THIS THURSDAY: Biennial 22q11 Deletion Syndrome Symposium: December 7, 2023

The 4th Biennial 22q11 Deletion Syndrome Symposium on Thursday, December 7, will bring together an interdisciplinary community of clinicians, basic scientists, and translational investigators to highlight new research and emerging topics in 22q11.2 Deletion Syndrome (22q11.2DS), and aims to foster close interdisciplinary discourse.

Registration open

2024 Health Equity Symposium: January 17, 2024

Co-hosted by Stanford Medicine and The Martin Luther King Jr. Research & Education Institute, the January 17, 2024 Health Equity Symposium aims to develop solutions to eliminate health disparities while highlighting Dr. King’s dedication and legacy on the issue of health equity. Anisha Patel, MD, MSPH, MSHS, MCHRI Community-Engaged Research Director will be leading a policy focused workshop at this all day event.

Learn more and register

DEADLINE APPROACHING: January 31, 2024

URM/FLI Undergraduate Summer 2024 Research Opportunity

Student applications for MCHRI’s DRIVE in Research Pipeline Pathway are now open, with a deadline of January 31, 2024. We encourage MCHRI members to promote this opportunity to underrepresented minorities (URM) and first-generation and/or low income (FLI) Stanford undergraduate students in your networks, MCHRI provides a stipend for students to gain mentored research experience during the summer. Thank you to all faculty who have volunteered to serve as DRIVE mentors in summer 2024!

Learn more and application page

Stanford-based Study Awarded NIH Supplement to Support Diversity Efforts in Miscarriage Research

The Stanford-based multisite TRIOS (Trio analysis of Recurrent pregnancy loss Integrated bioinformatics GenOmics Study), has been awarded an NIH supplement to make concerted efforts to increase racial and ethnic diversity in its participant pool. Congratulations to the supplement co-leads Christy Tise, MD, PhD, Katherine Bianco, MD, and TRIOS PI Ruth Lathi, MD. The TRIOS and the supplement study team has been receiving Technical Assistance support from the MCHRI Office of Community-Engaged Research.

Learn more
Julia Buckingham, CCRP, lead technical research coordinator, provides high-level regulatory support for new research initiatives, and provides many consultation and support services to researchers and coordinators. When a researcher submits the MCHRI Intake Form, Buckingham is available to consult on a current or potential research study, advising on logistical steps and feasibility. Buckingham is also able to guide and mentor new junior coordinators hired by departments, providing a support system such that a coordinator does not have to work alone.

Learn more about Clinical Research Coordinator Services here.

Funding Opportunities

For more information about MCHRI programs and deadlines, visit the Funding Opportunities page. For more eligibility information and other details, visit individual funding opportunity pages.

MCHRI Transdisciplinary Initiatives Program (TIP)
Letter of Intent Deadline: January 8, 2024

MCHRI Bridge Support
Application Deadline: January 19, 2024

MCHRI Instructor K Award Support
Application Deadline: January 19, 2024

Interprofessional Clinician Program
Letter of Intention Deadline: January 22, 2024

MCHRI Master's Tuition Program
Application Deadline: February 12, 2024

MCHRI Faculty Scholar
Application Deadline: February 20, 2024

MCHRI Harman Scholar Program
Application Deadline: February 20, 2024

MCHRI Clinician (MD) Trainee Support
Application Deadline: March 25, 2024

Quantitative Science Unit (QSU) Consultations Available for Funding Opportunity Applicants!
Sign up for a consultation for February 9 or March 5 here

MCHRI Seminar Series

Understanding and Manipulating Immune Modulation by the Microbiome
Michael Fischbach, PhD
*HYBRID EVENT* TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 12-1PM GRAND ROUNDS ROOM IN CAM OR ZOOM

Understanding & Manipulating Immune Modulation by the Microbiome
Monday, December 11, 12pm-1PM
In-Person at Grand Rounds Room in CAM, or Online via Zoom

Speaker: Michael Fischbach, PhD, Professor, Bioengineering

Register now
Geopolitical Unrest: How Aid Sanctions Impact Global Progress on Maternal and Child Health

Monday, January 29, 12pm-1PM
In-Person at Red Oak Dining Room in CAM, or Online via Zoom

Political unrest and armed conflict are increasing with aid sanctions being the most common tool to respond to certain types of political events. Aid sanctions are a unique tool of statecraft previously thought not to impact the humanitarian population. This research seminar explores findings of how aid sanctions impact maternal and child health in fragile nations. Join Professor Paul Wise and Dr. Ruth Gibson for a conversation about protecting MCH during political unrest and how sanctions might be used to protect principles of international law while minimizing harm to local populations.

Speakers:
Ruth Gibson, PhD, Postdoctoral Scholar, Center for Innovation in Global Health, Medicine
Paul Wise, MD, MPH, Professor, Pediatrics, Neonatal and Developmental Medicine

Register now

Previous Recordings Available! Check our YouTube page for past recordings.

Partnership between MCHRI and the Quantitative Sciences Unit

Introducing the Quantitative Science Unit (QSU) and how its members partner with investigators of all levels within MCHRI and Stanford Pediatrics. Two investigators, Dr. Maahs and Dr. Carmichael, who have partnered extensively with the QSU will present case studies on their own research.

View Recording

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