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About this Journal

The Primary Care Research Institute felt that it was important to create a forum for our institute to distribute information to our collaborative partners about the ongoing research endeavors being initiated in the PCRI/NorTex. *The goal of the Journal is to...*

- Promote professional writing opportunities for faculty, staff, students, trainees, and collaborative partners
- Promote discussions regarding innovative primary care and public health related ideas
- Promote collegiality among the PCRI/NorTex members
- Promote collaboration among PCRI/NorTex partners
- Increase visibility of the Primary Care Research Institute
- Increase awareness of our training program—The Primary Care Research Fellowship
- Increase involvement of staff, faculty, students, trainees, and collaborative partners in primary care and public health education and research

Formatting Guidelines for the Journal

Details on typesetting and layout requirements pertaining to final manuscript submissions to The Primary Care Research Journal are listed below. Case Report Collaborators should use the following format to submit a case report to the Journal.

1. Word limit 750 words
2. AMA or APA Format
3. Word Document
4. Use generic names for all medications
5. No patient identifiers may be used
6. Sections
 - Abstract
 - Patient Presentation
 - Literature Review
 - Discussion
 - Conclusion
 - Citations

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Letters: *Collaborators should use the following format to submit a letter to the Primary Care Research Journal:*

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2. AMA or APA Format
3. Word Document

Editor's Corner

PRIMARY CARE RESEARCH



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The Primary Care Research Institute (PCRI) continues to evolve into a translational center as it joins forces with the Texas Center for Health Disparities, the Center for Community Health, and partners with departments across campus and the metroplex as the new Texas Prevention Institute (TPI) is developed.

In January 2011 the UNT Health Science Center has approved the creation of the TPI as an umbrella organization for the listed entities, including the PCRI, to translate community, basic science, and clinical discoveries into the wellness of the lives of our populations. The TPI will be lead by leaders of each unit Institute, with Dr. Mark DeHaven serving as the TPI's overall director. The next steps are to develop the infrastructure and operational framework to ensure collaborative and progressive momentum leads us into sustainable and meaningful interventions and changes.

These changes are not only in planning, but the entities have now physically moved together into a new home on the 7th floor of the EAD, home of the School of Public Health. Energy and resources are shared as new study ideas develop and move forward fostering an environment of potential collaboration. We are all eager to see what the future holds.

There are many new projects and programs that are commencing and developing. This issue of the *Journal* highlights many of our achievements and research, and we continue to extend our research in the spirit of collaboration. Please enjoy reading this issue, and we hope to cross paths to better the health of our communities.

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