



CAN TAP TALENT

**Canadian Training Platform for Trials Leveraging Existing
Networks**



**Funded by Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)
Clinical Trials Training Platform (CTTP)**

CTTPS & Partners



Clinical Trials ECHO Programs Community of Practice

Clinical Research Professionals
Starting September 27, 2024

Investigator Trialists
Starting October 9, 2024

Register: cantaptalent.ca/echo



Mentorship & Indigenous Engagement

Individual Development
Plans for Awardees

Pathways for CAN TAP TALENT
Mentorship Connections

CAN TAP TALENT Indigenous
Mentor Collaboration

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Awards

2023-24

2024-25

Masters	4	Masters	8
Doctoral	3	Doctoral	8
Post-Doc	6	Post-Doc (Open)	8
CRP	2	CRP	4
ECR	5	ECR	8
Travel	19	Travel (Dec 2024)	20
Student & EDIA	10	Student & EDIA (Jan 2025)	

Current Total Awarded: \$715,250

cantaptalent.ca/awards

Training Resources

Specialized Training Resources in
Clinical Trials

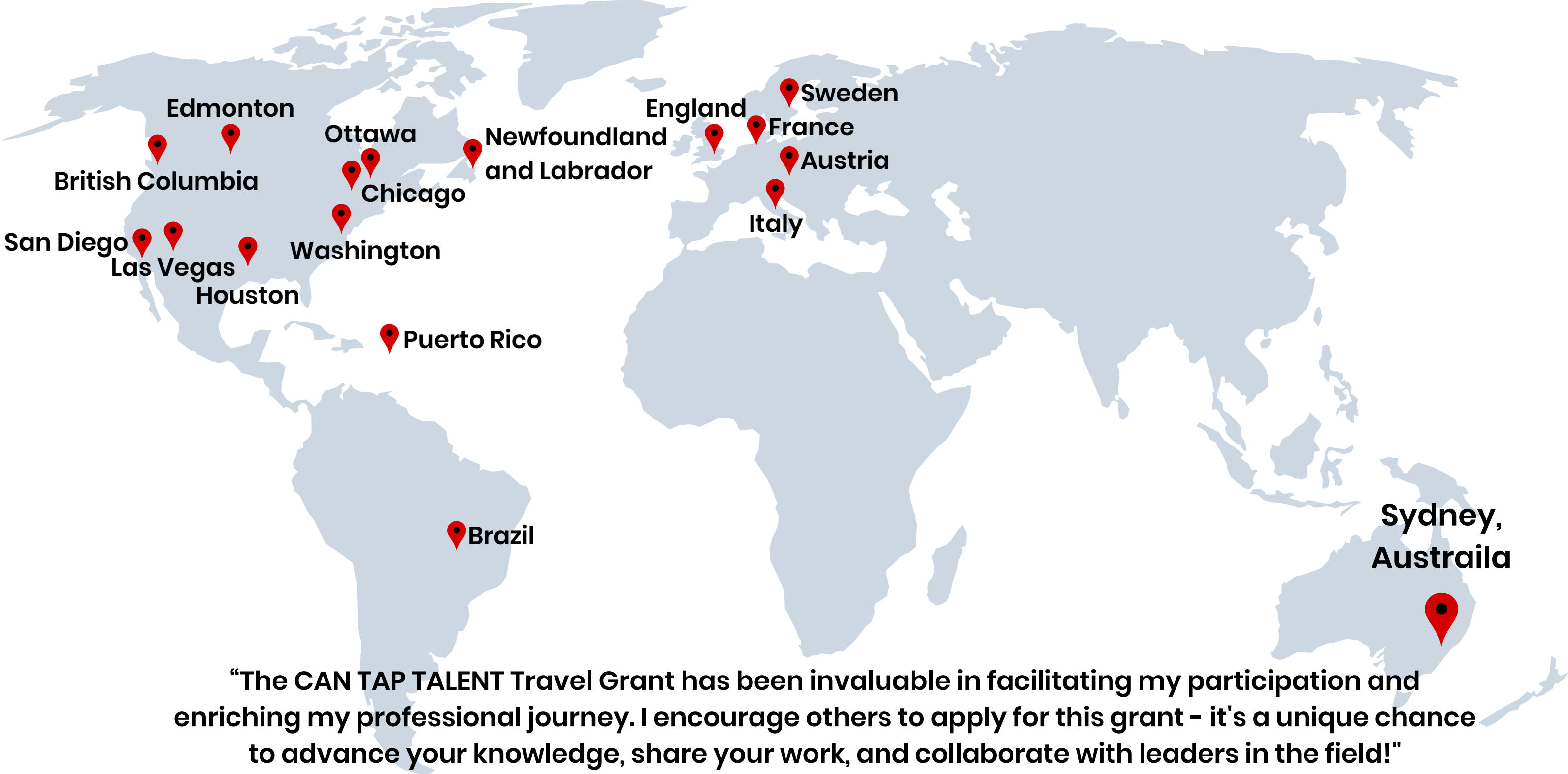
1. Patient Engagement
2. EDIA
3. Advanced Trial Design
4. Machine Learning and AI
5. Ethics, Consent & Protocols
6. Knowledge Translation
7. Translational Research
8. Trial Management
9. Statistical Design
10. Grant Writing
11. CRP Courses

CAN TAP TALENT collaboration with CANTRAIN LMS

Member Portal: cantaptalent.ca



Travel Award Recipient Locations



“The CAN TAP TALENT Travel Grant has been invaluable in facilitating my participation and enriching my professional journey. I encourage others to apply for this grant - it's a unique chance to advance your knowledge, share your work, and collaborate with leaders in the field!”

- Gabriela Lima de Melo Ghisi

ECHO Programs

Clinical Clinical Trialists and Biostatisticians

Pilot and Feasibility Studies

Pragmatic vs. Implementation-Effectiveness Trials

Patient Engagement in Clinical Trials

Top 10 Tips for Applying to the CIHR RCT Panel

Canadian Members to Date: 140

Clinical Research Professionals

Managing Participant Safety & Managing Risk

Challenges in Obtaining Participant Informed Consent

Sponsor Monitoring Visits

Documenting Health Assessment in Clinical Trials

Best Practices in Clinical Research Documentation

Canadian Members to Date: 108



CANTRAIN

Training Programs: Four (4) distinct streams of learners, including patient and community partners



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Graduate & Postdoctoral Trainees Future Clinical Research Professionals and Trialists



STREAM 1-GPT

Training with focus on career development

- Builds on the RI-MUHC C&RA Experience program created by DCAT
- Creates a sustainable workforce by supporting knowledgeable career selection

Features:

- Intensive program
- Multichannel content delivery (readings, online modules, RWE, activities, presentations)

Clinical Research Professionals



STREAM 2-CRP

Training customized for different roles and levels of experience

- Centralized, curated, training hub
- Training approach that reflects clinical trial site management reality

Features:

- Competency-based
- E-learning, hands-on practice, just-in-time training, tools and templates

Key leaders for the future of the clinical trial research ecosystem



STREAM 3-TRIALISTS

Training with a focus on real-world issues and career progression

- CME credits/Certificate to contribute to career advancement
- Peer/Alumni coaching and mentorship
- Individual and institutional value

Features:

- Online learning that is fast, efficient, asynchronous
- Training for the transition from clinician to clinician-researcher

Essential partners in Clinical Trials: Patient and Community Partners



STREAM 4-PARTNERS

Training with a focus on patient empowerment

- Patient partner, patient advocate and patient engagement learning paths

Features:

- Interactive, competency-based learning
- Short training capsules
- Expert training for patient partners AND research teams



What is IMPaCT?

Watch on  YouTube



Share

Accroître la capacité à conduire des essais cliniques avec les personnes enceintes et les enfants

Increasing capacity for Maternal and Paediatric Clinical Trials



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sngllyWahJEading>

CBITN – Year 1 Overview

MENTORSHIP-BASED

Trainees co-create an individualized development plan with their academic and non-academic mentors

ACADEMIC TRAINING

Core and advanced curriculum focused on behavioural intervention and trials approaches and methodologies

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Development of career and professional skills to support trainees' goals inside and outside academia

INTERNSHIPS

Experiential internship selected by the trainees and their mentors to support the mentee's development

NETWORKING EVENTS

Regional and national networking events with institutional and network partners and wider societal stakeholders

MENTEE FORUM

Structured opportunities for trainees to exchange and dialogue on their program experiences and support the development of the platform

24 Individualized Development Plans
Developed by each of the Cohort 1 mentees

47 Mentoring Reports
Prepared by each of the Cohort 1 mentors

9 Internships

10 Organizations

3 Countries
Canada, UK, Australia

6 Networking Events

4 Regional Events
Calgary, St-John's, Montreal, St. Catharines

1 National Event
Montreal

1 Virtual Event
Hosted from Calgary

1 Core Curriculum

1 Summer School
Delivered over six days to 12 mentees by 17 international researchers and young investigators

10 Online modules
Delivered to 12 mentees by 8 international behavioural science experts



www.cbitn.ca

Canadian Behavioural Interventions and Trials Network



Innovative Clinical Trials Training Initiatives for STROKE and COGnition: (STROKECOG) Platform



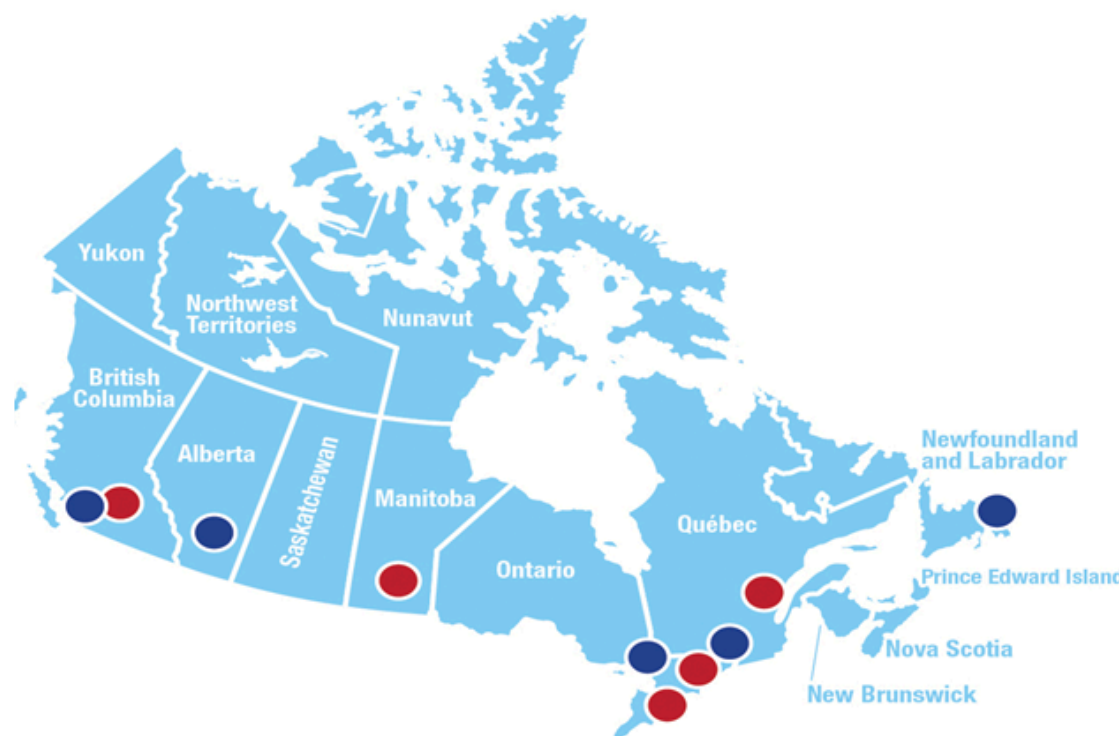
www.canadianstroke.ca

StrokeCog Vision: To innovate new approaches to clinical trials training that directly embed evidence-based equity, diversity, inclusion and accessibility (EDIA) principles at every stage to create sustainable change in the systems of clinical trial design and conduct in Canada.

StrokeCog Mission: EDIA centered training opportunities:

- ✓ more *diversified* clinical trials teams
- ✓ more *inclusive* and *accessible* to the broader stroke population
- ✓ build capacity in a *diverse* range of care settings
- ✓ more *equitable* evidence and outcomes

StrokeCog - National Collaborating Institutions & ACT Affiliated Networks



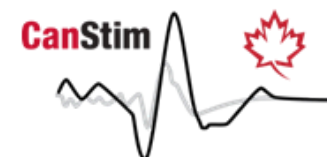
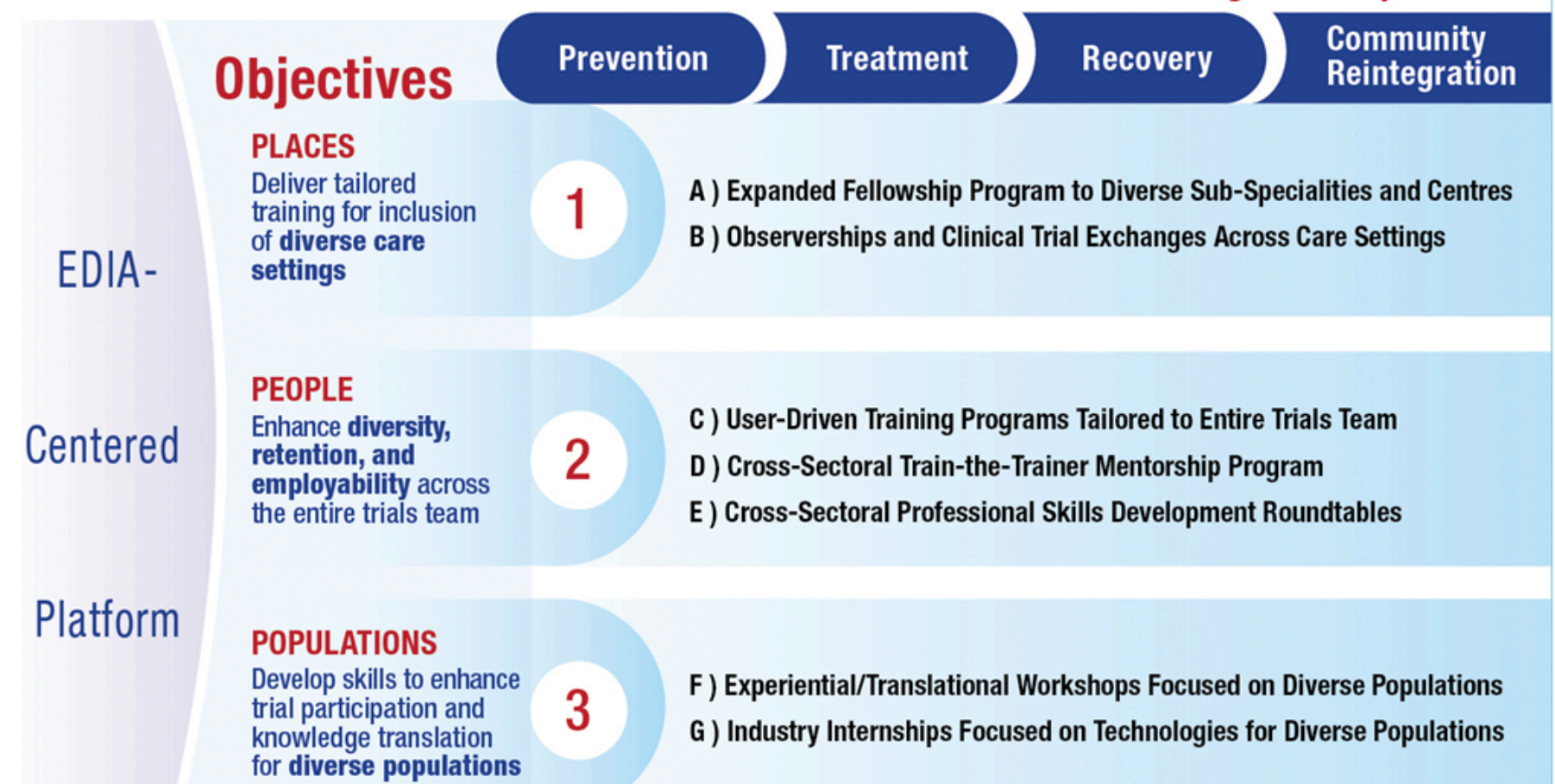
StrokeCog Leadership Institutions:

- University of Ottawa Heart Institute
- UBC Kelowna Campus
- University of Calgary
- University of Manitoba
- University of Toronto
- Université Laval

StrokeCog Partnering Institutions:

- UBC Vancouver Campus
- Toronto Rehabilitation Institute
- McMaster University
- Population Health Research Institute
- Sunnybrook Research Institute
- University of Ottawa
- Bruyère Research Institute
- McGill University
- Memorial University

Continuum of Care for Stroke and Vascular Cognitive Impairment

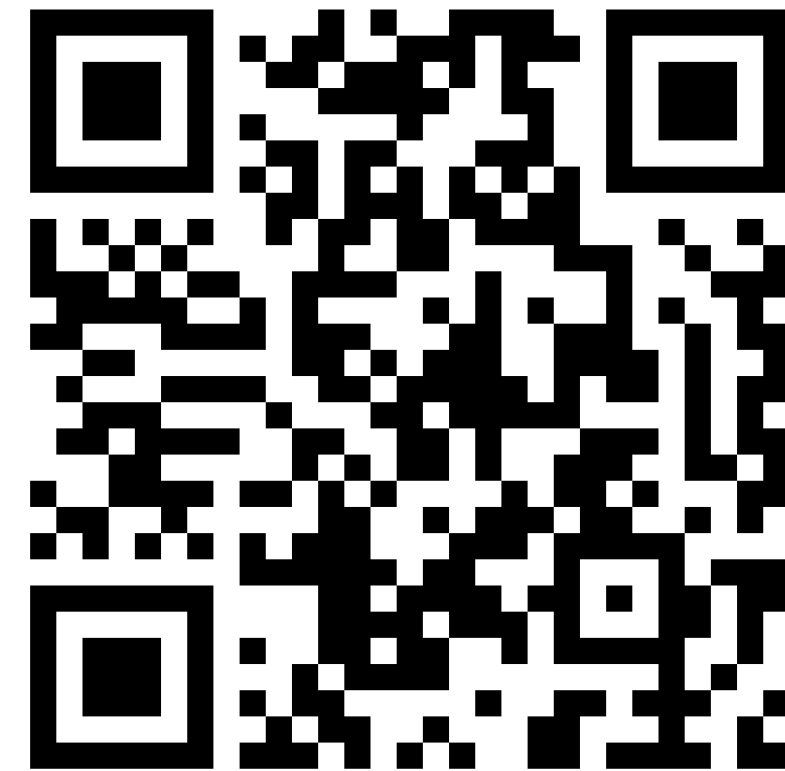


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Learn more about our ECHO Programs



Learn more about us!



CTTP Clinical Trials Training Summit