

UCLA Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center NEWSLETTER



Sharing the Impact of JCCC Research

During the last week of 2011, the Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Foundation sent a series of emails to donors. We do this to thank them, remind them that their donations have a powerful impact, and encourage them to donate online. We invite you to [subscribe](#) to the JCCF's email list. In addition, do you have a compelling research project or know of a patient helped by JCCC? Send us an [email](#) and it just might be featured in a future donor message.

Clinical Trials at Your Fingertips

- Connect you and your patients with clinical trials at UCLA. [Click here](#) to learn all about our online database, and how to submit and update your own trials.

Funding Opportunities

- Members can now [access online](#) a complete list of the latest research grant opportunities directly from the JCCC website.

New Publications Archive

- Have you recently published, or do you want to find out the latest pubs of fellow members? Follow the link to visit the new [online pubs archive](#).

Latest Grant Awards

- All new funding awards are now being archived monthly on the JCCC website. [Click here](#) for the latest recipients and their awards.

Grant Submissions

- Did you know that the grant submission guidelines have been updated for 2012? Visit [this link](#) for the latest revisions.

Social Networking Tools

- The JCCC is now on Twitter, Facebook and YouTube! Learn how to follow us and

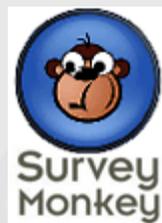
Latest News

Q1 Clinical Trials Pocket Guide Available Jan. 15



Get access to all open JCCC clinical trials, right at your fingertips. Perfectly sized to fit inside a lab coat pocket and offering a complete list of current trials by anatomic site, it's free to all JCCC members. Q1 guides will be available on January 15, and to reserve your copy contact Erica Dubé at EDube@mednet.ucla.edu.

Don't Just Monkey Around--Get Help with Your Online Surveys



Online surveys can be a powerful tool to aide you in your research, allowing you to collect and analyze data and further facilitate collaboration with your fellow scientists. JCCC has an account with the web's leading online survey tool, Survey Monkey, to provide setup and assistance with all your survey needs. It's open to all members, and to learn how to get started today contact Rich Thigpen at RThigpen@mednet.ucla.edu.

Helping Hands, Healing Hearts



Joining with hundreds of other hospitals and cancer-related organizations around the world to observe National Cancer Survivors Day, the UCLA Hematology/Stem Cell Transplantation Unit is hosting its annual Celebration of Life event on Jan. 26. A day dedicated to oncology patients, survivors, families and staff, the scheduled events include presentations, guest speakers and an optional afternoon breakout session.

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Suppressing Protein Vital to Cell Division Stops Certain Cancer Cells from Proliferating

In a new study led by JCCC member Jorge Torres, UCLA researchers have discovered that suppressing a newly identified and characterized protein involved in regulating cell division, called STARD9, could be a novel strategy to fight certain cancers because it

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stops the malignant cells from dividing and causes them to die quickly.

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