

Training Navigation

What is Training Navigation?

The NCI Center to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities (CRCHD) training navigation facilitates underrepresented scholars' successful entry, transition, and advancement through the Continuing Umbrella of Research Experiences (CURE) training pipeline to independent research careers.

What does training navigation offer?

Training navigation provides information about CURE funding opportunities tailored to your training or career level and helps make connections with CURE program directors and the Geographic Management of Cancer Health Disparities Program (GMaP).

Training navigation provides the following career development support for potential and current CURE scholars:

- Assists new potential applicants to successfully enter the CURE training pipeline
- Assists current CURE scholars transitioning through the CURE pipeline to their next independent award
- Supports mid-career and established underrepresented investigators to develop the skills required to obtain R-type awards for career advancement

How can training navigation help me?

There are many ways that training navigation can support your career development:

- Help identify CURE funding opportunities that you may qualify for
- Introduce you to CURE program directors
- Share NIH/NCI resources for competitive application preparation
- Send periodic updates about submission dates and funding opportunities
- Connect you with your GMaP region and its resources, tools, and networking opportunities

How do I get started?

Contact our training navigator, Hana Odeh, Ph.D., at hana.odeh@nih.gov or 240-276-5572.

What is the CURE Pipeline?

CURE provides training opportunities across the academic continuum ensuring that underrepresented students, trainees, and investigators have the skills required to become competitive cancer researchers.



Learn more about CRCHD, CURE, and GMaP at <http://crchd.cancer.gov>