



Our Members Have a Vision for Prevention, Research and Evidence-Based Treatment for Individuals with Substance Use Disorders

Purpose/Mission

To promote state-of-the-art research, education and disseminate effective strategies focusing on:

- (1) Advanced preclinical models that lead the U.S. in the development of personalized treatments for substance-related disorders;
- (2) Dynamic population research involving epidemiology, community, and policy interventions to promote population health; and
- (3) Timely clinical-translational research that will generate new care approaches and contribute new knowledge to our learning healthcare system.

Leadership

The Executive Committee represents the three focus areas of research.

Population Health



Beth Reboussin



Kimberly Wagoner



Laura Veach



Michael Nader
Center Director



Robert Gould



Jeff Weiner



Edgar Alfonso
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Basic Science

Types of Research

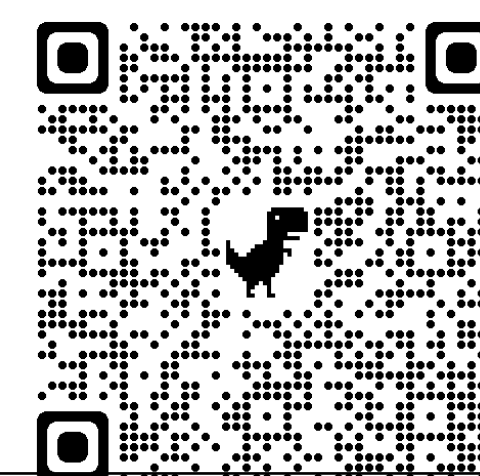
- **Basic Science**
 - Human and Animal Subjects
 - Imaging: MRI, PET, TMS
 - Behavioral Pharmacology
- **Clinical**
 - SBIRT
 - Telemedicine
- **Population**
 - Epidemiology
 - Prevention

Representation

- 22 Departments at WFUSM and Atrium Health
- Wake Forest University
- Winston-Salem State Univ
- NC A&T
- University of South Carolina

Membership

Members receive e-mail updates regarding new science, funding opportunities, and upcoming events.



Creating opportunities for new partnerships. In 2023, CFAR was the catalyst in establishing a Research Agreement with NC A&T, a local Historically Black College and University (HBCU), to promote and encourage multidisciplinary research across the campuses. We are working to extend the agreement to other HBCUs in our region.

Training Components

Building an Education & Training Core

- Medical Student Addiction Medicine Interest Group
- Addiction Medicine Fellowship Program
- Master's Degree in Addiction Research & Clinical Health
- Region IV Prevention Technology Transfer Center
- NC Governor's Institute Providers Clinical Support System
- Students for Sensible Drug Policies

Intellectual Home for Scientific Discovery

- Invited Speakers
Including Dr. Nora Volkow,
Director of the
National Institute on
Drug Abuse
- Annual Retreat
- Movie Night



- Ignite Sessions
- World Café
- Research Symposia

Recent 5-part Symposium in Collaboration with WFUSM Tobacco Control Center of Excellence

The Wake Forest Tobacco Control Center of Excellence and the Center for Addiction Research Presents a 5-part Seminar Series on:

"The Role of Novel Tobacco Products in Reducing the Harm Caused by Smoking"

Part 1: Tuesday, February 8, 2022:
"The Evolution of Tobacco Products and Tobacco Product Regulation"
Presenters: Eric Donny, PhD and Eric Sutfin, PhD
Location: Bowman Gray Center for Medical Education, Room 5107, 12:00pm-1:00pm

Part 2: Tuesday, March 8, 2022:
"The Role of E-Cigarettes in Smoking Cessation"
Presenter: Matthew Carpenter, PhD
Location: WebEx, 12:00pm-1:00pm

Part 3: Tuesday, April 19, 2022:
"How Effective are E-Cigarettes for Reducing Health Risk in Smokers?"
Presenter: Maciej L. Goniewicz, PharmD, PhD
Location: Bowman Gray Center for Medical Education, Room 5107, 12:00pm-1:00pm

Part 4: Tuesday, May 17, 2022:
"Relative and Absolute Harms: Public Health Disparities"
Presenters: Rachel Denlinger-Apte, PhD, MPH and Jennifer Ross, PhD
Location: Biotech Place Auditorium, 12:00pm-1:00pm

Part 5: Tuesday, June 7, 2022:
"Are E-cigarettes Good for Public Health?"
Presenter: Kimberly Wagoner, DrPH, MPH
Location: Biotech Place Auditorium, 12:00pm-1:00pm

All sessions will be offered in person and via WebEx



Research Project Spotlight

2022 Funding by CFAR Members = \$155,799,100

2023 Pending Grants (to date) = \$60,918,416