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School of Public Health

November 17, 2025

NEWS and Events

- **There are updates and new funding opportunities:** [Grant-Opportunities 11 17 2025.pdf \(lsuhsc.edu\)](#).
- **Special Guest Seminar | A Conversation with Dr. Denys Lau**, Editor-in-Chief of the American Journal of Public Health | **American Journal of Public Health: New Editor-in-Chief and New Direction**
 - Date/Time: **Thursday, November 20 at 11:00 AM**
 - Location: Virtually via [Zoom](#).
- **Save the Date! SPH Career Services Speed Networking** will be held on **Monday, November 17, Noon-2 PM**, at LEC 1st floor. Open to All LSU SPH students.
 - 12-1 speed networking
 - 1-2 follow up with longer informal talk with new contacts
- **NIH** has issued Notice [NOT-OD-26-005](#) announcing **interim guidance for restarting extramural research activities** following the recent government shutdown. NIH is working to resume grant submissions, peer review meetings, and other external research operations, with adjusted timelines expected. NIH advises investigators and institutions to monitor upcoming updates for revised due dates and scheduling details.
- **Funding Opportunities** will be posted on the [ROPH website](#) by interest groups. Members who sign up for one or more Interest

Groups will also receive monthly email updates featuring new funding announcements.

- The LSUHSC SPH Research Office has many resources to support authors with their writing, please visit the [Resources website](#) for more information.
- READ (Research, Evaluation, Analysis, and Design) Center at the LSU School of Public Health (SPH) brings together all SPH faculty, staff, and students to offer comprehensive services supporting research and community health initiatives in Population Health. For more details, please visit our [website](#).

Workshops, Webinars, and Short Courses:

- **NIH Replication Prize** | The National Institutes of Health (NIH), in collaboration with NASA's Tournament Lab, presents the Replication Prize, an \$850,000 challenge to enhance the rigor and reproducibility of biomedical research. The initiative aims to crowdsource innovative ideas and practical strategies to make replication a cornerstone of scientific discovery. [Apply](#) by **December 19th**.
- **CCTS Lunch and Learn** | Don't miss the next quarterly CCTS Lunch & Learn on **December 9th from 11:30 AM – 1 PM** via Zoom. Make sure someone from your team tunes in so that you are aware of the latest, most critical clinical research updates. [Register Now](#).
- **CCTS ExpeDITlons: Maternal and Child Health** | Join us for the next CCTS ExpeDITlons Forum as we explore dissemination and implementation efforts in maternal and child health. [Details](#). [Register](#).
 - Date: **November 18th, 12-1 pm**
- **November TIERS: Immediate Access Required: Understanding the New Rules for Publishing Federally Funded Research** | Do you publish research supported by federal funding? Join us for this essential session led by UAB Libraries' Dr. Marla Hertz to learn about

new requirements for immediate public access at the time of publication. [Details](#). [Register](#).

- **Wednesday, November 19, 2025, 11:00 am to 12:00 pm CST**

- **2026 Southeast Regional CTSA Conference!** | Present your research and connect with regional investigators at Callaway Resort & Gardens, **March 11-13, 2026**, host by the Georgia CTSA with participation from the CCTS and other regional partners. [Learn More](#).
- **18th Annual Conference on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation in Health** | This year's conference theme will address our existing and future efforts to maximize the benefits of D&I science. [Register](#) by **December 13, 2025**. [Details](#).
 - Date: **December 14-17, 2025**
 - Location: Gaylord National | National Harbor, MD
- **St. Jude/PIDS Pediatric Infectious Diseases Research Conference** features leaders in the field of Infectious Diseases and features Pediatric ID Research, Transplant/Immunocompromised Hosts, Infectious Diseases, Career Development and Global Health. [Details](#). [Register](#).
 - Date: **March 4-6, 2026**
 - In-person and virtual registration options are available
 - Trainee career session on March 3 - in person only
 - Abstracts must be submitted by 11:00 PM CT on Sunday, November 16.
 - Accepted abstracts will be notified December 1-8.
- **NLM released Notice of Pre-Application Technical Assistance Webinar for NLM Grants for Scholarly Works in Biomedicine and Health (G13 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)** ([NOT-LM-25-005](#))
 - Date and Time: **Thursday, December 18, 2025**, from 12-1 PM
- **2025 Public Health Learning Forum** | Attendees will have the opportunity to join sessions focusing on training and tools to support public health workforce development, quality improvement, and performance management, and build governmental public health workforce capacity. [Details](#). [Register](#).
 - Sessions will be held **virtually** in **November 18-21**

- Enrolling Now for **Compass, an NIH-funded Early-career Leadership Development Program**. Compass is a remote training and mentoring program for early-career faculty and postdocs across research disciplines who want to develop essential leadership and management skills for the research environment. [Apply Now](#).
 - **Faculty**: 10 weeks, \$2,000; **Postdocs**: 6 weeks, free
 - **Spring** Application Deadline: **December 26**
 - **OHRP free online human subjects research training program** in 5 lessons with completion certificates for NIH-funded human subjects research, investigators, and key personnel. [Link](#). **Expiration date: 11/30/2026**.
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