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Turning Discovery Into Health

NIH QuickFinder



The National Institutes of Health (NIH)

- Funds and Conducts Medical Research Throughout the United States and Around the World
- Trains Scientists for Tomorrow
- Provides Health and Science Information to the Public

[nih.gov](https://www.nih.gov)

Institutes

NCI

National Cancer Institute

To eliminate suffering and death due to cancer

www.cancer.gov

1-800-4-CANCER (1-800-422-6237)

NEI

National Eye Institute

To prevent and treat eye diseases and other disorders, reducing visual impairment and blindness

www.nei.nih.gov

301-496-5248

NHGRI

National Human Genome Research Institute

Advancing human health through genomic research

www.genome.gov

301-402-0911

NHLBI

National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute

Provides global leadership for a research, training, and education program to promote the prevention and treatment of heart, lung, and blood diseases; also the lead funder of the NIH Women's Health Initiative

www.nhlbi.nih.gov

301-592-8573 • TTY 240-629-3255

NIA

National Institute on Aging

To understand aging processes and prevent age-related diseases and disabilities

www.nia.nih.gov

Aging information 1-800-222-2225

Alzheimer's disease information 1-800-438-4380

NIAAA

National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism

To prevent and treat alcoholism and alcohol-related problems

www.niaaa.nih.gov

301-443-3860

NIAID

National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases

To understand and improve the treatment and prevention of infectious, immunologic, and allergic diseases

www.niaid.nih.gov

1-866-284-4107

NIAMS

National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases

Supports research into and disseminates information about the causes, treatment, and prevention of conditions of bones, joints, muscles, and skin

www.niams.nih.gov

Arthritis, musculoskeletal, and skin diseases

1-877-22-NIAMS

Osteoporosis and other bone diseases

1-800-624-BONE

NIBIB

National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering

To improve health by leading the development—and accelerating the application—of biomedical technologies

www.nibib.nih.gov

301-496-8859

NICHD

***Eunice Kennedy Shriver* National Institute of Child Health and Human Development**

To understand fertility, pregnancy, growth, development, and medical rehabilitation

www.nichd.nih.gov

1-800-370-2943

NIDA

National Institute on Drug Abuse

To prevent and treat drug addiction and drug-related problems

www.drugabuse.gov

1-877-NIDA-NIH

NIDCD

National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders

To understand human communication processes and disorders of hearing, balance, smell, taste, voice, speech, and language

www.nidcd.nih.gov

1-800-241-1044

NIDCR

National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research

To improve oral, dental, and craniofacial health through research, research training, and the dissemination of health information

www.nidcr.nih.gov

1-866-232-4528

NIDDK

National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases

To conduct and support medical research and research training and to disseminate science-based information on diabetes and other endocrine and metabolic diseases; digestive diseases, nutritional disorders, and obesity; and kidney, urologic, and hematologic diseases, to improve people's health and quality of life

www.niddk.nih.gov

NIDDK Health Information Center 1-800-860-8747

NIEHS

National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences

Preventing diseases by determining how environmental exposures interact with genetic susceptibility and age to affect human health

www.niehs.nih.gov

919-541-3345

NIGMS

National Institute of General Medical Sciences

To support basic research that increases understanding of biological processes and lays the foundation for medical advances

www.nigms.nih.gov

301-496-7301

NIMH

National Institute of Mental Health

To transform the understanding and treatment of mental illnesses through basic and clinical research, paving the way for prevention, recovery, and cure

www.nimh.nih.gov

nimhinfo@nih.gov

1-866-615-6464

NIMHD

National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities

Promotes minority health and eliminates health disparities

www.nimhd.nih.gov

301-402-1366

NINDS

National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke

To seek fundamental knowledge about the brain and nervous system and to use that knowledge to reduce the burden of neurological disease

www.ninds.nih.gov

1-800-352-9424

NINR

National Institute of Nursing Research

To build the scientific foundation for clinical practice, prevent disease and disability, manage and eliminate symptoms caused by illness, and enhance end-of-life and palliative care

www.ninr.nih.gov

301-496-0207

NLM

National Library of Medicine

Collects, organizes, and makes available biomedical and science information

www.nlm.nih.gov

www.clinicaltrials.gov

1-888-FIND-NLM

Centers

CC

NIH Clinical Center

America's clinical research hospital, training today's investigators and discovering tomorrow's cures

clinicalcenter.nih.gov

301-496-2563

CIT

Center for Information Technology

To provide information technology services and infrastructure to the NIH community and collaborate with researchers on computational bioscience

www.cit.nih.gov

301-496-4357

CSR

Center for Scientific Review

Receives NIH grant applications and convenes the initial peer review groups for the vast majority of the applications

www.csr.nih.gov

301-435-1115

FIC

Fogarty International Center

Promotes scientific research and training globally

www.fic.nih.gov

301-496-2075

NCATS

National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences

To develop, demonstrate, and disseminate innovations that reduce, remove, or bypass system-wide bottlenecks in the translational research process so new treatments and cures for disease can be delivered to patients faster

www.ncats.nih.gov

301-435-0888

NCCIH

National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health

To research the usefulness and safety of complementary and integrative health approaches

www.nccih.nih.gov

1-888-644-6226

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AND YOU**

A resource for the public and health professionals to learn more about clinical trials, how to participate, and how clinical research helps NIH advance science and improve health.

clinicalresearchtrials.nih.gov
1-800-411-1222



Office of the Director

OCPL **Office of Communications and Public Liaison**
Provides leadership and guidance for NIH communications and outreach efforts and serves as a central point of contact for the media and the public
Clinical research trial information:
clinicalresearchtrials.nih.gov
NIHinfo@od.nih.gov
301-496-5787

OER **Office of Extramural Research**
The focal point for NIH medical and behavioral research grant policies, guidelines, and funding opportunities
www.grants.nih.gov
301-435-0714

OIR **Office of Intramural Research**
Oversees and coordinates intramural research, training, and technology transfer conducted within the laboratories and clinics of the NIH
www.irp.nih.gov
301-496-1921

ORF **Office of Research Facilities: Development and Operations**
Supports the NIH mission by providing, maintaining, and operating safe, healthy, and attractive facilities
www.orf.od.nih.gov
301-594-0999

ORS Office of Research Services

Plans and directs service programs for public safety and security operations, scientific and regulatory support programs, and a wide variety of other program and employee services to support the biomedical research mission of the NIH

www.ors.od.nih.gov

301-594-6677

Division

DPCPSI Division of Program Coordination, Planning, and Strategic Initiatives

Coordinates trans-NIH programs, planning, and strategic scientific initiatives in the Office of the Director of NIH.

Includes:

- NIH Common Fund
- OAR: Office of AIDS Research
- OBSSR: Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research
- ODP: Office of Disease Prevention
- ODS: Office of Dietary Supplements
- ORWH: Office of Research on Women's Health
- ORIP: Office of Research Infrastructure Programs
- OSC: Office of Strategic Coordination

dpcpsi.nih.gov

301-402-9852



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