

Welcome to the 15th Annual



Nuts & Bolts Methods Research Symposium

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The University of Tennessee College of Medicine Chattanooga (UTCOCM) welcomes you to our Annual Research Methods Symposium! Our goal is to engage community and academic investigators in the development of research projects that improve patient care and promote evidence-based decision making. Faculty, residents, medical students, research administrators, research coordinators, and other individuals planning or involved in medical research should attend. **Our objectives for this symposium include:** 1) establishing the ability to create, refine, and formulate valid research questions using different approaches/systems, 2) learning to correctly select research designs to answer the specified research question, 3) improving the ability to choose valid variables, conduct a priori power analysis, and structure databases & codebooks, and 4) choosing the correct statistic to answer a research question knowledgeably.

Attendees will meet and hear from include faculty, resident physicians, & medical students from UTCOCM as well as research coordinators, research administrators, and other individuals planning or involved in medical research.

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