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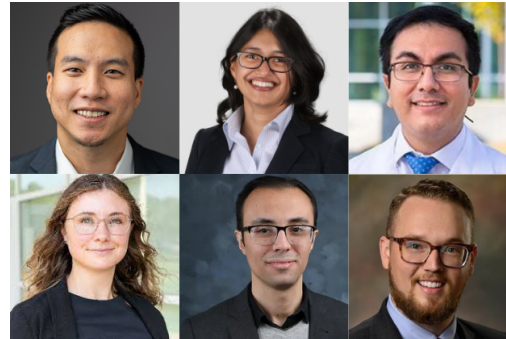
Latest news and upcoming events  
for the CCTS Partner Network

June 13, 2022

## CCTS Selects 2022 CCTS Multidisciplinary Pilot Program Awardees!

This year's six new awardees seek to improve health and health equity in communities across the Deep South. Stay tuned over the coming weeks to learn more about each of their projects.

**The CCTS congratulates the 2022 Awardees.**



## Racism as a Public Health Crisis: Contribute to the Conversation on Thursday, June 23rd

Across the country, local and state leaders are declaring racism a public health crisis or emergency. These declarations are an important first step to advancing racial equity and justice, and they must be followed by strategic action. The next CEI Perspectives on June 23rd will feature a panel of experts leading discussions around this critical issue facing communities in our region and beyond. We'll explore ways to partner in research toward solutions.

**Tune in virtually from 2-4pm on June 23rd. Register today.**

## 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.

### **UAB investigators receive \$3.9 million Department of Defense grant to study interventions for those with multiple sclerosis**

Dr. Wingo was a member of the 2019-2020 cohort for LEAD, a leadership development program co-sponsored by the CCTS and the Center for Outcomes and Effectiveness Research and Education (COERE).

**Jake Chen, PhD, recently accepted a nomination from the American Society of Clinical Oncology and Association for Clinical Oncology to be on**

**the grant selection committee for a three-year term**  
Dr. Chen is on the CCTS Core Informatics Team.

## 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](#)

### June 15 | 2-3:30pm

Research Data Group 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](#)

### June 15 | 9-10am

Translational Research Summer Series: Translating Your Questions into a Project

Presented by Michael Mugavero, MD, MPH, Co-Director for the CCTS Training Academy and Professor of Medicine at UAB.  
[Register](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

### June 16 | 2-3pm

OnCore Q&A Session

Do you have a question or concern about OnCore? Join OnCore staff on Thursdays for a drop-in session to have any and all questions addressed.  
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## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CCTS PARTNER INSTITUTIONS?

Tulane University recently announced that its Clinical Translational Unit is growing as it continues to support several innovative studies.

[Click here to learn more about this expansion.](#)



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