Happy Thanksgiving!
We hope you all have a nice and restful holiday break surrounded by friends and loved ones.
Abstracts Accepted for AAAAI

We’re excited to share that several abstracts our team and collaborators have submitted were accepted for poster and oral presentations at the American Academy of Allergy Asthma & Immunology annual meeting in March 2020! Congratulations to the authors! To learn more about the studies the abstracts stemmed from, visit here.

FORWARD

- FORWARD study reports almost 100% of children with food allergies had filled epinephrine prescriptions
- Food Allergy Resolution and Subsequent Introduction among Black and White Children in the FORWARD Study
- Differences in Food Allergy Knowledge Between Black And White Parents in the FORWARD Study
- Differences in food allergens and atopy between African American and Caucasian children with food allergy in the FORWARD study
- Early Introduction of Peanut, Egg, and Milk Among Black and White Food-Allergic Children in the FORWARD Study
- Diet and Food-Purchasing Habits among Black and White Children with Food Allergy
- Characterizing Racial Differences in Particulate Air Pollution Exposure within a Multi-site Longitudinal Cohort of Food-allergic Children
- Prevalence and Characteristics of Multifood Allergy Among US Children with Food Allergy
Parent Perceptions on Enhanced Monitoring with Pediatric Asthma Sensor Technology
- Parental-self-efficacy among minority caregivers of children with moderate to severe asthma
- Acceptability of Inhaler Sensors in Pediatric Asthma Management among Parents

FAMILY
- A Qualitative Exploration of Food Allergy Management among a Medicaid-Insured Population
- The Food Allergy Management in Low Income Youth (FAMILY) Study: A family-centered approach to improving anaphylaxis knowledge and childhood food allergy management skills

OIT Study
- Awareness of Oral Immunotherapy (OIT) among a Nationally-Representative Sample of Food Allergy Patients/Caregivers is Critically Lacking

Recent Events

American College of Allergy, Asthma & Immunology Annual Conference November 2019

Members of the CFAAR team headed to Houston TX this month to present our research. This year, Dr. Gupta gave three presentations on food allergy health disparities, the epidemiology of food allergy, and how to prepare for school with FA, while Jialing Jiang and Christopher Warren gave an oral and poster presentation on our prevalence data, respectively.
Contains: Courage Conference
Nov 1-3, 2019

Dr. Gupta, Pamela Newmark, and Olivia Negris from the CFAAR team traveled to Washington, DC for The Contains®: Courage FARE Summit! The conference brought 1,000 people from the food allergy community to collaborate and exchange ideas. It was a wonderful weekend of connection with both colleagues and teens living with FA! Check out their website to learn more about the conference: https://www.foodallergy.org/education-awareness/contains-courage-fare-summit
Thank you all for embracing our mission to foster research that makes meaningful improvements in the health of children, adults and families living with allergic disease. In this Season of Giving, we hope you may consider supporting the Center for Allergy and Asthma Research by making a gift this year.

Flexible funding enables us to fund young investigators and projects that are critical to the growth of both the Center and future food allergy and asthma research. Any gifts made are wholeheartedly appreciated.
and help us reach our goal of finding answers and shaping policies around these conditions.

*If you’re interested in making a gift prior to December 31st, 2019, please click the button below.*

If you would like more information or have questions, please contact MaryPat Mauro at marypat.mauro@northwestern.edu or 312-503-1090. Thank you!

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**Upcoming Events**

**CALL FOR ABSTRACTS**

**Institute for Public Health and Medicine (IPHAM) Population Health Forum and Poster Session**

**Monday, December 9, 2019**

The Institute for Public Health and Medicine (IPHAM) at Northwestern is hosting the second annual IPHAM Population Health Forum. The session will highlight work supported by Northwestern and specifically focus on population and public health. Our team will be in attendance to present on some of our work, and we hope to see you there!

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**Partner Spotlight**
Center for Community Health (CCH) Retreat
On November 19th, the CFAAR team attended the CCH retreat to discuss the importance of community-driven research and how to improve health equity. The day was filled with thought-provoking discussions and presentations, resulting in many new ideas on ways to grow.

Learn about CCH!
To learn more about the Center for Food Allergy & Asthma Research, visit 
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