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Dialogue With Institutional Leaders About Successfully Navigating NIH

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RCMI – RESEARCH VOICE

BUILDING A RESEARCH ECOSYSTEM

01

PRIORITY AREAS

- Strategic plan
- Area of growth of investment
- Health Equity Research
- Experiential Learning for Equity
- Belonging

02

FACULTY SUPPORT

- Release time
- Startups, Pilots, Equipment,
- Mentoring and support through U54 and other area programs (CTSA/P30/U54s)

03

SPONSORED PROGRAMS

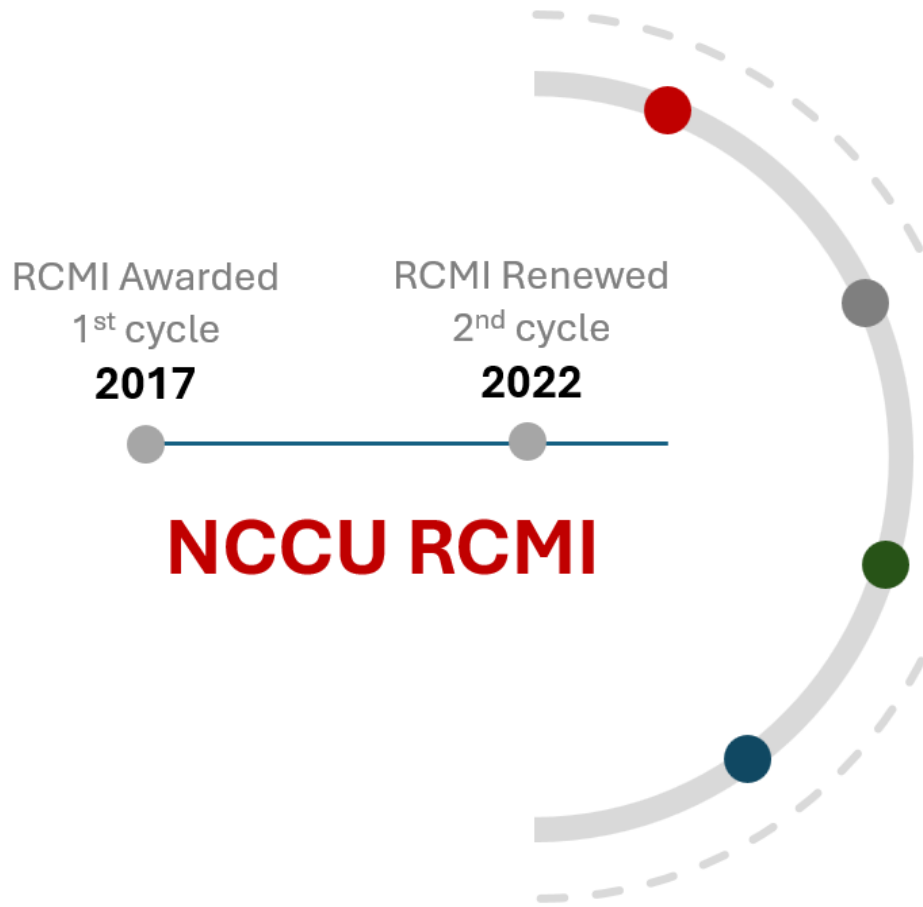
- Research Development Support
- Flexibility, Training
- Pre and Post Award Support
- Compliance
- Faculty Engagement

04

INTEGRATION WITH INSTITUTIONAL SYSTEMS

- Finance and Administration
- Facilities, Human Resources
- Purchasing, Technology/IT
- Marketing and Communications

RCMI DRIVES BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH FUNDING



RESEARCH GRANTS

01

- 4-R01s
- Applications
- Funding



RESEARCH CURRENCY

02

- Impact and Engagement
- Publications
- Applications

IMPACT INVESTMENT

03

- Non-Profit Spinoff
- New Market Tax Credit

LEGISLATIVE SUPPORT

04

- Infrastructure Support
- Legislative budget
- State initiatives (PFAS, OPIOID)

LEVERAGING STATEWIDE PARTNERSHIPS

