Assessment




CASE STUDY



Efficient Use of the EHR for Research

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TriNetX

ClinicalTrials.gov
A service of the U.S. National Institutes of Health

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Home > Study Record Detail

Memory Improvement Through Nicotine Dosing (MIND) Study (MIND)

This study is currently recruiting participants.
See [Contacts and Locations](#)

Verified August 2017 by Paul Aisen, University of Southern California


Sponsor:
University of Southern California

Collaborators:
National Institute on Aging (NIA)
Vanderbilt University
Alzheimer's Therapeutic Research Institute


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COUNT 1 RESULTS – PATIENTS PER HCO

238,770

COUNT 2 RESULTS – PATIENTS PER HCO

233,310

COUNT 3 RESULTS – PATIENTS PER HCO

214,630

COUNT 4 RESULTS – PATIENTS PER HCO

181,630

MIND - Cohort Identification-Feasibility - TriNetX Results

	TriNetX All	TriNetX-CTSA
Count 1	238,770	172,500
Count 2	233,168	168,710
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Count 4	182,630	129,660

EHR-based Cohort Assessment

Related Results

Federated

Counts	TriNetX Counts	Difference between counts	TriNetX (CTSA Sites)	Difference between counts
Count 1	237,770		172,500	
Count 2	233,310	2.28%	168,710	2.19%
Count 3	214,630	8.00%	157,650	6.56%
Count 4	181,630	15.0%	129,660	17.75%

Non-Federated

Vanderbilt	Difference between counts	RIC	Difference between counts
9,731		39,571	
9,505	2.32%	38,319	3.16%
9,106	4.20%	37,132	3.10
7,302	19.81%	7,302	16.76%

The change in the counts is virtually the same between Federated and Non-Federated



EHR-based Cohort Assessment Lessons Learned

Non-Federated approach works

Feedback during RIC vetting and Network Query Request stages have provided valuable information about data limitations and site uniqueness.

Examples:

Epic slicer/dicer tool allows one code occurrence in record, not 2 or more- not a limitation but supports inconsistencies

6 Hub sites need LOINC codes for lab criteria

+ Need Federated to do sophisticated sensitivity analysis of inclusion/exclusion rules

EHR-based Cohort Assessment Uses

	Site Selection	LOI/Grant	Budget Planning	Study/Protocol Design	Rescue/low enrollment	Recruitment Planning/Materials
Study 1						
Study 2						
Study 3						
Study 4						
Study 5						
Study 6						
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— Voltaire —


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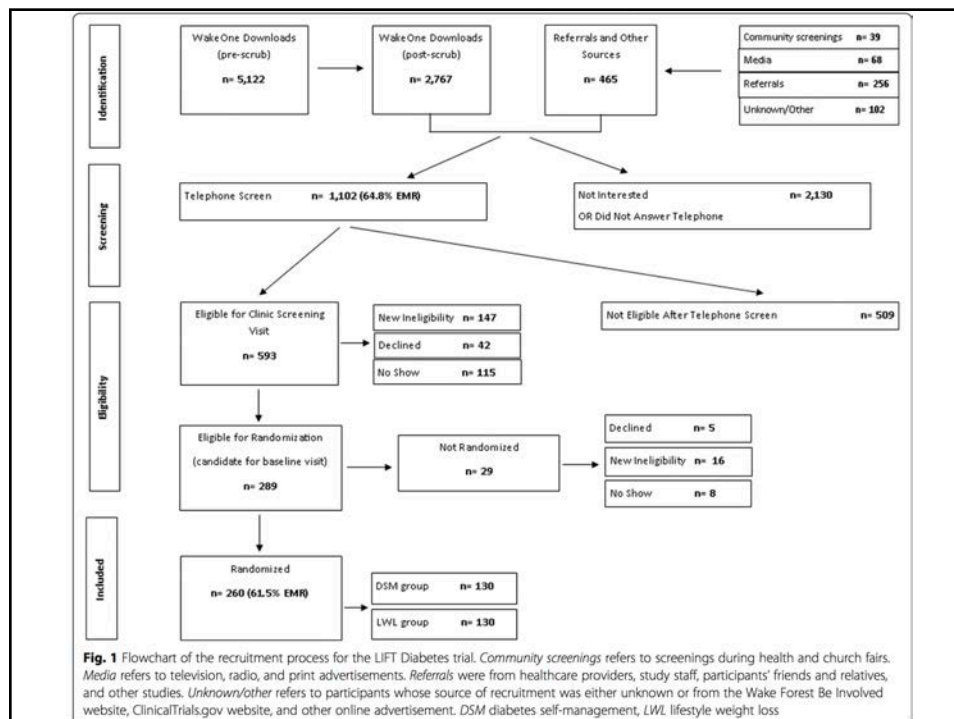


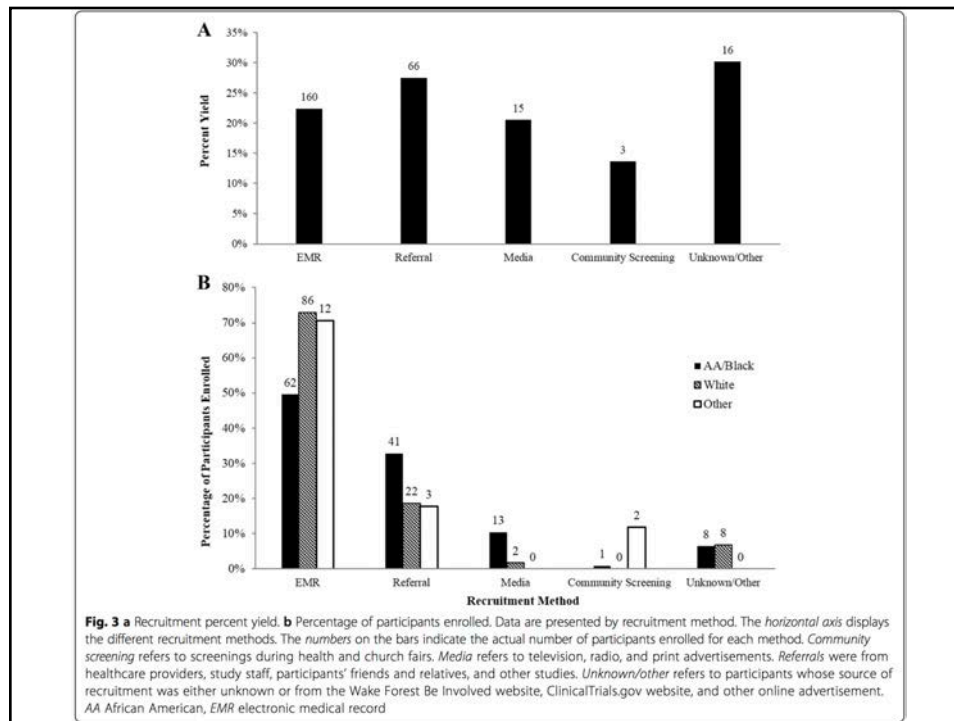
The use of electronic medical records for recruitment in clinical trials: findings from the Lifestyle Intervention for Treatment of Diabetes trial

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Results: A total of 1102 telephone screens were conducted, resulting in randomization of 260 participants (61.5 % from EMR, mean age 56.3 years, 66.2 % women, 48.1 % non-Hispanic blacks) over a 21-month period, with a yield of 23.6 %. Recruitment yields differed by recruitment method, with referrals having the highest yield (27.5 %). A history of cardiovascular disease was the main health reason for exclusion from the study (16.5 %). An additional 8.9 % were excluded for BMI <25 kg/m² (<27 kg/m² for insulin users), 5.4 % could not exercise, 5.2 % had an HbA1c >11 %, and 34.9 % were excluded for other non-medical reasons. Exclusion criteria did not appear to differentially affect enrollment in terms of race or ethnicity.

Conclusions: Future clinical studies should tailor their recruitment strategies based on the participant demographics of interest. Efficient methods such as using the EMR system and referrals should be prioritized over labor-intensive, low-yielding methods such as community screenings and mass mailings.





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Recruitment methods for survey research: Findings from the Mid-South Clinical Data Research Network



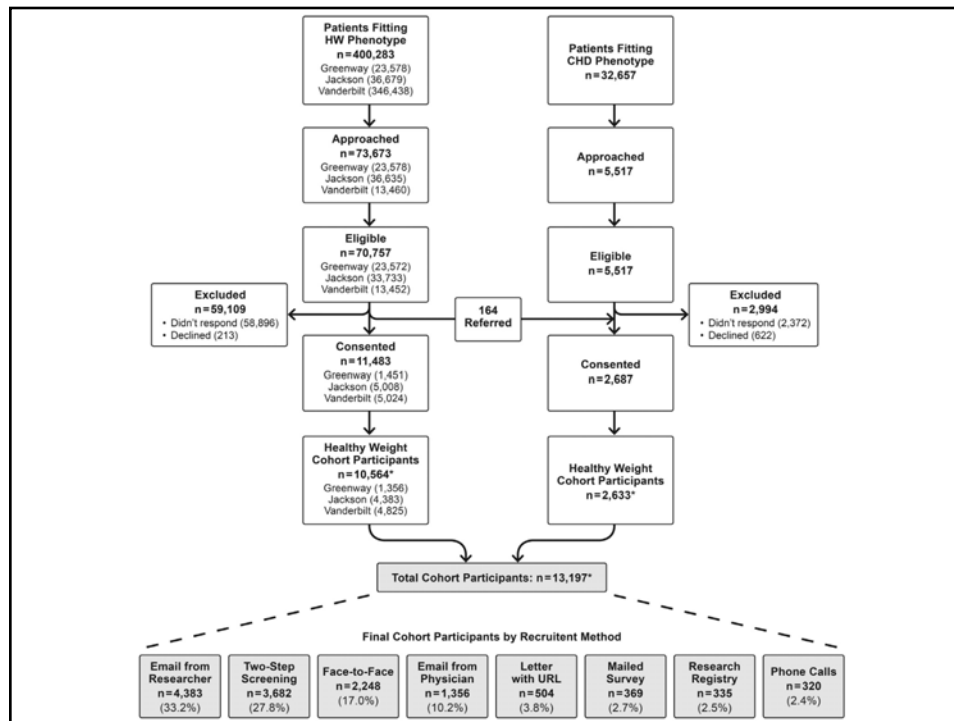
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Purpose: The objective of this study was to report survey response rates and demographic characteristics of eight recruitment approaches to determine acceptability and effectiveness of large-scale patient recruitment among various populations.

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Conclusions: Technology-enabled recruitment approaches such as registries and emails are effective for recruiting but may yield less racial/ethnic diversity compared to traditional, more time-intensive approaches.



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THREE Immediate Opportunities To Collaborate

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500 CITIES: LOCAL DATA FOR BETTER HEALTH Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

CR-ASSIST Emory University (partnering with Morehouse School of Medicine and Georgia Institute of Technology)

PATIENTS COUNT NETWORK FasterCures

DRUG TRIALS SNAPSHOTS Federal Drug Administration (FDA)

CLINICAL TRIAL COMPENSATION: DETERMINING THE APPROPRIATE AMOUNT Nimble - Forte Research Systems

PARTICIPATING IN RESEARCH: YOU CAN BE PART OF THE ANSWER The Ohio State University

Description: The Ohio State University Center for Clinical and Translational Science produced an informational video intended to inform the public about the importance of participating in clinical research. The OSU CCTS welcomes institutions to embed Participating in Research: You Can Be Part of the Answer into their web pages and online social media outlets.

Tag(s): Research Awareness, Recruitment

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External URL: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d9d7Wd8b2e>

Type(s): Educational Video

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INDUSTRY USAGE OF SOCIAL AND DIGITAL MEDIA COMMUNITIES IN CLINICAL RESEARCH: A TUFTS CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF DRUG DEVELOPMENT WHITE PAPER Tufts University

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Rachel K. Thornton, MPH

Ebook presentation: Tools and Considerations for Recruitment at NYU

This webinar is presented in collaboration with the CTSA Recruitment & Retention Working Group.

Successful recruitment starts with determining the who, where, when and how of recruitment efforts. The newly launched NYU-CTSA Recruitment eBook, "Tools and Considerations for Recruitment into Clinical Trials and Health Research" addresses many important questions in recruitment planning such as, where potential participants will be screened, how best to approach potential participants, and considerations for the subject's condition, ethnicity, race, and age-related factors.

[NYU - CTSA](#)
Apr 27th 2017
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Stephen Juraszek, MD, PhD

Novel Research Recruitment Strategies

This webinar will explore novel and traditional recruitment strategies for community-based studies. We will discuss online advertisements, recruitment websites, and all testing tools for research recruitment.



Recent offerings (video available)

Mar 9th 2017
11:00PM EDT

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Rose Marie Ramos, PhD, MPH

Social Determinants of Health-Seeking Behavior: A plausible model to increase racial, ethnic, and gender diversity in clinical studies?

In this webinar, we will discuss the challenges in engaging underserved populations in clinical studies and how understanding the sociocultural and environmental context shapes determinants of health of these individuals can benefit our efforts in clinical study success.

Feb 6th 2017
11:00PM EDT

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Jill MacPhee, Boston University & Michelle Moore, University of Michigan

CTSA Recruitment & Retention

The goal of this presentation is to provide a forum for best practices and new initiatives in recruitment and retention to be shared with CTSA.

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