



Obesity and Diabetes Research Workshop

May 25, 2022 9:00AM-2:00PM

Did you know that Arkansas ranks fourth in the nation in obesity? Obesity is a risk factor for developing type 2 diabetes. Have you ever thought about how researchers study obesity and diabetes? How can basic research lead to new strategies for preventing obesity and diabetes? Are you curious to know what training is needed for a career in obesity and diabetes research? If you have answered yes to any of these questions, we invite you to participate in a one-day virtual workshop hosted by the IDeA Network of Biomedical Research Excellence (INBRE) at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences



The workshop will help students understand the role of research in contributing to the development of evidence based methods for prevention and treatments for obesity and diabetes.

- 1) Physicians will describe selected disease cases and outcomes
- 2) Scientific teams will provide a sampling of different aspects of obesity and diabetes research
- 3) Expert panel discussion on new strategies for reducing obesity and diabetes in the future.

Audience: Undergraduate students attending College/University in Arkansas and Arkansas residents attending an out of state college/university

The workshop is limited to 30 student participants. The event will take place at the Active Learning Center on the UAMS campus.

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